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WANTED AND FOR SALE

Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

FOR SALE—One of the largest and best equipped planing mills and lumber yard in Western Ontario; continued ill health of proprietor reason for selling. Answer Box 24, CANADA LUM ERMAN.

WANTED—75 carloads Rock Elm Strips 2½ x 1¼", in lengths 4 ft. 6 in., 4 ft. 9 in. and 5 ft. Must be perfectly free from knots and full size. Apply OTTAWA LUMBER CO., Ottawa.

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OF

SPRUCE AND PINE TIMBER LIMITS

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The undermentioned Timber Limits will be sold by public auction at the office of the undersigned, No. 114 St. James Street, Montreal, on Wednesday, 29th January, 1902, at noon:—

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2. 100 square miles on the middle branch of the Lievre River.
3. 100 square miles on the North West branch of the Leivre River

Full information respecting the property may be obtained from the Department of Lands, Forests and Fisheries, at Quebec, and on application to the undersigned.

JOHN FAIR,
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Montreal, 23rd Oct., 1901.

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THE CANADA WOOD SPECIALTY CO., Limited Orillia, Ont.

AUCTION SALE

OF

VALUABLE TIMBER LIMITS

AND LANDS.

There will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Russell House, in the city of Ottawa, on

Wednesday, the 19th day of February, 1902,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, the Timber Berths and Properties owned by Mr. William Mackey, on the River Amable Du Fond, Province of Ontario. The limits are in one block containing 129¾ square miles, timbered with white and red pine of superior quality, spruce and other woods, and are well watered, making a very short average draw. Part of the block is still a virgin forest containing large board pine of the finest quality with a very short haul.

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The whole will be sold in one block. Maps and descriptions of limits may be obtained from

W. MACKEY.

Ottawa, 4th Dec., 1901.

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One 54 inch double cant oscillating gang, Wm. Hamilton make, extra strong and in running order. Apply G. B., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

It is difficult to give a statement of the lumber market that will show the true situation, but it may be said with certainty that the tendency of white pine prices is upwards. Very few manufacturers are now issuing price lists, for the reason that they have not sufficient stock to offer. Almost every grade is well sold out, the heaviest stocks, perhaps, being in mill culls and common pine plank. Prices of the higher grades have shown a wide fluctuation during the past two weeks, as some manufacturers are apparently more impressed than others with the scarcity of these grades, and are asking correspondingly higher prices. This is also true in respect to lath and shingles, as is demonstrated by the fact that an Ottawa valley manufacturer is asking $3.50 for No. 1 lath at the mill. This figure, however, does not represent the average market quotation. There is considerable inquiry for stock for future delivery, and the trade are inclined to the opinion that prices next season will be fully as high as in 1901.

In hardwoods there has been some improvement. Carload shipments of elm, birch and maple to the United States are being regularly made by manufacturers in the Wiarton district, and it is said that the inspection has not been as severe as last year, thus indicating a stronger market. It is now certain that fewer hardwood logs will be taken out this season than last winter, as millmen are beginning to realize that it is more profitable to leave the timber on the stump than it is to sell it as lumber when prices are low and inspection hard.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Late report from the eastern provinces seem to show that conditions are quite favorable for spruce lumber. Stocks in most districts are below what they were one year ago, while enquiries for next year's cut are quite numerous. South American specifications are much in favor, and if the demand should continue large shipments will be made to that country next season. Full prices are being asked and will no doubt be obtained, as the log supply is likely to be small and insufficient to keep the mills at work throughout the season. Cedar shingles continue strong, on the basis of $3.30 for extras, Boston delivery. Ocean freights have fallen and are dull, while rail freights to the United States rule high.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber movement at the present time is confined largely to finishing material. This is comparatively large, as building operations in Winnipeg during the past year were on an extensive scale. There is a good outlook for next spring, as retail dealers are not heavily stocked. British Columbia mills continue busy. Several vessels are loading at Chemainus for Australia. The freight market has strengthened considerably, the rate being fully three shillings higher than six weeks ago. There is an exceptionally strong demand for cedar logs. More camps than usual are at work, and a scarcity of men is reported. It is feared that there will be a break in the shingle market owing to the increased production resulting from the several new mills about to be put into operation.

UNITED STATES.

The holiday season has curtailed the lumber demand, but the market has lost none of its strength. On the other hand,

the year closes with high prices and the outlook favorable for a continuation of a firm and advancing market. This applies to almost every class of lumber, with white pine occupying the first position. The upper grades are so scarce that it is impossible to find a sufficient quantity to meet the requirements of the market, while the lower grades are gradually becoming stronger. It is reported that in Tonawanda prices of the lower qualities have recently been advanced quite sharply, and dealers are predicting a further advance on some items within the next month. It is estimated that Chicago dealers who heretofore bought most of their stock at Duluth and Ashland have purchased at least one hundred million feet of white pine lumber at interior mills to be shipped to their yards next season. In Cleveland dealers are asking an advance of from $1 to $2 a thousand on selects, fine common and No. 1 and No. 2 shop. Numerous enquiries are in the market for hemlock lumber. The base price in New York is now established at $15, while during the last week prices have advanced in North Tonawanda until some items are selling at the base price of $16 and as high as $17 in a few instances. The hardwood market continues to show a fair degree of activity. There is a good demand for basswood, elm, and black ash. At a meeting of the Chicago Hardwood Lumber Exchange held last week, discussion revealed the fact that firsts and seconds basswood, birch and ash were extremely scarce, also that many of the dealers were selling some varieties of lumber at less than they could be replaced. Accordingly, advances were decided upon.

GREAT BRITAIN.

As usual at this period of the year, the business doing in lumber is of a quiet character, yet the British market seems to be breaking away from the weakness and uncertainty which characterized it through the greater part of the past year. Some shippers have not yet submitted their price lists for next season. The question now seems to be how much higher prices will go for the first-open-water stocks. This is particularly the case in respect to Canadian lumber, which is showing marked strength. Considerable quantities of spruce deals are said to have been bought for next year at high figures, but even if freights can be obtained at the present rates, which are extremely low, the opening prices are not likely to be below those now ruling. The stock of spruce in all the United Kingdom ports is abnormally low, especially in Liverpool and the Bristol Channel. A very light stock of 11 x 3 and 9 x 3 is held. While pine deals are in heavier stock than spruce, they are rapidly going into consumption. The stock of waney pine is very small and the prices asked for next season's production are said to be the highest ever known. The Importers Section of the Timber Trade Federation took no action at their meeting last week regarding prices, on the ground that it was not practicable to pass a resolution defining any particular course.

SOCKS AND PRICES.

John Jamieson expects to have half a million feet of lumber to ship from Bloomfield, N.B., in the spring.

The city of Winnipeg is asking for tenders up to January 9th for the supply of from 500 to 1,000 cords of cedar.

John Whalen, of Sussex, N.B., who is lumbering for Mr. Mooney, of St. John, expects to get out 2,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company are announced to have sold to Quebec shippers 200,000 cubic feet of waney board pine to be taken out this winter in the Georgian Bay district.

The Dominion Government is asking for tenders up to January 13th for a permit to cut timber on berths No 995 and 996, in the Province of Manitoba, and until January 20th for a permit to cut on berth No. 998. The two first berths contain an area of 9 square miles each, and the last berth an area of 160 acres.

LAKE OF THE WOODS DISTRICT.

A correspondent writes THE CANADA LUMBERMAN regarding lumbering operations in the Lake of the Woods district as follows :

Lumbering operations in this district are much greater this season than heretofore. The large crop in Manitoba has stimulated the lumber business, and I am looking forward to next season being the most active in our history. There will be cut about 35 million feet, board measure, of saw logs. Labor is in good demand and very fair wages are being paid. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has let contracts for one and one-quarter million ties and about 10,000 piles and one-quarter million fence posts. This is much in excess of former contracts and points to railway construction in the west. The Northern Railway Company has let contracts for one-quarter million ties and a large quantity of telegraph poles and fence posts. The Northern Railway, or what is known as the Rainy River Railway, is going to open up a large territory, well covered with all kinds of timber. There is a large portion of the territory on which no pine timber has been cut, and I have no doubt that the time is approaching when it will be sold, as the danger from fire is so great along the line of the railway that it necessitates the disposal of the timber in close proximity to the line.

There is a demand for timber of less value than heretofore, by reason of connection with Winnipeg. Cord wood along the valley of the Rainy River is now worth $2.50, with a large demand.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Available stocks are scarce and prices firm in the local lumber market. Business is dull, a dullness attributable to the scarcity of supply and the cessation in manufacturing operations. The principal planing mills have closed down, to resume business about Jan. 5th. At present all hands are engaged stock-taking, reviewing the year's business and planning for the future.

Shingles are not to be had in any considerable quantities, and lath is very scarce. Good strips and shorts are also about sold out, and the same may be said of 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch sidings Nearly all this stock has passed into third hands, albeit the builder and other consumers.

Circulars sent from a leading mill on Monday quoted prices suggestive of the Klondyke. The prices at the mill ran as follows: No. 1 white pine lath, $3,50; No. 2 ditto, $3.25; No. 1 red pine lath, $3.25; No. 2 ditto, $3.00. It is a question whether these prices can be obtained. Prices already quoted rule in other lines. Everything points to an upward movement, however, as the available stocks are small.

Reports from the limits go to show that the weather conditions are now more favorable then they were earlier in the season. All the larger lates are fit for traffic and recent thaws have improved the roads.

Mr. T. C. Elmitt, of the firm of Hurdman & Elmitt, left last Monday on a business trip to Alabama and Tennessee. He will be away until the middle of January.

Notice has been given that an appeal will be entered by Mr. Alexander Fraser, defendant in the celebratd suit of Dezouche vs. Fraser. Judge Leavergue gave an order calling from defendant a statement of proceeds of sale of limits owned by the firm of Frazer & McCoshan; the latter was Mrs. Dezouche's first husband. The limits were sold after his death. Proceedings were instituted by the widow to determine what share if any her children, the minor heirs of McCoshan; were entitled to. About $500 is involved.

DOORS AND MOULDINGS.

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FOR SALE.

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Douglas Fir Timber in any size or length up to 90 feet long. Timber Planers face up to 24 inch x 30 inch. Dry Kilns of large capacity. Rough and Dressed Lumber, Douglas, Fir and Cedar.

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The Cutler and Savidge Lumber Company are reported to have sold their saw mill located at Cutler, Algoma district, to the Wright Lumber Company, of Bay City, Mich. It is understood that the deal does not carry with it the timber limits in Ontario owned by the company.

ST. JOHN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from St. John, N.B., are reeorted since last issue :

Schr. Otis Miller, for Boston, 80,326 ft. plank, 25,763 ft. scantling, 520,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Company. Str. Corinthian, for Liverpool, 500 standards of deals. Schr. Romeo, for Boston, 35,-081 ft. deals, 32,000 feet scantling, 39,145 ft. boards, 583,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Company. Schr. Manual R. Cuza, for Philadelphia, 1,330,000 ft. laths, by A. Cushing & Company. Schr. Alma, for New York, 750,000 ft. laths, by A. Gibson Railway & Manufacturing Co.

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Our competitors in the shingle business in B. C. are nice people, and we presume that they know their business ; but we are nice people too, and as we have been in the trade as long as any of them, and a **great deal longer** than the most of them, we know that we know our business, and that our competitors are not in the possession of any points of value regarding the manufacture of shingles which has not come to **our knowledge**.

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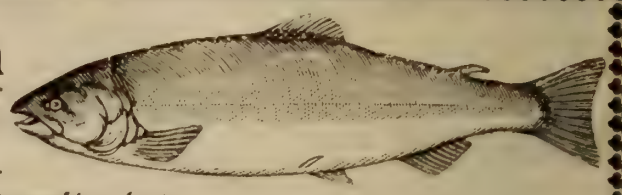

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D. & O. Herrington, planing mill, Unionville, Ont., have dissolved, D. Herrington continuing.

The large saw mill at Fesserton, Ont., owned by W. W. Carter, together with 200 piles of lumber, was totally destroyed by fire on January 1st. The mill alone was worth about $25,000.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Business for the week in white pine lumber has been satisfactory. Retail dealers report some buying for immediate requirements, while a feature of wholesale trade is the inquiry for stock for future delivery, an indication that the supply of lumber in the hands of retailers and consumers is light. Some of the largest manufacturers have sold a considerable portion of the coming season's cut, while practically all the British specifications of the Ottawa valley mills have been contracted for. There has been a slight improvement in red pine, which suffered during the past two years from over production and from severe competition from spruce and Baltic timber. Occasionally a report is heard that mill culls are slow of sale, but in view of the strength of other grades, this weakness is likely to be only temporary and to be relieved as the spring season is approached. The expected small production of hardwood logs this winter is having an effect upon that class of lumber, and the feeling is more confident than it has been for some time The quantity of hemlock and cedar logs taken out this winter is likely to be slightly above the average.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

No. 2 spruce boards and spruce lath represent the chief lumber moving in the eastern provinces. Shingles are in good demand, but the supply is short. No further advance in prices has as yet taken place, although there are indications in that direction. The statement of stocks wintering at Quebec, recently compiled, makes a most favorable showing in nearly all classes of timber. The stock of pine deals is very small, while that of spruce deals is little more than one-half that of last year. The export of square and waney pine was 2,317,443 cubic feet, leaving the stock over 350,000 feet less than one year ago. Of oak the stock is only 126,000 feet, which is less than half the wintering stock of last year. The export of birch during the year was heavy, and leaves the supply almost exhausted. The situation in elm is different, owing to a heavy production of that timber. There was received at the port of Quebec 1,023,372 feet, the export was 548,869 feet, and the stock wintering is 594,922 feet. The outlook for this timber, in view of the heavy stock, is not very promising, although a very small quantity is being taken out this winter, which will permit of the present surplus being reduced. Altogether, the outlook is favorable for firm prices next season. Lumbermen in the Maritime Provinces report numerous enquiries for stock, and anticipate a large demand from the United States.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

While the retail demand for lumber in the west is small at the present time, operations in the woods are being conducted on an extensive scale. Large contracts for railway ties have been given out, and more men are at work in the Lake of the Woods district than in any previous season. The interest of British Columbia lumbermen is centred in the proposal of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association to adopt a schedule of prices to apply locally and as far east as Manitoba. Owing to the keenness of competition, cutting of prices has been indulged in to some extent in the past, and consequently the business has not been profitable. Manufacturers hope by working together to bring about better conditions in the trade. It will also be the aim to limit the production, especially of shingles, as the total mill capacity is much in excess of the consumption. A rumor is current that an effort is to be made to combine all the mills on the Pacific coast doing an export trade. The report, however, is not confirmed at time of going to press.

UNITED STATES.

But for the car shortage the movement of lumber in the United States would be much heavier. The activity is remarkable for the season of the year, and augurs well for a brisk spring demand. Reports from the east tell of a very strong market for white pine. Our Buffalo list this week shows an advance of $2 per thousand in all grades of uppers and selects, and of about one dollar on several items of fine common and cutting up stocks. The scarcity of the higher grades is such that dealers are not anxious to sell at present quotations. There is no weakness at any point. Saginaw buyers have secured over 150,000,000 feet of stock already at outside points, which is to be taken to the yards there during the coming season. Better things are expected for hardwoods in the near future. Stocks are becoming reduced and will be light when the new cut is ready for the market. The better feeling at Buffalo has resulted in an advance in the price of thick ash

and of white birch and soft maple. A temporary falling off in the demand for shingles is reported, due to the holiday season. Prices, however, continue unchanged. Lath is moving liberally. At Cleveland No. 1 white pine brings $4; No. 2, $3.50; and No. 1 hemlock, $3 to $3.25.

SOCKS AND PRICES.

The log cut on the Restigouche river, in New Brunswick, this winter is estimated at 30,000,000 feet, or 5,000,000 feet short of last winter.

Mill owners at St. John, N. B., expect to get higher prices for spruce deals than they did last year, and are talking of $13 for city cut deals, with the product of small country mills 50 cents to $1 less.

The strength of hemlock lumber is responsible for a rumor that a further advance in price is to be made by manufacturers. The present base price at Buffalo is $13.50. It is claimed that if the price should be further advanced it will shut off the building of frame houses and injure all classes of building.

F. E. Neale's circular of lumber shipments from Miramichi and Campbelltown for the season of 1901 shows that 13 vessels were loaded at Campbelltown, carrying a total of 11,349,038 superficial feet, and that 29 vessels sailed from Miramichi, with a total of 44,493,334 feet. The above shipments were made by Mr. Neale, representing Frank Harrison & Company, of Liverpool, Eng,

Michigan firms operating in Ontario this winter expect to bank a full supply of logs. W. & A. McArthur Co., of Little Current, will have a stock of about 30,000,000 feet; Spanish River Lumber Co., about 20,000,000 feet; Eddy Bros. & Co., and the Michigan Land & Lumber Co., of Blind River, about 40,000,000 feet; The Moulthrop Lumber Co., John's Island, 18,000,000 feet; Arthur Hill Co., Midland, 15,000,000 feet; Holland & Emery Co., Byng Inlet, 40,000,000 feet; while Pitts & Charlton, of Little Current, and the William Peter Estate, of Parry Sound, are calculating upon a full output.

Concerning the Barbadoes lumber market Messrs S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of September 21st, say: The "Lewanika" arrived on December 7th from Hantsport, N.S., with 308,000 feet white pine lumber and 38,000 feet spruce. On the 10th inst. the "Edna" arrived, with 106,000 feet white pine, 174,000 feet spruce and 75,000 feet hemlock, which had been contracted for; and on the 18th the "Kipling," from Bridgewater, N.S., arrived with 85,000 feet white pine shippers and 95,000 feet refuse, which has been sold at $23.11 and $19.11 respectively; second quality, $17.11. In spruce no other arrivals have taken place, but we have a cargo contracted for on the way, and have also placed a nearby cargo, to arrive, at $19 round. We do not think that prices of either white pine or spruce can be maintained if further arrivals take place, unless the neighboring islands are in a position to take some lumber, as the dealers are all supplied with contract cargoes. No further receipts of shingles have taken place. We have sold a quantity of laying at $1,70 to $1.75. Clairemont, Man & Company report that Gaspe long cedar shingles are wanted at $4.40 to $4.75 as to quality, and that a spot sale of cedar laying has been made at $1.90.

While Chicago assortments are in the main fairly balanced and stocks at the majority of the yards are practically as heavy as at the opening of last year, the American Lumberman says there is a most pronounced scarcity of several sizes of piece stuff and boards. In the former 2x12s and 3x12s and 2x10s and 3x10s in the short lengths are among the scarcest and most desirable items wanted. Anything in piece stuff over 18-foot is also in low supply. Some of the recent prices f. o. b. cars are as follows: 2x12—10, 12 and 20, $19,50; 2x12—14, 16 and 18, $19; 2x10-12 and 18, $17; 2x12-14 and 16, $16.50; 3x12-12, 14 and 18, $19.50; 3x12-16, $19; 3x12-20, $20.50. Eight-inch, No. 1 stock boards, 20 to 16-foot, $21; 10-inch No. 1 stock boards, 10 and 12-foot, $22; 14 and 16-foot, $21; 12-inch No. 1 stock boards, 10 and 12-foot, $25; 14 and 16 foot, $24; 8-inch No. 2 stock boards, 16-foot, $19; 10-inch No. 2 stock boards, 10 and 12-foot, $19.50; 14 and 16-foot- $19; 12-inch No. 2 stock boards, 10 and 12-foot, $22; 14 and 16-foot, $21; No. 1 boards all lengths, 10 and 16-foot, promiscuous widths $20; No. 2 boards $19. Shingles, extra *A* white pine, $3; standards, $2.35. White cedars extra *A* $2.85; standards, $2.25. No. 1 pine lath, $3.50; No. 2 lath, $3.25.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The outlook for spruce lumber at Boston is very firm, though trade is limited at present. Quotations are unchanged: 10 aud 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9-inch and under, $18 to $18.50; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19 to $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $16.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $17.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $15 to $16; matched boards, $17.50 to $18.50; out spruce boards, $12.50 to $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock continues to be firmly sustained, with trade quiet: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet, $14 to $14.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17; No. 2, $14.50; random $13 to $13.50.

The position of western pine is explained to be very firm, with the outlook strong. The supply in the immediate west is fully under control, with the pine lands of the farther west being bought up. It is understood that eastern capital is going into these pine lands. Trade here continues quiet: Uppers, 1-in. $70 to $72; 2½ and 3 in. $75; 4.in. $80; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $63 to $65; 2-in. $65 to $67.50; 2½ to 3 in. $72 to $75; 4.in. $75 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $48; 1¼ to 1½ in. $54; 2-in. $55; 2½ and 3 in. $63 to $65; 4-in. $70; barn boards, $23 to $32; coffin boards $25 to $28.

Hardwoods are unchanged, with the demand quiet; One inch, whitewood, $38 to $40; thicker, $39 to $42; 5/8 inch, $30 to $35; saps, inch, $25 to $30; common, $23 to $25; quartered oak, $56 to $65; fancy, $70 to $75; plain oak, $40 to $47; black ash, $40 to $50; white ash, $45 to $55; cherry, $90 to $130; maple, $32 to $40; sycamore, quartered inch, $43 to $45; plain, $35 to $40; walnut, $100 to $130.

Shingles continue firm, though the demand is quiet: Extra cedar, $3.25 to $3.30; clear, $2.85 to $2.95; second clear, $2.30 to $2.35; sap. $2.15 to $2.20; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.80; Washington and British Columbia, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.46 to $3.50.

Clapboards are scarce and firm, with a limited demand: Extra spruce, $32 to $33; clear, $30 to $31; second clear, $27 to $28; extra No. 1, $18 to $20; pine extra, $48 to $50; clear, $43 to $45; second clear, $38 to $40.

Laths are quiet and unchanged: One and five-eighths inch, $3.15; 1½ inch, $3.10.

WHITE PINE CONDITIONS.

The condition of the lumber market in the Lake Superior district may be taken as the barometer of the white pine trade of the United States and Canada. In the last issue of the Mississipi Valley Lumberman that market is reviewed as follows:

The current conditions in the white pine market, with the single exception of the badly shattered stocks, are all that could be wished by the manufacturer. There has been a falling off in the demand during the past week, caused by the advent of the holidays and the taking of the inventory by the dealers, but a light business at this time was desired by the manufacturers that they might wind up the year's business and see in just what position they were to take care of the spring trade. Inventories are not yet complete, and so the figures showing stocks on hand January 1 are not obtainable, but it is safe to assume that stocks in the Mississippi and Wisconsin valleys taken together are not less than 13 per cent. under those on January 1, 1901. This is taking stocks as a whole, including both the higher and lower grades. The percentage of shortage in the higher grades is very scarce, and, as stated muny times, the shortage will become more pronounced each week. Siding, finishing, boards, fencing, timbers, dimension, lath, shingles are among the most prominent on the "scarce" list.

The past year has been a memorable one for the lumber industry. In the territory tributary to this market building operations were never so active, and the manufacturers have been taxed to their utmost to supply the demand. The country was never in more prosperous condition, and people have spent and are spending their money freely. The net profits to the farmers, who are large users of lumber, from their crops, are much larger than was first supposed, the extremely large prices they are receiving for their products more than making up for any shrinkage in the size of the crops. All this points to a heavy demand during the present year.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

Following is the result of an auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, Eng., on December 18th:

Pine—Ex. Mount Royal, from Quebec—6-11 ft. 1 x 5 in. unassorted red, £5 per standard. Ex. Montreal from Montreal—12-14 ft. 3 x 11 in. third quality, £13 5s. Ex. Andoni, from Montreal—12 ft. 3 x 11 in. third quality, £12 15s; 13 ft. 3 x 11, £12 15s; 16 ft. 3 x 11, £12 10s; 15-16 ft. 3 x 11, £12 10s; 14-15 ft. 3 x 11, £12 10s.

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Waney pine	361,488	"	"
Red pine	78,084	"	"
Oak	126,874	"	"
Elm	594,022	"	"
Ash	25,320	"	"
Birch	7,721	"	"

PURCHASE OF TIMBER LIMITS.

It is announced that Harry Patton, of Albany, and F. C. Smith, of New York, have secured options on 65,000 acres of lands in the vicinity of Sherbrooke, N. S. It is also stated that H. Freeman has sold his timber limits, comprising 45,000 acres, to the same parties, at a price of about $100,000, and that negotiations are on foot for the purchase of the Gaspereaux lands of S. P. Benjamin & Company, of Wolfville, N. S. The object is to consolidate all these properties under one management, and in addition to lumbering operations, to establish pulp and paper mills.

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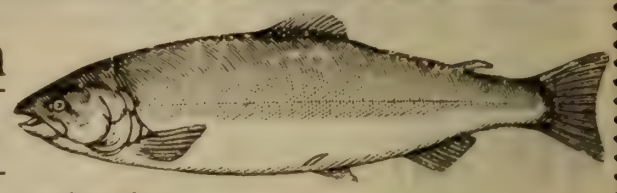

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1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
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1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.		16 00
2x10 common		17 00
2x12 common		17 50
3x10 common		17 00
3x12 common		17 50
1x10 and 12 common.	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding mill run	16 50	17 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	16 50	17 50
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1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
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1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 00
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1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 75
X white pine shingles		75
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	1 65	1 75
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Ash, M. R., 1 to 2		17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.		18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 "	8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in		21 00	24 00
1½ to 2		20 00	22 00
" m. r. 1 "	1¼	17 00	18 00
Butternut 1 "	1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 "	3	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 "	2	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 "	1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	3	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½"	2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1		1½	18 00	19 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "		4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "		1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "		4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "		1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "		4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "		2	60 00	65 00
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Lath per M No. 1	2 25	2 75
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xx Cedar shingles, 18".	1 40	1 75
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Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
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In shipping order, " " "	26	30

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ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "	32	

DEALS.

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$63 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$58 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	63 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	58 00
2½ and 3 in.	68 00	2½ and 3 in.	63 co
4 in.	70 00	4 in.	68 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	46 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	49 00	4 in.	60 co
2in.	49 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	32 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	48 co
1¼ and 1½ in.	44 co	4 in.	53 00
2in.	44 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1½ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	38 00
6 in. wide	43 00	6 in. wide	43 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	36 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	38 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	45 00	in., 6 in. wide	43 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	27 00	No. 2, 9 in.	19 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	19 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	17 50
No. 2, 12 in.	23 00	9 in.	17 50
10 in.	20 00	8 in.	17 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 co	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	16 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	28 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	28 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	28 00	1¼, 1½ and in., 8in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

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PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$70	1x12 inch shippers	$ $21
2½ in.	70 7	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	23
1 to 2 in.	63 65	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 inch uppers	70 72	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	62 65	10-in. common	18
1 to 2 in.	55 57	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	55 57	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in.	45 48	No. 1 barn, 1x12	25 26
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	30 40	1x10	23 24
No. 2	25 30	1x8	21 22
No. 3	21 26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	38 40	1x10	21
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28 30	1x8	20
Stained saps	25 30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	25 28
Bracket plank	30 35	" " 2 inch	28 30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow	23	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers	19 20		

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Pine	$3 00	$3 25	Spruce $3 0 $3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 0	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼x10 and 12	35
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2½ and 3 in.	63 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	38 co 40 00
4 in.	67 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	47 00	No. 2 Mou ding S. rips, 1 to 2 in.	28 0 3- 10
1¼ and 1½ in.	49 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	28 00
2 in.	50 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	60 00	No. 2, 10 in.	21 co
4 in.	62 co	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	36 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 0
1¼ and 1½ in.	46 00	No. 3, 12 in.	20 00
No. 2, 1 in.	22 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 oc
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	35 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 0 17 5-
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	26 00	1 x 13 in a d up	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50 18 00
		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 00 14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	35 00	37 00
1¼ to 2 in.	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard, 6 in.	18 co	20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	17 00	19 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There has been little change in the white pine situation during the past week. Manufacturers find that the stocks with which they went into the winter are gradually being reduced by a considerable car trade, and if there was a better assortment of grades a still larger trade would be done. It is almost impossible to find certain sizes in the upper grades. Manufacturers in the Georgian Bay district are looking forward to a large demand from the United States during the spring months, as Michigan Dealers are likely to be heavy purchasers. In the Ottawa valley district the market is equally strong. Trade is quite active for this season of the year, and the scarcity of stock has brought about an advance in the price of pine sidings and strips. Fewer inquiries are being received for lath and shingles, but recent prices have been well maintained.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Manufacturers of spruce lumber are maintaining a firm attitude and are showing no disposition to close contracts for the coming season's production except at what they consider a reasonable figure. The market for clapboards is exceptionally strong. The supply is short, and prices have advanced at Boston within the past week fully $2 per thousand. Cedar shingles are unchanged, but it is significant that the recent advances have been easily maintained. The annual Miramichi Wood Trade Circular has been issued by the J. B. Snowball Company, but we notice that no figures are given of the wintering stocks. The total export of the province was the smallest since 1896 and shows a falling off of 45,000 standards as compared with 1900. The port of Miramichi shows an increase of 3,500 standards, but it is stated that this is more than covered by the reduction in the wintering stock. The shipments from Nova Scotia ports were less than the previous year, with the exception of Halifax.

UNITED STATES.

The developments of the past week in United States lumber circles have been of more than usual interest and have served to emphasize the optimistic feeling which has prevailed for some time. The action of the white pine manufacturers in advancing price has been followed by the manufacturers of the south. At a meeting of the price list committee of the Southern Lumber Manufacturers' Association held last week it was decided to advance the prices of yellow pine lumber, as it was shown that there is a shortage of upper grades and no large supply of the poorer qualities. The upper grades were consequently advanced $2 per thousand, and dimension timber 50 cents per thousand. There was a disposition to make the advance on the latter grade $1, but the desirability of keeping the price of dimension where it would not retard consumption was urged against this step. A statement from thirty of the largest mills showed the stock on hand January 1 to be 36,000,000 feet less than one year ago. Michigan dealers in white pine have obliged to advance their prices, as will be seen by our price list. Some dealers question whether this advance can be maintained. The most favorable feature of the week is found in the statement of the white pine product of the Northwest, including Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The total cut of pine lumber in these states in 1901 was 5,372,380,000 feet, a decrease of about 100,000,000 feet as compared with the previous year. The stocks on hand December 1 last were 2,310,476,000 feet, a decrease of over 500,000,000 feet as compared with the previous year and the smallest quantity at a corresponding date in the history of the trade. Taking stocks and product into consideration, the year shows a disposition of about 666,000,000 feet of lumber more than in 1900. The production of shingles in the same territory was 2,476,684,000, practically the same as the previous year, whereas the stock on hand December 1 was 348,545,000, as compared with 649,000,000 in 1900 and 694,000,000 in 1899. Of lath the production was 1,300,000,000, which varies little from the previous year, while the stock on hand was 386,000,000, a decrease of 40,000,000. The cut of hemlock lumber was 1,264,943,000 ft. and the stock on hand 574,407,000 ft. While the production was increased by 98,000,000 feet, the stock on hand shows a decrease of 47,000,000 feet. A study of the above figures leads to the conclusion that the present prices of lumber will be maintained and probably advanced this year.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The course of the British timber market is still surrounded by uncertainty. Importers seem afraid to venture upon new business until they are better able to foresee the extent of consumption. Some buying has been done, confined chiefly to small lots. Some ground for encouragement is found in the fact that the deliveries from the public docks in London during the past year exceeded those of 1900 by some 40,000 standards, of which 35,000 standards were sawn timber and 5,000 standards prepared boards. The supply has thus been reduced to an average quantity, and with a continuation of the present satisfactory state of consumption, the year should witness a substantial advance in the price of lumber. Spruce deals show a remarkable shortage at several importing centres. It is said that a lot consisting of about 60 per cent. 3x7 and 3x8 has been sold at £7 15s per standard c. i. f. Liverpool. These prices are not high when it is considered that $13 per thousand is being asked for deals f. o. b. St. John, N. B. The stock of pine deals is being worked off gradually. Present quotations show that the price of best quality deals, as compared with one year ago, has continued firm, but that there has been a loss of upwards of £1 per standard in second, third and fourth quality. Red pine has also suffered during the year to the extent of about £2 per standard. Waney and square pine occupy a strong position, and are selling at 5 shillings and 2 shillings per standard respectively higher than one year ago.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

The opening weeks of the new year see the local lumber dealers looking forward in pleasurable anticipation to the good things that 1902 has in store for them. While very little business is being transacted at present, the prospects are bright, even roseate. The demand is active and the supply short in the principal grades of good lumber. Prices have advanced accordingly. Good pine sidings, which ranged from $31 to $42, have advanced, and figures run as high as $45. Good strips, previously quoted at $26 to $32, now range from $30 to $35. Pine No. 1 dressing sidings, that sold as low as $18 a few weeks ago, now bring from $20 to $24. Even at these figures it is hard to fill orders, and impossible in many cases.

Mr. Thomas F. Elmitt, of the firm of Hurdman & Elmitt, who has just returned from a trip through the States, speaks very favorably of the prospects for Canadian lumber. Dealers who previously saw no further than Michigan are now looking towards Canada for supplies. The standing timber in Michigan has become practically a thing of the past, and now it is the turn of the Canadians to supply the demand.

In the southern states which Mr. Elmitt visited, there is not as good an opening for Canadian lumber, for the reason that the cheaper grades of lumber with which these states are stocked fill the bill.

Reports from the limits in which Ottawans are interested are brighter as the natural conditions have improved. The prospects for a fair-sized cut are good.

Ottawa, January 11th, 1902.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue :

From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Alcides, for Glasgow, Scotland, 359,658 ft. deals, etc., value $2,876. Str. Manchester City, for Manchester, England, 323,145 ft. deals, value $2,680.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Evangeline, for London, 84,796 ft. deals, 935 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay ; 1,017 bales pulp, by St. John Pulp Co.; 103,351 ft. deals, 15,678 ft. ends, by George McKean. Str. Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 500 bales pulp, by St. John Pulp Co.; 559,792 ft. deals, 19,644 ft. ends, 24,060 ft. boards, 2,594 ft. scantling, 195,584 ft. planks, 34,169 feet ends, by W. M Mackay ; 1,170 box shooks, 1,606 bales pulp, 216 pcs. birch squares, 4,140 birch poles, by William Thomson & Co. Str. Numidian, for Liverpool, 284,238 ft. deals, 118 ft. scantling, 13,487 ft. ends, by George McKean ; 297 pcs. oak lumber, by William Thomson & Co. Str. Lake Ontario, for Liverpool, 1,858 doors, 500,000 ft. deals, 2,178 ft. boards, 1,000 bales pulp, by Troop & Son ; 135 tons birch, by W. M. Mackay. Schr. Onward, for Salem, 132,814 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Ravola, for New York, 480 pcs. piling, by J. Holly & Son. Schr. Rebecca W. Huddell, for New Bedford, Mass., 203,731 ft. plank, 576,000 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

The annual timber circular of Calder, Henderson & Livingston reviews Canadian woods as follows :

WHITE PINE—WANEY—The import has been light, and as there has been a steady demand throughout the year it leaves an exceedingly small stock to be carried over. First class wood has been in demand, and there has also been a good inquiry for second class. Prices have advanced and are strong at a high level. First class wood of long average is quoted at 3s 3d to 3s 6d, and short girthy wood at 2s 9d to 3s. Second class, at 2s 3d to 2s 8d per c. ft. Square.—The demand has been fair, but the quantity imported has been ample so that the stock carried over shows an increase as compared with this date last year. First class wood is quoted at 2s 5d to 2s 8d for 35 to 45 feet average. G.F.A. at 22d to 2s 2d per c. ft.

RED PINE.—The import has been small but ample for all requirements. First class wood only is inquired for and it has been selling at from 1s 9d to 2s 3d per c. ft.

ELM.—There has been a good demand. The import has been heavy, but as it consisted largely of grey wood any parcels of really prime rock elm were readily taken up at full prices. Quotations are as follows :—Rock elm, 40 to 50 feet average, 2s 9d to 3s; grey elm 50 feet average, around 2s per c. ft.

OAK.—There was an average import, and the demand was good. The stock carried over shows a heavy decrease and is firmly held at from 3s to 3s 3d per c. ft. for first class. Second class wood is quoted at 2s 2d to 2s 6d per c. ft.

ASH.—There has been an average import, but the demand has been exceedingly slow, so that stocks now are heavy and prices weak. Quotations are at 22d to 2s 3d for 14 to 15 inch average.

BIRCH.—Early in the year there was a good demand and prices were high, but with the opening of the St. Lawrence too much came on the market. Prices then fell away and have not yet recovered. 16 inch average is quoted at 18d to 20d per c. ft.

DEALS, BATTENS AND BOARDS. — The year opened with stocks at a low level and an average business was done at fair prices in the first six months. When the earlier imports of pine deals from the St. Lawrence came to hand it was seen that it would be a matter of difficulty to carry through transactions at shippers' ideas on account of the lower standard of quality following on the new classification adopted by Canadian cullers. The bulk of the imports found their way to store, and it was well on in the year before buyers purchased freely. In August freights receded to the lowest quotations on record, and this fact stimulated shipments for a short time. Prices fell in sympathy. It was only in the last quarter that buyers became alive to the fact that the import over all was short. Extensive buying then took place, and we finish the year with our market very bare. PINE—Firsts—The import has been a light one and the stocks are now low. Prices have risen to a material extent. Broad firsts are quoted at from £26 2s 6d to £28 17s 6d per standard. Undersized deals, £18 10s to £20 12s 6d. Good sidings, 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch, 11 to 12 inch average, £20 to £22. Strips, 5 to 7 inch, £16 10s to £18 10s. Seconds—These are not in great demand, but a fair amount of business has been done in them. Broad deals are quoted at £18 10s to £20 10s per standard. 11 inch at £16 10s to £18 10s, and undersized at £12 7s 6d to £14. Thirds—There has been a steady demand throughout the year. Quotations are now as follows :—Broads, £13 15s to £16, 11 inch £11 10s to £12 7s 6d. Undersized, £10 5s to to £11 per standard. Fourths—The import has been low but there has not been a great demand. 11 inch have been selling at from £8 to 18s 9d to £9 5s. Narrows at £8 5s to £9 per standard.

RED PINE.—The stock at the beginning of the year was slightly above the average, but prices continued firm until the opening of navigation, when in sympathy with Baltic they fell to a very low level. Quotations are at from £8 to £10 5s, according to quality and specification. A tendency is towards higher prices, but the stock is much too large. SPRUCE.—The import has been an average one but was largely on

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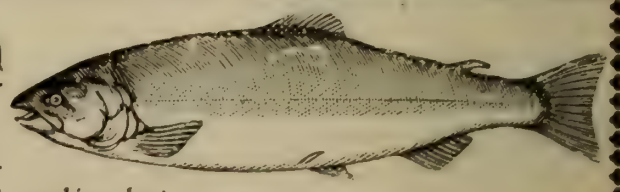

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Birch, M. R., 1 in.		18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	2..	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 "	8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in		21 00	24 00
1½ to 2		20 00	22 00
" m. r.	1 " 1¼	17 00	18 00
Butternut	1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
"	2 " 3..	25 00	28 00
Chestnut	1 " 2..	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4..	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3..	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3..	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2..	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1	1½ 18 00	19 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4..	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4..	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4..	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2..	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 " 3..	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2..	24 00	28 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings, per M feet, b.m	$31 00	45 00
Pine, good strips,	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts,	22 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b.m	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips,	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 2 dressing shorts,	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s.c. and better stock,	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s.c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 & up s.c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s.c. strips	12 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 "		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath per M No. 1	2 25	2 75
Lath per M No. 2	2 00	2 25
xx Cedar shingles, 18"	1 40	1 75
Cedar Shingles, Clear Butt	2 00	2 35
Cedar Shingles, xxx	2 50	2 75
xx Pine Shingles	1 10	1 25
Pine Shingles, Clear Butts	1 60	1 75
xxxx Pine Shingles	2 75	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	39	50
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	45	55
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$65 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$60 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in	65 00	1¼, 1½ and in	60 00
2½ and 3 in	68 00	2½ and 3 in	65 00
4 in	75 00	4 in	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	47 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	4 in	65 00
2 in	50 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in	45 00	4 in	55 00
2 in	46 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	40 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in	27 00	No. 2, 9 in	21 00
10 in	23 00	8 and 7 in	20 00
9 in	21 00	No. 3, 12 in	19 50
8 and 7 in	22 00	10 in	18 00
No. 2, 12 in	23 00	9 in	18 00
10 in	21 00	8 in	18 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and in., 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$70	$72	
2½ in	70	7	
1 to 2 in	63	65	
4 inch uppers	70	72	
Selects, 2½ in up	62	65	
1 to 2 in	55	57	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	55	57	
1 to 2 in	45	48	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	30	40	
No. 2	25	30	
No. 3	21	26	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	38	40	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	28	30	
Stained saps	25	30	
Bracket plank	30	35	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow		23	
1x10 inch shippers	19	20	
1x12 inch shippers	$	$21	
4/4 inch " 13" & up		23	
4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17	18	
10-in. dressing and better	28	30	
10-in. common		18	
12-in. dressing and better	32	34	
Common, 1x12		19	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	25	26	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	21	22	
No. 2 barn, 1x12		23	
1x10		21	
1x8		20	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	25	28	
" " 2 inch	28	30	
Dressing	26	32	
Common		20	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	$3 25	Spruce $3 0 $3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 0	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 4 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	68 00	1¼x10 and 12	35
2½ and 3 in	72 00	1½ in	34 50
4 in	75 00	2 in	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in	60 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in	38 50
2½ and 3 in	63 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	38 00 40 00
4 in	67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in	28 00 32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	47 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in	28 00
1¼ and 1½ in	49 00	6, 8 and 10 in	23 00
2 in	50 00	No. 2, 10 in	21 00
3 in	60 00	No. 2, 12 in	24 00
4 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	36 00	No. 3, 12 in	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in	46 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in	22 00	1 x 6 to 12 in	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	35 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	26 00	1¼ and 1½ in	17 50 18 00
Dressing 1¼ in	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	14 00 14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in	35 00	37
1¼ to 2 in	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00	21
			Com. and culls	13 00	15

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard, 6 in.	18 00	20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in. & up,	17 00	19 00

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OF

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Prefer a man not over 40 years old. An excellent salary and steady employment to the right man.

Apply "Shingle," care this paper, for further particulars.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

It would be hard to conceive of more satisfactory conditions than those which prevail in the white pine trade of Ontario. Manufacturers who have any stock of the upper grades are in a position to fix their own prices, knowing that if these prices are not accepted by the buyer, the probablity is that higher prices will be realized before spring. Numerous inquiries are being received from the Eastern States for small lots of stock, apparently for evening-up purposes, while there is a disposition on the part of dealers to contract for the coming season's cut that is not often exhibited at this season of the year. Building operations in the leading cities of the province are likely to be of a satisfactory volume, and better prices for building lumber are expected. It is a question, however, whether it would be in the interest of the lumber trade that there should be a marked advance in the price of lumber, as it might restrict the volume of building. A satisfactory car trade in hardwoods is reported, with prices stiffening in a moderate degree. The returns from the production of hardwood lumber last year were not very satisfactory. This has caused some manufacturers to turn their attention to pine and hemlock, and the production of hardwoods during the coming sawing season promises to be very light.

There are practically no shingles on the market, and if the demand was more active, a sharp advance in prices would be experienced. Lath is more plentiful than shingles, although by no means in large supply. Prices remain steady.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

It is learned that the total stock of spruce deals wintering at the port of Quebec is slightly below 7,000,000 feet. At the close of 190 the wintering stock was 25,000,000 feet. These figures confirm the prediction that was made by some shippers early in the fall that the wintering stock would be exceptionally small. The condition of the spruce market is, on the whole, very satisfactory. and it is the opinion of the trade that the spring will witness considerable activity and a strong demand. Inquiries are being received by manufacturers almost daily for spruce clapboards, the supply in the Eastern States having become short. On Boston rate of freight they are selling at $35 to $3 for extra spruce, and $33 to $34 for clea Shingles remain firm on the basis of th previous quotation of $3.25 to $3.35 f extras.

UNITED STATES.

An indication of the trend of whi pine prices is found in the heavy buyin for future delivery that has taken pla in the Lake Superior district. The co ditions so strongly favor higher pric that dealers and consumers are satisfie that they will make no serious mistal by buying at the present market pric A sale was made at Duluth last week 4,000,000 feet of No. 3 and better at $1 or about $2.50 per thousand more tha the same company realized for its lumb one year ago. There is a decide shortage in dry lumber, and those wh have stock on hand have no difficul in disposing of it at their own figures. Buffalo and Tonawanda a large busine is doing. Uppers have advanced durin the past two months fully $3 per thousar selects $4, and fine common and No. cuts $2. There has been no advance barn boards and box lumber, althoug these have shown more strength of la and may follow in the path of the high grades as soon as the spring deman develops. As far as can be estimate the volume of building this year will b heavy, as the architects universally a busy. Logging conditions in the whit pine district have been favorable, a though a greater supply of snow woul facilitate hauling.

A steady improvement in both deman and inquiry for hardwood lumber i reported. The cautious buying polic that has been pursued by factories ha brought their stocks down to a poin where they must be replenished. Mapl is likely to improve, since Michiga manufacturers have taken united actio towards obtaining a more remunerativ price. Black ash is in good demand an some elm and basswood is moving though prices of the latter show n improvement.

GREAT BRITAIN.

British importers are pursuing a cautious policy, and while there ha been increased activity since the first o the year, the feeling seems to be strongl in favor of a very gradual recovery rather than a sharp advance in prices At the recent auction sales Canadian pine and spruce showed a distinct im provement. Second quality Quebe

spruce brought £9 5s for 3x9 inch and third quality £9 5s. Third quality battens also sold well at £7 15s for 3x8 and £7 10s for 3x7. For best quality pine deals as high as $28 per standard has been realized by private sale, the supply being comparatively light. Prices of second and third qualities are less firm and the stock heavier. Red pine deals have recovered to some extent. During the summer months 9 inch sold as low as £8 5s per standard, whereas the current quotation is about £10. In timber, waney pine is in light supply and selling at advanced prices, while elm and ash are held in large quantities and are slow of sale.

The annual timber circular of Churchill & Sim furnishes interesting statistics of the import of timber into the United Kingdom during the past seven years. The quantity of Colonial deals and battens imported last year was the ssince 1896. The total quantity of timber imported from all countries was 9,193,934 loads, a decrease of 700,000 loads as compared with 1900, and of 250,000 loads as compared with 1889. No complete figures of the stock on hand are obtainable, but the public docks in London show a decrease in deals and battens of 1,600,000 pieces. The figures of London consumption make a very satisfactory showing, being 60,000,000 pieces in 1901, as against 55,000,000 pieces in the previous year.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The schooner Congo is loading lumber at Weymouth, N. S., for Buenos Ayres.

George Morrow, of Murillo, Ont., has just commenced work on a contract to get out 30,000 ties.

Dickey & McGrath, Tucket, N.S., shipped 12,000,000 feet of deals last year, and will operate about as extensively this season.

W. H. Crowe, of Welland, Ont., has purchased 250,000 feet of pine and hemlock lumber from John Goodwillie.

Milne & Plott have sold their timber limits and saw mill at Jack Lake to William Train, of Burk's Falls.

Mr. Collwell is taking out 2,000,000 feet of logs in the vicinity of Jerusalem, N. B., which have been sold to Andre, Cushing & Company, of St. John.

At a meeting of the shingle manufacturers held in Seattle, Wash., on January 15th, prices of red cedar shingles were advanced to $3 for Clears, $2.55 for Stars, and $1.90 for Standards on 50-cent rate.

The government of British Columbia is asking for tenders up to February 1st for a license to cut timber on a timber limit situated north of the Strait of Georgia and west of Howe Sound, and containing 14 square miles.

C. J. Willis & Company, of Sackville, N.B., have been given a contract to supply 65,000 ties for the electric railway to be constructed in Sydney, N.S., by the Cape Breton Eleciric Company. Col. Granger, of Beechmont, N.S., will supply 10,000 ties for the same purpose.

Prices quoted by jobbers at Buffalo continue on a basis of $7.75 to $8 for elm flour barrel staves, 5 1-2 to 5 3-4 cents for basswood heading, and $8.50 to $8.75 for 6-foot coiled hoops. Tight stock is quiet, with tierce staves $30, hoops $14 and heading 10 cents.

The following shipments of lumber were made from the port of Pictou, N. S., last year: W. M. MacKay, 423,000 feet; P. A. & J. D. McGregor, 1,259,000 feet; Primrose Bros., 1,179,000 feet; Rood & McGregor, 1,059,000 feet; Geo. MacKay, 3,075,000 feet; W. J. Kent, 796,000 feet.

Two lumber-laden vessels which sailed recently from Vancouver, B.C., are reported to have put into Honlulu in distress. The American barque Benjamin Sewell loaded at Moodyville and cleared for Sydney, Australia, on December 29th. The barque Hesper was bound for Fremantle, Western Australia.

A Detroit company who owns St. Ignace and other Islands in Nipegon Straits is about to commence the cutting of the timber. It is estimated that the land contains 500,000 cords of woods, of which 440,000 cords is spruce. The intention is to cut about 10,000 cords this season. The manager of the company is J. S. Bishop, of Detroit, who will make his headquarters in Port Arthur.

The Cleveland Saw Mill & Lumber Company last week sold to Ralph Gray its entire stock of lumber at Cleveland, consisting of white pine, Norway, hemlock, fir and yellow pine, in all about 14,500,000 feet. The company also sold to W. S. Olds, of Cheboygan, Mich., its remaining pine holdings, comprising about 10,000,000 feet, located on the shore of lake Michigan. The consideration for the latter was $40,000.

Joseph Walsh, late of the Delta Lumber Company, Detroit, is this winter taking out 1,000,000 feet of spruce logs and 1,000.000 feet of pine logs which will be watered in Lake Joseph and go down the Moon river to Georgian Bay; also 2,500,000 feet of pine logs which will come out of the Seguin river. The timber being cut on deeded lands, will be exported to the United States. Mr. Walsh is making his headquarters at Parry Sound.

Of the Barbadoes markets Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say: The only arrival of white pine and spruce is the "Elma" on December 23rd, with 227-000 feet spruce and 103,000 feet shippers and second quality pine. We sold the former at $18 round, boards 7 inches and up wide, 10 feet and up long, shippers quality; and the latter at $20 round, without deductions for shippers, and $17 for second quality. Other cargoes are on the way and the market is amply supplied. There have been no receipts of cedar shingles.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENT.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue:

From Halifax, N. S.: Steamer Grecian, for Liverpool, Eng., 1,094,578 feet deals etc., value $11,049. Str. Loughrigg Holme, Braw Head, England, 1,432,930 feet deals, etc., value $14,521. Str. Ionian, for Liverpool, 309,142 feet, value $2,960. Stu. Concordia, for Liverpool, 202,931 feet, value $2,013.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Ionian for Liverpool, 978,786 feet deals, 6,042 feet, scantling, 74,536 feet boards, 25,468 ends, 67,983 feet birch deals, 1,403 birch scantlings, 13,260 feet birch ends, by George McKean; 484 pcs. lumber, by Willlam Thompson & Co. Str. Concordia, for Glasgow, 141,200 feet pine deals, by J. B. Snowball Co.; 24,529 feet deals, 25,933 feet deals, 7,032 feet spruce deals, by A. Cushing & Co. Str. Forest Holme, for Cardiff, 49,870 pcs. deals, 3,871 pcs. deal ends, 3,117 pcs. scantling, 10,262 pcs. boards. Str. Manchester City, 47,429 feet birch plank, 3,682 feet birch ends, 983,216 feet spruce deals, 20,315 feet spruce scantling, 65,102 feet boards, 72,688 feet spruce ends, by W. M. Mackay. Sch. William Jones, for New York, 131,596 feet plank, 52,739 feet scantling, 5,495 feet deals, 529,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. John C. Cottingham, for Boston, 24,839 feet plank, 46,112 feet deals, 81,667 feet scantling, 90,947 feet boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

THE PINE OUTPUT.

According to the estimates received by the Department of Crown Lands from the timber agents, 808,000,000 feet board measure of pine logs will be cut in Ontario this winter. Last year the quantity was estimated at 700,000,000 feet, but proved to be only 630,000,000 feet. The chief increases this year are 50,000,000 feet in each of the Webbwood and Sault Ste. Marie districts. The cut in the various districts is estimated as follows:

Pine logs.—	Feet B. M.
Parry Sound	168,000,000
Webbwood	139,000,000
Pembroke	113,000,000
Sault Ste. Marie	110,000,000
Sudbury	100,000,000
Arnprior and Whitney	66,000,000
Rat Portage	35,000,000
Peterboro'	46,000,000
Biscotasing	15,000,000
Port Arthur	16,000,000
Total	808,000,000

FOR SALE.

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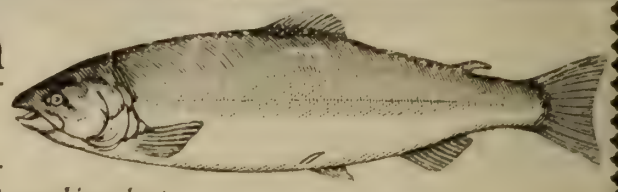

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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼, 1½ and 2 inch picks and uppers	36 00	38 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No. 2 cuts & better	$32 00	$34 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1 inch clear and picks	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.		16 00
2x10 common		17 00
2x12 common		17 50
3x10 common		17 00
3x12 common		17 50
1x10 and 12 common.	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding mill run	16 50	17 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	16 50	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 50	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		19 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 00
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 50
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 75
X white pine shingles		75
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts	1 65	1 75
XXX white pine shingles	2 60	2 70
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toro to		12 00

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.
Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$26 00	$28 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2	20 00	22 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	17 00	18 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	18 00	19 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings, per M feet, b.m	$31 00	45 00
Pine, good strips,	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts,	22 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b.m	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips,	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts,	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s.c. and better stock,	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s.c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 & up s.c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s.c strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 "		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath per M No. 1	2 25	2 75
Lath per M No. 2	2 00	2 25
xx Cedar shingles, 18"	1 40	1 75
Cedar Shingles, Clear Butt	2 00	2 35
Cedar Shingles, xxx	2 50	2 75
xx Pine Shingles	1 10	1 25
Pine Shingles, Clear Butts	1 60	1 75
xxxx Pine Shingles	2 75	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	39	50
" " " 19 to 21 inch average	45	55
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order,	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 n., 10 n. and up wide	$65 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$60 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	65 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	60 00
2½ and 3 in.	68 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	47 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	50 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	46 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	46 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x5 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	40 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1½in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	27 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	20 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide.	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up.	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and in., 8in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$70	$72	
2½ in.	70	7	
1 to 2 in.	63	65	
4 inch uppers	70	72	
Selects, 2½ in up	62	65	
1 to 2 in	55	57	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	55	57	
1 to 2 in	45	48	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	30	40	
No. 2	25	30	
No. 3	21	26	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	38	40	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	28	30	
Stained saps	25	30	
Bracket plank	30	35	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow		23	
1x12 inch shippers	19	20	
1x1 inch shippers	$	$21	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		23	
4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17	18	
10-in. dressing and better	28	30	
10-in. common		18	
12-in. dressing and better	32	34	
Common, 1x12		19	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	25	26	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	21	22	
No. 2 barn, 1x12		23	
1x10		21	
1x8		20	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	25	28	
" " 2 inch	28	30	
Dressing	26	32	
Common		20	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	$3 25	Spruce	$3 0	$3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.
(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼x10 and 12	35
2½ and 3 in.	72 00	1½ in.	34 00
4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 5
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	60 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	63 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	38 00	40 00
4 in.	67 00			
Fine common, 1 in.	47 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	28 00	32 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	49 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		28 00
2 in	50 00	6, 8 and 10 in		23 00
3 in.	60 00	No. 2, 10 in.		21 00
4 in	62 00	No. 2, 12 in.		24 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	36 00	No. 3, 10 in.		19 00
1¼ and 1½ in	46 00	No. 3, 12 in.		20 00
No. 2, 1 in.	22 00	Box, 1 x 4		15 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	36 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	26 00	1 x 13 in and up		18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50	18 00
		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 00	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	35 00	37
1¼ to 2 in.	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00	21
			Com. and culls	13 00	15

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.	18 00	20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	17 00	9 00

Plants name of good

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STEAM SAW MILL, KNOWN AS THE Pickard & Rowan mill, Owen Sound, with yard and water room for lumber and logs, Tramways with iron rails, Lumber Cars, Waggons, Carts, Offices, Large Stable, Booms, Etc., two Boilers, Gun Shot Feed Gauge Edger, Trimmer, Shingle Machine, Heading Machine, Etc., Etc. All in good working order. For particulars apply GODERICH LUMBER CO., Goderich.

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OF

VALUABLE TIMBER LIMITS

AND LANDS.

There will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Russell House, in the city of Ottawa, on

Wednesday, the 19th day of February, 1902,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, the Timber Berths and Properties owned by Mr. William Mackey, on the River Amable Du Fond, Province of Ontario. The limits are in one block containing 129¾ square miles, timbered with white and red pine of superior quality, spruce and other woods, and are well watered, making a very short average draw. Part of the block is still a virgin forest containing large board pine of the finest quality with a very short haul.

With above are included deeded lands on which are built slides and dams; and at Eauclaire station, Can. Pac. Ry., a well-equipped saw, planing and shingle mill run by water power.

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W. MACKEY.

Ottawa, 4th Dec., 1901.

SAW MAKER WANTS POSITION AS FILER, Band or Re-saws. Twelve years experience, factory, mill Refereuces as to character and ability. Address Box C, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

OPEN FOR ENGAGEMENT—FIRST-CLASS Sawyer with good portable saw mill. Mill capacity eight to ten thousand feet per day. Work guaranteed in hard and soft wood cutting. Apply GEO. A PATRICK, Delaware, Ont.

GOOD QUALITY PINE SAW LOGS WANTED, by mill situated on the Georgian Bay. State quantity, quality, average, price, when cut, and where logs can be seen. Address, Box 92, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—INCH BIRCH, STRICTLY 1s and 2s eight inches and up wide. Quote lowest price delivere on cars point of shipment. J. F. STENGEL, 990 Ellicott Square, Buffalo, N Y.

WANTED—TWO GOOD CIRCULAR SAWYERS, capable of sawing dimension timber. Capacity of mill 30 to 40 thousand per day. Address applications to the PEMBROKE LUMBER Co., Pembroke.

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One 54 inch double cant oscillating gang, Wm. Hamilton make, extra strong and in running order. Apply G. B., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

80,000 feet of one and two inch dry Ash and 30,000 feet of one and two inch dry Soft Elm for sale, also will have the same amount to cut this winter CHARLES QUERENGESSER, Brodhagen, P. O., Ont.

WANTED—WHITE BASSWOOD.

200,000 1 1/4 inch Winter sawn, End dried, Common and Better White Basswood, for delivery May, June and July next. Parties able to supply part or whole, address Box 34, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

Cedar Poles Wanted

A LARGE quantity of cedar telegraph poles wanted, 25 to 65 ft. long, 7 inch top, for early spring delivery. Quote price f o.b. cars point of shipment' Box 33, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

BOX SHOOKS WANTED.

We have large export orders for Box Shooks, principally in Spruce, for butter, candle and soap boxes Also Birch and Maple squares, chair-seats, etc. Apply for particulars to GELLIBRAND, HEYWOOD & Co., Cardiff, Wales, G. B. Payment cash.

FOR SALE.

VALUABLE SAW MILL PROPERTY ON Georgian Bay, in the Province of Ontario, situated at Town of Wiarton, and about 1900 acres of hardwood and hemlock timber-lands on Bruce Peninsula, together with railway sidings and docks. The Saw Mill is a new one, suitable for the manufacture of pine and hardwood lumber and lath, with excellent facilities for shipment by rail or water. The Saw Mill may be purchased with or without the timber lands.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

W. J. FERGUSON,
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WANTED

A steady, energetic, thoroughly experienced and competent man as foreman for a large shingle mill, equipped with Dunbar type of machine. Night and day capacity per year, 100 million.

Must be an expert on shingle saw filing and hammering, and thoroughly understand the Dunbar machine, and be able to do mill-wright work, know how to handle men, and write and figure fairly well. None but a strictly temperate man need apply.

Prefer a man not over 40 years old. An excellent salary and steady employment to the right man.

Apply "Shingle," care this paper, for further particulars.

WANTED—PART, OR THE ENTIRE CUT of a mill making first-class cedar shingles, to handle by the New England trade. Will advance 75 per cent. cash on receipt of each bill of lading. Can get the best market prices. Correspondence solicited. Address, IVERS P. LAWRENCE, Fitchburg, Mass.

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Large Tract of Timber

In Central Ontario

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This company has a large tract of well timbered land about 125 miles north-east of Toronto. There are large quantities of Cedar, Hemlock, Spruce, Balsam, Basswood, Cherrybirch, Maple, also considerable Pine, Elm and Ash on this tract. It is well served by two railroads, one of which is about to be extended through the centre of the property. The Company are prepared to sell this timber in blocks ranging from 5,000 to 10,000 acres, or more if desired.

There are several good mill sites on the property. This would be a good opportunity for parties who are at present cut out and looking for a new location.

Maps and plans and further particulars can be had by applying to

W. H. LOCKHART GORDON,
Managing Director,
157 Bay Street, Toronto.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

While the month of January is usually uneventful in respect to lumber transactions, the past month has witnessed a movement which has further strengthened the white pine market. Buying of the coming season's cut has been quite heavy and at figures invariably satisfactory to the seller. The purchase of lumber in the Ottawa district by a Chicago concern, as reported by our correspondent, is particularly significant as showing that the market for Canadian pine lumber is broadening, and that United States concerns find it advantageous to pay even the high prices which Canadian manufacturers are now asking, in addition to the import duty of two dollars per thousand feet. It is estimated that there is not over 25,000,000 feet of unsold lumber on the mill docks in the Georgian Bay district, and even this quantity is almost certain to find a buyer before spring. There is a firm market for logs which are held at $11 to $13 per thousand. A very small quantity is being cut this winter for export, as the operations for this purpose must be confined to deeded lands, on which the timber is mostly scattered.

An estimate furnished by Mr. Ralph Loveland of the expected output of the mills on the Georgian Bay is interesting and valuable, inasmuch as it shows a smaller cut than has been reported. The figures of the districts are:

	Feet.
Blind River	37,000,000
Cutler	31,000,000
John's Island	15,000,000
Spanish River	15,000,000
Victoria Harbor	25,000,000
Byng Inlet	40,000,000
Collingwood	30,000,000
Parry Sound	71,000,000
Midland	60,000,000
Waubushene	30,000,000
Little Current	70,000,000
Sarnia	25,000,000
Sandwich	25,000,000

According to this estimate the total is less than 500,000,000 feet, but it will be observed that it does not include the cut at French River and one or two other points.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market is firm, though quiet. It is anticipated that there will be a strong market in the spring, as the volume of building in the Eastern States is likely to call for a large quantity of rough lumber. This, it is thought, will offset any possible falling off in the demand from Great Britain. The winter cut of logs will not be greater in volume than usual, and may be slightly curtailed. White cedar shingles are still selling on the basis of $3.25 to $3.30 for extras on Boston rate of freight, with the demand a little more inactive.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

At the present time the chief interest of the lumber trade of the west centres in the movements affecting the trade of British Columbia. The Provincial Government have put into effect the law prohibiting the export of cedar logs, and British Columbia lumbermen expect to find a market for shingles in certain territory that was formerly supplied by United States manufacturers. The revised price list is also commanding some attention. Cedar shingles are quoted at $1.70 for No. 1, 6 to 2x16 inches, and $1.20 for No. 2 for all points west of Fort William, f. o. b. cars Vancouver. For all points east of Fort William the price is $1.55 and $1.05 respectively. Delivered prices are, of course, quoted in all cases, but the above figures are the basis from which delivered prices are made. The fifty cent. rate covers all points from Fort William west to and including Regina, also a number of the branch roads of Manitoba and the North-West, while the 75 cent. rate covers practically all of Ontario and the city of Montreal.

UNITED STATES.

Several small lots of white pine lumber are changing hands in the Lake Superior district. There is an activity and strength which augers well for a strong market during the early spring. In the Albany market cuts and better have advanced $2 a thousand, and some grades of common about $1 a thousand. Dealers there report that car trade has been exceptionally good this winter. Our Buffalo list this week shows a further

advance in the price of uppers and selects. The tone of the market there is the strongest that it has been since Christmas; orders and enquiries have increased materially. The lower grades are meeting with more inquiry and are likely to be advanced, a feature which gives much encouragement to the trade. The hardwood market is also enjoying a degree of activity. Elm, basswood and maple are selling very well.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British timber market has not yet made a decided move towards recovering from the recent depression. There has, it is true, been some improvement, but importers are pursuing a policy of precaution and cannot be induced to purchase excepting on a very moderate scale. It may be that there will be a gradual return of complete confidence, which in the end is probably most to be desired. Some of the largest importers predict that the market will be comparatively strong for the first six months of the year, but they seem very uncertain about the course of trade after that time. The curtailment in operations which has been decided upon in Norway and Sweden cannot but have a beneficial effect upon the market, and if the present line of policy is pursued, the import of timber into the United Kingdom this year will witness a further reduction. At recent auction sales buying has been quite active, stimulated no doubt by the higher prices which shippers are asking. Spruce prices have been fairly well maintained, with the exception of 3 x 7 stock, which is slightly lower at Bristol and Liverpool. The receipts of spruce deals by the regular liners from St. John and Halifax has had the effect of checking any further advance in prices. In London second quality 3 x 9 spruce is selling at £10 per standard, and third quality at £9 10s landed at the dock. Several contracts have recently been placed for birch squares, the price of which is about £7 10s per standard.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

A couple of weeks ago the Delta Lumber Company, of Detroit, disposed of their timber limit in Mackenzie township, on the Georgian Bay, to Messrs. Avery and Eddy, of Saginaw, and Glenn, of Duluth. It is reported that the consideration was in the neighborhood of $275,000. The Delta Lumber Company purchased this limit from the Holland & Emery Lumber Company in 1895. It comprises nine square miles, is a very desirable limit as to location, and can be lumbered very cheaply. It contains about 5,000-000 feet of red pine, the remainder being white pine.

The Victoria Harbor Lumber Company, Toronto, recently purchased the north half of Ferrie township from the Detroit Lumber Company. It comprises 40½ square miles, the pine of which has been mostly cut off, but there is a considerable quantity of hemlock and cedar.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Attention in the local lumber market is fixed on the future. Present dealings are few. The event of the midwinter business is found in the operations of the Edwin S. Hartwell Lumber Company, of Chicago. For several weeks past the western concern, one of the largest of its kind, has had a representative in Ottawa negotiating for the purchase of first class white pine lumber. He has made good use of his time, and has secured a large slice of the supply of Ottawa and neighbouring towns. The sales in the aggregate represent about $135,000 in money, and 7,500,000 feet in lumber.

Large purchases were made from J. R. Booth, Hull Lumber Company, Gillies Bros., of Braeside, McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, and Lemay & Company, Montreal. All the above stock, except that secured from the Hull Lumber Company, operating the Mason mill, has been shipped. The freight alone, at $5 per M, represented an expenditure of about $35,-000, and the duty at $2 per M another $15,000 The same firm has closed a contract for the 1902 cut of the Peters mill at Parry Sound. It secured the cut for 1901, about 20,000,000 feet, and the coming season it is estimated will find the saws quite as busy.

The lumber already shipped was sent by the Canada Atlantic and Grand Trunk Railways to Chicago. The opening of navigation, however, will probably see a change of route, as boat shipments can then be made from Parry Sound and Depot Harbor, the terminus of the Ottawa & Parry Sound branch of the C.A.R.

The Hartwell concern has large factories in Chicago, where the Canadian pine will be utilized. It is not at all unlikely that the firm will be a steady bidder in coming seasons for the product of the Ottawa and neighboring mills. It must have the lumber, as the supply of the Western States is becoming exhausted. Indications would seem to prove that the mill owner of the Ottawa district has in Chicago a market that will rival that of the Eastern States. This latest development of the trade has another interest for the lumber trade. The large purchase of high grade lumber by the Chicago concern has made a marked reduction in the available local supply of the better grades of white pine lumber. For this reason, coupled with the increasing local demand, prices are bound to continue firm, with every prospect of an advance. "Lumber is lumber nowadays" remarked a dealer recently, "and the man who is waiting for prices to ease has a long wait before him." On reliable authority it is learned that the cut of the McLachlin mill at Arnprior for 1902 has also been sold, making another marked reduction in future available stocks.

Unlike the British buyers, the Chicagoians have had no fault to find with the Ottawa sorting. The board lumber has been well selected and satisfactory in every sense to the western buyers. Hence it would not be surprising if early negotiations were closed for still more of the Ottawa mill cut of 1902.

The prevalence of smallpox of mild type in the lumber camps may have the effect of reducing the log cut on the limits this season. In several instances camps have had to be abandoned on account of lack of labor due to the ravages of the disease. In the Gatineau district the trouble is seen at its worst stage, and in the Black river and Coulonge districts W. C. Edwards & Company and Fraser & Company have experienced considerable trouble. The Parry Sound district is also affected and men are quitting work either on account of the disease or through fear of contracting it.

In the Parry Sound district, considerable trouble is being experienced on account of the lack of good solid sleighing. There is plenty of snow in the swamps but no bottom. The absence of frost early in the season has had its effect.

Mr. J. Williams, of the Parry Sound Lumber Company, has been in the city for several days arranging for the purchase and installation of new machinery in the mill. It is the intention to change it from a water to a steam mill. Circular and gang saws are to be taken out and two double-cutting saws and re-saw installed. The box factory which the company recently built will start operations soon on a large contract for boxes for a Canadian manufacturing house.

The death of Hon. R. R. Dobell was deeply regretted in local lumber circles. He, as head of the firm of Dobell, Beckett & Co., was a leading spirit in the British export business. The firm has a large office in the Capital.

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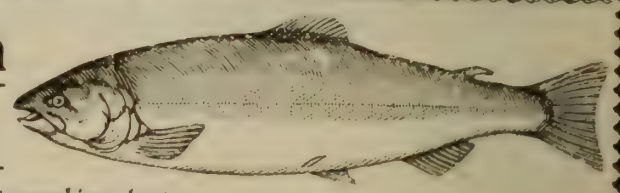

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1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1 inch clear and picks	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 00
2x10 common		17 00
2x12 common		17 50
3x10 common		17 00
3x12 common		17 50
1x10 and 12 common	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding mill run	16 50	17 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	16 50	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 50	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		19 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 00
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 50
⅜ inch Norway lath		2 75
X white pine shingles		75
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts	1 65	1 75
XXX white pine shingles	2 60	2 70
B C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
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Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$26 00	$28 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
" 1½ to 2	20 00	22 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	17 00	18 00
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" 2 " 3	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds, 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run, 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run, 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm rock, mill run, 1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run, 1½" 3	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds, 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds, 1 1½	18 00	19 00
Maple 1sts and 2nds, 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
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Walnut, 1sts and 2nds, 1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings, per M feet, b.m	$31 00	45 00
Pine, good strips	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts	22 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b.m	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 2 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s.c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s.c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 & up s.c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s.c. strips	12 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 "		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath per M No. 1	2 25	2 75
Lath per M No. 2	2 00	2 25
xx Cedar shingles, 18"	1 40	1 75
Cedar Shingles, Clear Butt	2 00	2 35
Cedar Shingles, xxx	2 50	2 75
xx Pine Shingles	1 10	1 35
Pine Shingles, Clear Butts	1 60	1 75
xxxx Pine Shingles	2 75	2 90

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	Cls.	Cls.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	39	50
" " 19 to 21 inch average	45	55
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average	45	55

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Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

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2½ and 3 in	68 00	2½ and 3 in	65 00
4 in	75 00	4 in	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	47 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	4 in	65 00
2in	50 00		

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1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in	46 00	4 in	55 00
2in	46 00		

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1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼ x 5 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	40 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

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No. 1, 12 in	27 00	No. 2, 9 in	21 00
10 in	23 00	8 and 7 in	20 00
9 in	21 00	No. 3, 12 in	19 50
8 and 7 in	22 00	10 in	18 00
No. 2, 12 in	23 00	9 in	18 00
10 in	21 00	8 in	18 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and in., 8in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$72	1x12 inch shippers	$21 $22
2½ in	71 74	4/4 inch " 13" & up	23 24
1 to 2 in	65 67	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 inch uppers	72 74	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	65 67	10-in. common	18 19
1 to 2 in	57 59	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	57 59	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in	45 50	No. 1 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32 42	1x10	24 25
No. 2	25 30	1x8	22 23
No. 3	21 26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23 24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	40 45	1x10	21 22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	28 30	1x8	20 21
Stained saps	25 30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	25 28
Bracket plank	30 35	" " 2 inch	28 30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow	23	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers	20		

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 00	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50 3 75	Hemlock	2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	68 00	70 00	1¼x10 and 12		35
2½ and 3 in	72 00	75 00	1½ in		34 50
4 in		75 00	2 in		36 5
Selects, 1 to 2 in	62 00	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in		38 50
2½ and 3 in	63 00	65 00	No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in	40 00	42 00
4 in		67 00			
Fine common, 1 in.		47 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in	28 00	32 00
1¼ and 1½ in		49 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in		28 00
2 in		50 00	6. 8 and 10 in		23 00
3 in		60 00	No. 2, 10 in		21 00
4 in		62 00	No. 2, 12 in		24 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	35 00	38 00	No. 3, 10 in		19 00
1¼ and 1½ in		46 00	No. 3, 12 in		20 00
No. 2, 1 in		22 00	Box, 1 x 4		15 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		35 00	1 x 6 to 12 in	17 00	17 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		26 00	1 x 13 in and up		18 00
Dressing 1¼ in		34 00	1¼ and 1½ in	17 50	18 00
			Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	14 00	14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in	35 00	37
1¼ to 2 in	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00	21
			Com. and culls	13 00	15

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.	18 00	20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	17 00	19 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The demand for lumber in Toronto is heavier than usual in midwinter, and prices generally are firm. It has seemed difficult to advance wholesale prices to the same extent as has been done at the mills, but the prevailing opinion is that there will be a moderate rise at least before spring. The outlook is regarded as very bright. Box lumber and mill culls are now being shipped in considerable quantities from Ontario to the Eastern states, Chicago and Michigan. Numerous inquiries are being received for stock for shipment as soon as navigation opens. Consumers of hardwoods are adding to their stock of raw material, apparently believing that it will not be possible to obtain hardwood lumber below present quotations for some time at least. Shingles are higher and sell wholesale in Toronto at $3 for XXX, $2 for XX, and $1 for X. The movemet of lath is light, but the tendency of prices is upwards, and as soon as there is an expansion in demand, quotations will immediately follow the advance which has been put into effect in the Lake Superior and Michigan districts.

The latest reports from the woods go to show that the log cut of the present season is to date behind the figures for the same period one year ago. Natural conditions are held responsible for the shortage.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Predictions are made that there will be a strong demand for spruce lumber during the current year. Building operations throughout the Maritime Provinces promise to be on an unusually large scale, while the projected harbor improvements at Montreal, Quebec and St. John will call for a considerable quantity of timber. The erection of large grain handling facilities at Quebec by Capt. Wolvin, of Duluth, is also an undertaking which will consume a considerable quantity of building material. The Eastern States are likely to purchase liberally, while it is probable that about the usual quantity of spruce deals will find a market in Great Britain. Altogether, manufacturers are disposed to anticipate a favorable season. Clapboards at the present time are the strongest feature of the market, selling at $35 for Boston delivery. Cedar shingles are unchanged at $3.25 to $3.30 for extras. Spruce lath is weaker, sales having been made for Boston at $2.90 for 1 5-8 inch.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber business is exceptionally good for this time of the year, with each day adding strength to the position of white pine. In the Lake Superior district the shortage in the supply is an important factor. Some dealers have already advanced the price of piece stuff and No. 1 boards, and it is expected that at the annual meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association on February 18th, the price list committee will decide upon an advance in the price of nearly all grades. The official price list of the Saginaw Lumber Dealer's Association, which took effect on January 20th last, shows an advance on pine stocks generally, the greatest increase being, of course, in the upper grades. White pine lath is now quoted by that association at $3.75 for No. 1 and $3.25 for No. 2. The supply is light and no person is endeavoring to force sales. The strength of lath is also shared by shingles. Dealers report that it is simply impossible to get shingles to fill orders. Hemlock lath are firm at $2.90 for No. 1, and $2.15 for No. 2, in car lots. A further improvement is reported in the tone of the hardwood market, and it is believed that within a short time there will be a decided change for the better in hardwood prices. The state of New York, in view of an active building season, is buying quite liberally.

Maple flooring has advanced in New York city $1 a thousand on clear, $2 on common, and $1 on factory.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The outlook for shippers of lumber to Great Britain is better than was expected a few weeks ago, although importers are not exhibiting much confidence in the year's operations. It is almost certain that the better grades of pine deals will find a market at remunerative prices. The course of the spruce market, however, is less certain, as it will depend largely upon the extent of imports into Great Britain from the Baltic. If these should prove unexpectedly large and greater than the market can absorb, a slump in spruce prices will likely result. Stocks in London, however, have become considerably reduced during the past two months. The peace proposals that have been made to the British Government are a hopeful sign, and although meeting with refusal, are regarded as indicating that negotiations for a settlement of the South African war will soon be under way.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The city engineer of St. John, N. B., has been instructed to invite tenders for the supply of 2,500 tons of timber for the building of a wharf.

The cooperage market at the present time is quiet. Buyers are not in the market to any extent. In Chicago pork barrels are offered at from 90 to 95 cents.

Mr. Kennedy, of North Brook, Ont., has taken out 20,000 cubic feet of board timber for Burton Bros., of Barrie. The timber was cut on the Drinkwater limits.

During the year 1901 Buffalo dealers imported from Canada 69,212,106 feet of lumber, 44,803,333 shingles, and 12,071,570 laths. These figures show a large increase over those of 1900, which were 43,562,741 feet of lumber, 23,360,400 shingles, and 3,151,400 laths.

In the Chicago market there are many items of white pine lumber that are exceptionally scarce. No. 1 and No. 2 12-inch boards in any length are difficult to get hold of, and everything over 16-foot in both Norway and white pine piece stuff is exceedingly scarce, also 2 x 12 and 3 x 12.

Hon. C. W. Robinson, Capt. Wright and F. C. Robinson, of Moncton, and C. S. Hickman, of Dorchester, N. B., have purchased the mills and 30,000 acres of timber lands from Gillespie Prescott, of Cumberland county, N. S. The property is situated near Shulee, and the purchase price is about $100,000.

McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, Ont., recently sold about 8,500,000 feet of 12-inch stock to the Shepard & Morse Company for shipment to South America. The cash equivalent was in the neighborhood of $150,000. Hostilities in the southern republics have interfered with the business for months past, but it is now recovering its former activity.

Mr. G. W. Campbell is understood to have entered into an agreement with the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, of New Westminster, B.C., to handle their entire output. This company is now buildling a mill on Coal Harbor, within the city limits of Vancouver.

The R. Laidlaw Lumber Company, of Toronto and Buffalo, are reported to have purchased the entire output of the Huntsville Lumber Company's mill for the coming season. This company have purchased largely in Ontario within the last two months.

The vessel Wetmore, loaded with lumber, recently became stranded at Tobermorey, Bruce county, Ont. The lumber was en route to Buffalo, being the property of Hurd & Hauenstein and Hurd Bros., of that city. It comprised about 2,000,000 feet, of which about four-fifths has been saved and is now offered for sale by the insurance agents.

The red shingle situation in Washington is marked by a steady improvement in prices. Clears are bringing about $1.85, and stars about $1.65. Stars are stronger in the market than clears, a reversal of the order prevailing near the close of last season. This is attributed to the fact that the poor market for stars which prevailed at that time caused many mills which had been cutting that grade to turn to clears, with the result that the stock of stars has been reduced.

Of the hardwood situation at Buffalo, N. Y., the American Lumberman says: Dealers find that the demand is improving and the supply is not only small, but is growing smaller right along. While New England is not buying as readily as it might, waiting for more favorable prices, New York State and City are quite in line and will have lumber if they can get it, whether the price is what they want or not, for the outlook is that this state is building as it never did before, taken as a whole, and will keep on building as long as general business may be good. What is going to be done for stock, especially oak, is hard to say. Some dealers, who used to be the standbys in that sort of lumber, say that they are very low in it, while others, who are very inclined to boast of their supply, admit that they are out of this or that, especially certain thick cuts. The demand is more general than it was and calls for all sorts and all cuts, but it will have to be satisfied with what there is. Prices are about as formerly, though some dealers are asking more for oak.

A market report from S. P. Musson, Son & Company, dated January 18th, contains the following reference to the Barbados lumber market: "Arrivals have been heavy, and dealers were so fully stocked that a decline was bound to take place, and if further arrivals occur, we shall probably see even lower prices. The arrivals have been the "Alexandria," from Weymouth, N. S., with 29,000 feet white pine, and 180,000 feet spruce; the W. F. Gordon, from Liverpool, N. S., with 50,000 feet shipping and 32,000 feet second quality white pine, 21,000 feet shipping spruce, and 41,000 feet hemlock; and the "Pilgrim," from Bridgewater, N. S., with 8,000 feet shipping and 50,000 feet second quality white pine and 45,000 feet shipping spruce. The former cargo was sold at $23.06 and $17.51 respectively for white pine; $20.36 for shipping, $16.26 for second quality spruce, and $16.87 for hemlock. The cargo of the latter sold at $23.06 and $17 respectively for white pine, and $19.75 for spruce. The "Trader," from Shelburne, arrived on January 12th with 109,000 feet white pine intended for Demarara, but owing to loose sails the vessel could not proceed there and the cargo was sold at $21 for shipping, and $16 for second quality. The cargo of the "Bertha Gray" from Tusket Wedge, N. S., brought $20.60, $16 and $20.05 respectively for white pine, $18.50 and $14 for spruce, and $14 for hemlock. No arrivals of shingles to note.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports, are reported since last issue:

From Annapolis, N. S.—Schr. Foster Rice, for Barbadoes, 225,000 feet lumber, by Pickles & Mills. Barque Alert, for Buenos Ayres, 637,500 feet lumber, by Pickles & Mills. Schr. Hattie P., for Barbadoes, 100,000 ft. lumber, by Clarke Bros.

From St. John, N. B.—Schr. H. A. Holder, for Boston, 53,538 feet plank, 21,382 feet scantling, 506,133 feet boards, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. G. H. Perry, for Boston, 64,373 feet plank, 67,408 feet scantling, 184,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Co. Str. Corinthian, for Liverpool, 208,094 feet deals, by W. M. Mackay; 526,450 feet spruce deals, 47,945 feet birch plank, 7,158 feet birch ends, by George McKean; 7,787 pieces deals and ends, by William Thomson Company. Str. Amarynthia, for Glasgow, 167 pieces oak lumber, by Schoffield & Co.; 1,200 bundles box shooks, 56087 feet spruce deals, 75,211 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Co.; 55,182 feet pine deals by J. B. Snowball & Co. Str. Bengore Head, for Belfast, Ireland, 70 tons birch timber, by Jarvis Wilson; 9,209 feet pine deals, 198,050 spruce deals, 883 maple blocks, by William Thompson & Co.; for Dublin, 95,647 feet deals, by George McKean.

From Halifax, N. S.—Schr. Nellie Louise, for New York, 173,521 feet lumber, value $2,110. Str. Corinthian, for Liverpool, 418,805 feet deals, etc., value $3,717. Str. Amarynthia, for Glasgow, 315,593 feet deals, value $3,043.

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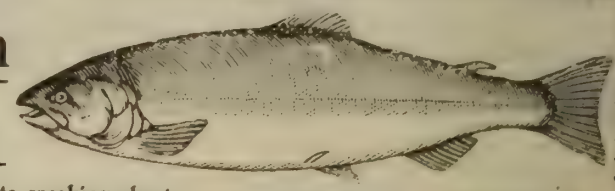

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2x12 common		17 50	1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 00
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3x12 common		17 50	1⅜ inch Norway lath	2 75
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16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

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1¼ and 1½ in	52 00	4 in	65 00
2in	52 00		

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1¼ and 1½ in	45 00	4 in	55 00
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9 in	21 00	No. 3, 12 in	19 50
8 and 7 in	22 00	10 in	18 00
No. 2, 12 in	23 00	9 in	18 00
10 in	21 00	8 in	18 00

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1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The stock lists that are being sent out by the manufacturers of pine lumber are a good indication of the position of the market. They show very clearly that there is practically no good lumber in mill yards that has not been contracted for, and that the stock of the lower grades is considerably broken and much lighter than when the mills closed down. There has been an exceptionally large winter demand, and when sawing operations are resumed the yards will be practically cleaned out. The buying of the coming season's production has been heavy. One manufacturer reports that all the dressing, cuts and better that he can manufacture this year has been contracted for at an advance of 10 per cent. over the prices of last spring. In individual cases the price of certain stock is being marked up. This is regarded as an evidence that further advances will be made by manufacturers as a whole in the near future. It is contended that the greater cost of provisions for both men and horses must result in increasing the value of lumber. Ottawa valley manufacturers, in addition to their usual British contracts, have made large sales of white pine to the United States. The market for red pine, however, is still heavy and uncertain owing to the large stocks held, but some relief will no doubt be afforded by the light operations in that timber this winter.

Implement and furniture manufacturers are reported to be buying more hardwood lumber than for some time past, and in some lines there has been a slight appreciation in values. Maple continues dull of sale and in large supply, but in the other classes of hardwoods stocks are not exceptionally heavy.

The shingle situation is extremely interesting at the present time. The stock list of a large Georgian Bay manufacturer shows that his supply of shingles has become completely exhausted. This is the case with many others, and it is a question where the supply for the spring trade is to be obtained. The Eastern States will this year depend more upon Canadian shingles than ever before, as the new product of Washington will not be ready for the market until late in the spring. Higher prices for both pine and cedar shingles seem evident between now and midsummer.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce market is holding its own, and while prices are not advancing it is believed that there will be an upward movement towards the opening of navigation. The Eastern States have taken so much spruce lumber that manufacturers feel less dependent upon the British market. A contract has been let within the past week for harbour improvements at Three Rivers, Quebec, estimated to cost $750,000. This work will call for a large quantity of timber, and will be commenced at the opening of navigation. Other important public works are to be carried out this year in Quebec province.

Very little chartering has as yet been done by shippers, although the present low rates should be an incentive to close contracts. It is said that arrangements have been made by Hon. J. B. Snowball, of Chatham, to ship a quantity of Miramichi deals by the Donaldson steamers which will sail from St. John, N B, during the remainder of the season to Glasgow.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Lumber prices in the British market have undergone no important change since the close of last year. In the better qualities of pine and spruce deals and in all grades of whitewood there has been a slight advance. Whitewood especially is finding a ready sale and is commanding ten shillings per standard more than it did in December. This has resulted in more liberal buying of spruce, the stock of which has become considerably reduced. First quality pine is low in stock and holders of broads are asking higher prices. Red pine deals in regular sizes are firm, but undersized are weak and selling about £1 lower than at the close of December. American pine doors have continued to improve in value, the latest advance being about three pence. Advices from Great Britain state that this upward tendency is likely to continue until prices reach a materially higher basis.

There has as yet been very little buying for the coming season, importers apparently preferring to wait further developments before contracting for their supply. Agents for spruce shippers are now going the rounds and are said to be asking an advance of 10 shillings per standard over last year's first-open-water prices, whereas buyers do not seem disposed to pay more than 3 shillings above the old figures consequently there is somewhat of a deadlock. The square timber market is firm with little doing.

UNITED STATES.

The advanced prices that are being asked for lumber in the Lake Superior district has apparently not retarded the demand, as the shipments from Minneapolis during January were greater than for the corresponding month of last year. Practically all the dry lumber at the head of the lakes is sold, also the greater portion of the cut of the coming summer. Buffalo concerns have recently bought heavily of good lumber at Duluth and Marinette. At Tonawanda the market is stronger than at any other time since the holidays, and prices have advanced slightly on certain grades. There is an exceptional demand for No. 1 cuts in 1½ and 2 inch. In Chicago, while the greatest demand is for No. 1 boards and strips, there is a strong request for No. 1 pine piece stuff and box lumber, at very satis-

factory prices. Eastern spruce is also stronger, owing to the scarcity, while there has been a material improvement in hemlock. At a meeting of the manufacturers of Wisconsin last week prices on nearly all items in the hemlock list were advanced on edollar per thousand, while at a recent meeting of Michigan producers higher prices were adopted as the basis of future sales. In Michigan there is a decided scarcity of 2 x 4 and 2 x 8 in 14 foot lengths, and for long stuff one dollar more for every additional foot over 16-foot is being obtained. At Bay City and Saginaw the base price for hemlock piece stuff is $11.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Huntsville Lumber Company, Huntsville, Ont., expect to cut 750,000 feet of deals for the British market market this year.

Smith Bros., of Central Blissville, Sunbury county, N.B., are getting out 2,000,000 feet of logs this winter for their mill on the South Branch.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company has sold 2,500,000 feet of white pine lumber for next season's delivery. The stock is to be manufactured at Sandwich, Ont.

Extensive lumbering operations are being carried on this winter in the eastern part of the province of Quebec. Price Bros. & Co. are making 125,000 logs on the St. Marguerite River, and 30,000 to 40,000 on the River aux Canards. The Saguenay Lumber Co., of Escoumains, is making over 125,000. Maurice Tremblay is getting out 50,000 to 60,000 on the Black River at St. Simeon, and H. R. Dougall about 100,000 on the Manicougan. A quantity of railway sleepers are also being made on the North Shore, especially at Mille Vaches, Port-Neuf and Laval.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Allison, Cousland & Co., in their monthly timber market report, dated 1st February, say:

There is little of importance to report during the past month. Saw millers report having had a good start, but sellers have been rather quiet. The stock of spruce and white pine is small, and there is a tendency toward higher values. An advance in price has also taken place in pitch pine, but the stock is still too large to warrant a continuance. Trade, however, cannot be said to be too promising, shipbuilding orders being very scarce, and other allied trades are only moderately employed.

White pine—Waney.—There is little change in the position of the market, what stock there is being very firmly held. Prices are little altered. Quotations.—1st class wood, 3s 6d to 3s 8d; 2nd class, 2s 2d to 2s 8d per c. ft. Square.—Little business is reported, but prices remain firm. Quotations.—45 to 50 feet average, 2s 8d to 3s 2d. G. F. A. wood, 2s to 2s 4d per c. ft.

Red pine.—No business is reported. Quotations.—1st class wood, 2s 1d to 2s 3d; 2nd class, 20d to 22d per c. ft.

Elm.—Business has become very quiet and stocks are heavy; there is a large percentage of grey and soft wood which is very difficult to dispose of.

Oak.—There has been a few small enquiries—long wood is scarce.

Ash.—Business has been a little more active, but there is no advance in prices. Quotations.—17d to 2s per c. ft. according to scantling.

Birch.—Business has been moderate and prices are steadier at about 2d over the inch.

Pine—Firsts—Are all very low in stock, and prices are good. Bread are quoted at £27 10s to £28 17s 6d. Undersized, £19 5s to £20 12s 6d per St. Pet. Std. Seconds.—There has been little business, but prices are firm. Quotations.—Broad and regulars, £19 5s to £22. Undersized, £13 15s to £15 2s 6d per S. Pd. Std. Thirds.—Have been in good request—the stock in first hands is now small. Quotations.—£12 7s 6d to £13 8s 1d for regulars. Undersized, £9 12s 6d to £10 6s 3d per St. Pet. Std. Fourths.—Stocks are light. Regulars are firm at £9 19s 4d to £10 6s 3d. Undersized, £8 5s to £8 18s 9d per St. Pet. Std.

Red Pine.—At present there is little demand, but prices for regulars are firm—oddments, however, are weaker in price. Quotations.—9 in. and up, £11 13s 9d to £13 13s. Oddments £7 4s 4d to £9 19s 4d per St. Pet. Std.

Quebec Spruce.—A brisk business has been done and prices are firm. Quotations.—£6 10s 7d to £8 18d 9d per St. Pet. Std.

N.B. Birch.—Logs are in moderate demand. Planks, however, are still very plentiful and prices are low.

N.B. Deals, Battens and Boards.—The stock is a small one, and with the low stock of 4th Quebec pine prices are well maintained.

N.B. Spruce.—Continues in good request, prices are inclined to be stiffer, present quotations being £6 10s 7d to £9 5s 7d per St. Petersburg standard.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The spruce lumber market continues firm, though it is still in the midst of the quiet season. It is possible that some lots of random might have to be sold a little below quotations, if shipped on to the market here with instructions to sell. Frames are very firm, though not specially agitated at this time. Prominent dealers look for high prices on spruce as soon as buying sets in: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9 inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19 to $19.50; 2x3, 2 x 4, 2 x 5, 2 x 6, 2 x 7 and 3 x 4, 10 feet and up, $16 to $16.50; all other randoms, 9 inch and under, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; 5 inch and up merchantable boards, $15 to $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock lumber is firmer, with Pennsylvania very firm: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet, $14 to $14 50 for good eastern; random, $13 to $13.50; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17; No. 2, $14.50.

White pine is in fair demand, with prices very firm: Uppers, 1 inch, $72 to $73; 2½ and 3 inch, $77.50; 4 inch, $82.50; selects, 1 to 1 1-2 inch, $66 to $67; 2 inch, $68 to $70; 2 1-2 to 3 inch, $73 to $76; 4-inch, $75 to $80; fine common, 1-inch, $55; 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 inch, $60; 2 inch, $55; 2 1-2 and 3 inch, $65 to $67; 4 inch, $70; barn boards, $23 to $32; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

There is a fair movement going on in hardwoods. Quotations are well sustained: Quartered oak, $56 to $65; fancy, $70 to $75; plain oak, $40 to $47; black ash, $40 to $50; white ash, $45 to $55; cherry, $90 to $130; maple, $32 to $40.

Shingles are scarce, with prices very firm at the advance. Washington red cedars are further advanced: Extra cedar, $3.25 to $3.30; clear, $2.85 to $2.95; second clear, $2.35 to $2.40; sap, $2.10 to $2.20; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.80; Washington and British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.45 to $3.50; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards are scarce and nominal, with prices very firm: Extra spruce, $35 to $36; clear, $33 to $34; second clear, $29 to $32; extra No. 1, $20 to $23; pine extra, $50 to $52; clear, $45 to $48; second clear, $40 to $42.

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The following prices were realized for Canadian deals, etc., at an auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, on January 29th:

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The statistical statement presented at the annual meeting of the Lumbermen's Association of Ontario last week illustrates very clearly the strong position of white pine lumber. Deducting the Rat Portage stock, which is marketed in Manitoba and the Territories, there was only 100,000,000 feet of unsold lumber at the mills in the Georgian Bay district on December 31st last. Since that time considerable shipments have been made by rail and it is probable that there is now little more than 50,000,000 feet of white pine in all grades that has not been contracted for. This quantity will be required before the new cut is in shipping condition, hence a shortage in white pine seems imminent. In the Ottawa Valley district also the stock is exceptionally light and the demand active. Notwithstanding this unprecedently strong position of the pine market, it is the opinion of manufacturers that it would not be in the interest of the industry to take advantage of the situation by advancing prices rapidly, as such a move would in all probability check the consumption and bring about the substitution of other and less expensive classes of lumber. The higher grades of pine may be further advanced, as these grades are in smaller supply than they have been for many years. Mill culls have lately shown considerable strength. The supply is less than one year ago, some manufacturers having been obliged to make purchases at other mills in order to supply their customers.

Sales of hemlock are being made at $9.50 at the mill, with higher prices for long lengths. In hardwoods the movement is about normal for midwinter. The market is firm, with an advancing tendency. In some districts the cut of hardwood logs this winter is not more than half that of last season, and this cannot but have a beneficial effect on prices.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Representatives of Quebec shippers are now in Great Britain canvassing the importers, and have so far met with fair success. It is understood that a considerable quantity of Quebec spruce has been placed at figures which are regarded as satisfactory. Exceptionally high prices are being asked for waney and square pine timber, the quantity of which is each year showing a decrease. The feeling of manufacturers and shippers is in favor of maintaining a firm price for Canadian stocks generally. New Brunswick cedar shingles are in good demand considering the season of the year. Sales of extras are being made at $2.40 at the mill, and clears at $1.90, the figures on Boston rate of freight being $3.30 for extras and $2.85 for clears.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber market in Manitoba and the North-West Territories is quiet but firm. The annual meeting of the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association was held in Winnipeg last week, at which it was shown that the business of the past year had been satisfactory. The outlook for this year is also good, although the prospect of a general demand by the building trades for higher wages is causing some anxiety, as it is feared that it may result in the postponement of some proposed building operations. Prices of British Columbia lumber and shingles are slightly stronger, with some improvement in demand. A strong effort is being made by the loggers of British Columbia to induce the Government to repeal the act prohibiting the export of timber from the province.

UNITED STATES.

Weather conditions in the United States seem to have had little effect upon the lumber market. The activity in the Eastern States is almost unprecedented for this season of the year. The preparations for building operations show that the season is likely to be an active one, and that lumber will be required in large quantities. Accordingly, eastern dealers have bought heavily in the Lake Superior district. Estimates of the quantity of the cut of the coming season that has been contracted for range from 50 to 75 per cent. of the total production. Consumers in white pine apparently do not expect any decline in prices, while on the other hand a further advance is talked of. There is a feeling, however, that if prices were put up much higher it might result in curtailing the demand. One particularly gratifying feature is the increasing demand for low grade pine, of which the supply is considerab greater than of the upper grades. In Chicago there is a pronounced scarcity of 6-inch strips in all grades, about the only thing really plentiful being 4-inch No. 2 and No. 3 strips. The spruce market is remarkably firm, although the demand is a little quiet.

The consumption of hardwood lumber continues about normal. Among the strongest items are ash and basswood, followed closely by maple and birch. It is believed that higher prices will rule this year for basswood, while birch is expected to be a good seller. A Tonawanda firm is reported to have sold 4,000,000 feet of hardwood lumber last week. The tone of the hemlock market is stronger. Prices at Tonawanda range from $13 to $14, and the demand seems to be on the increase. While shingles and lath are not in great demand, prices are strong and likely to be higher. It is estimated that at North Tonawanda there is not over 1,500,000 white pine lath in the hands of dealers. Eastern spruce lath touched $4 in New York recently.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The course of the British timber market since the first of the year has in the main been steady, but there is an absence of that strong confidence which usually accompanies a revival of trade. The statement of stocks on hand at the leading ports show that there is not the heavy supply that is

generally considered. For instance, the stock of pine and spruce boards in the London docks is less than at the same time last year, while pine and spruce deals are represented by only a slightly heavier stock. At Liverpool the stock of Quebec pine and spruce deals and square and waney timber, as well as red pine timber, is lighter than one year ago, but there is a heavier stock of elm, birch and ash timber. It is reported that several large contracts for spruce have recently been closed at an appreciable advance on last season's figures, also that some 5,000 logs of birch have been placed principally to London, Liverpool and Manchester, at a shade over the prices of last year. The standard sizes in 9 and 11 inch deals are regarded as likely to advance during the year, but the course of irregular sizes and low grade stock is in some doubt. We are told that Quebec pine deals are finding a ready sale at Hartlepool, where first and second quality are almost exhausted and the stock of thirds is limited. On the whole, there seems to be a better demand for Canadian hardwoods and prices all round are a little firmer.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Richard Vigars, of Port Arthur, has purchased the planing mill of M. S. Kelly at that place, together with the stock on hand.

The Dominion Government is asking for tenders up to March 3rd for construction of breakwaters at Herring Cove, N.S., and at Upper Salmon River, Albert county, N.B., also for the supply of poles for the construction of 125 miles of telegraph lines in Cape Breton.

The City of St. John, N.B., recently invited tenders for 2,000 tons of birch or maple timber and 500 tons of white pine. The contract for supplying the timber has been given to J. M. Scott, of Hawkshaw, York county, at $7 per ton. A. H. Hilyard & Company offered 125 tons of white pine, in lengths from 14 to 22 feet, at $10 per ton, and the longer lengths at $12.50 per ton. C. E. Gallagher, of Perth, tendered on 100 tons of birch or maple in 14 foot lengths, 200 tons in 22-foot lengths, and 200 tons in from 12 to 22-foot lengths, at $5.70 per ton.

TRANSACTIONS IN TIMBER PROPERTIES.

The largest private transaction in timber properties that has taken place in Canada for many years was consummated last week, by which the timber limits, saw mills, water power, and other property of Cook Bros., of Toronto, passed into the possession of George W. Cook, nephew of H. H. Cook, and George J. Cook, members of the old firm, and William Lummis, late manager of part of Cook Bros'. properties. The limits sold are on the north shore of the Georgian Bay and cover eight townships, or 300 square miles of territory. The saw mill is located at what is commonly called Cook's Mills. The exact purchase price could not be ascertained, but it is understood that it was in the vicinity of $1,250,000. The new firm will be known as Cook & Lummis.

Edgar G. Murphy, of New York, has purchased the mill and other property of Henry V. and Frederick Dewar at St. George, N. B. The limits are situated in Charlotte and York counties, and include the lands purchased from the Gilmore estate some years ago, on which some of the best timber of the province is to be found. The consideration is said to be about $60,000. It is understood that the purchaser is acting for a syndicate who have in view the building of a large pulp mill at St. George.

TRADE OPENINGS

The following were among the inquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London, Eng., during the week ending 7th February, 1902 :

Imformation respecting Canadian hardwoods for street paving purposes is asked for by a selling agent who has experience in placing such goods on the English market.

A London firm at present doing a good business in chair-stock, backs, seats, legs, etc., ask for names of additional exporters of such goods in Canada.

The names and addresses of the parties may be obtained at the office of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

"Cleaned out of better lines, scarce in others," is the general report of millmen and dealers on the lumber market. As can be seen by a look over the latest revised market list sent out from Ottawa, there is an advance in all the higher grades, including sidings, strips, shorts, shingles and lath. Good sidings according to dimensions sell from $34 to $45, and in some cases higher figures approaching the half century mark are quoted. Millmen who have stocks are not in a feverish heat to sell, for they know that the demand with the opening of the building season, before the saws again start, will be a large one. In some lines the high prices have placed a damper on business.

Good pine strips, according to dimensions, range from $29 to $35, and shorts for different sizes range between $20 and $30.

Lath and shingles furnish strong features of the market. No. 1 white pine lath sells as high as $3.25, and is scarce at that ; No. 2 is quoted at $2 to $2.25. Red pine lath is quoted at $2 to $2.50. Cedar shingles are in the fancy price list, selling at $2 to $2.25 for clear butts and $2.60 to $3 for xxx. The quotations on pine shingles are xxxx $2.50 to $3, clear butts $1.75 to $2, and xx $1.25 to $1.50. In this connection it may be stated that the shingle of the Ottawa Valley is an 18 inch product, while that of the Georgian Bay mills is 16 inches wide. In former years the latter width was turned out at Whitney, but as there was little or no demand a change was made to the wider and more popular shingle. Occasional orders for the 16 inch shingle have to be filled at the western mills.

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Negotations have not yet been completed for the erection of the mill at Ottawa referred to some weeks ago, but work will be started, it is expected, in time to have the saws going in the fall.

OTTAWA, February 17th, 1902.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber at Boston is seasonably quiet, with the position firm. Orders are declined at anything below full prices, although it is understood that randoms on the market and forced to be sold do not bring full quotations : Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20 ; 9 inch and under, $18 ; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19 to $19.50; 2x3, 2 x 4, 2 x 5, 2 x 6, 2 x 7 and 3 x 4, 10 feet and up, $16 to $16.50; all other randoms, 9 inch and under, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50 ; 5 inch and up merchantable boards, $15 to $16 ; matched boards, $18 to $19 ; out spruce boards, $13 ; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

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1 to 2 in.	65	67	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 inch uppers	72	74	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	65	67	10-in. common	18 19
1 to 2 in.	57	59	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
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1 to 2 in.	45	50	No. 1 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	42	1x10	24 25
No. 2	25	30	1x8	22 23
No. 3	21	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23 24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	40	45	1x10	21 22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8	20 21
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Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common	20
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The position of the white pine market is extremely satisfactory. Manufacturers have sold heavily of the coming season's cut, and are receiving many enquiries for stock for shipment to the United States. The Turner Lumber Company, of Midland, is reported to have sold 29,000,000 feet, to be manufactured the coming season, to the Skillings, Whitneys and Barnes Company, of Tonawanda, who have also purchased the Parry Sound Lumber Company's cut, estimated between 25,000,000 and 30,000,000 feet. Easton & Company, of Albany, are said to have purchased the entire cut of McArthur Bros'. mill at Little Current, estimated at 30,000,000 feet, while other large transactions have taken place which indicate that no difficulty will be found in marketing all the white pine lumber that will be manufactured this year. Other United States firms have purchased a large quantity of logs and have arranged to have them manufactured at mills in the Georgian Bay district. While all grades of white pine are strong, there is an exceptionally good demand for boards 12 inches and wider. Mill culls are also moving actively considering the season of the year, and box grades have come into prominence recently. The scarcity of lath continues and is not likely to be relieved until the mills resume sawing. Hardwoods are a little firmer and manufacturers and dealers look for an expansion in the demand as soon as the spring season opens up.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The position of spruce lumber is practically unchanged. The opinion is quite general that lumber intended for the local and United States markets will hold firm until midsummer, and manufacturers and dealers are making their arrangements accordingly. The buying of British spruce deals would seem to indicate that shippers are confident of their position, although it is understood that less than the usual quantity has so far been placed with British importers. Spruce lath, which was weak early in January, has recovered, and sales of 1⅝ inch are now being made to Boston at $3. Extra cedar shingles are firmer, the quotation on extras for Boston delivery being $3.35.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber manufacturers and wholesale dealers have booked a considerable number of orders for spring delivery, and are looking forward to an active season, as building operations in Manitoba and the Territories promise to be of large volume. A few recent price changes have taken place. B. C. cedar base has declined $5 per thousand, making the price now $42.50 in Winnipeg. Cedar casing has declined $7.50, and B. C. fir dimension $2.50 to $4 per thousand. The export trade of British Columbia has started off well. Several vessels have been chartered to load lumber and quotations are somewhat higher. In anticipation of the enforcement this spring of the Act prohibiting the export of timber from British Columbia, the price of cedar logs has advanced $2 per thousand feet.

UNITED STATES.

No material change in the lumber situation has occurred in the past week, the market continuing strong and the buying being of a most liberal character. Stocks in white pine are low at wholesale markets as well as in distributing yards. Wholesale lumbermen have bought very heavily, it being estimated that more than half the entire 1902 product of white pine on the great lakes has already passed into second hands, while some districts have sold more than three-fourths of the cut. The annual meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association was held last week, but no action was taken in the direction of advancing the price list. The report of the secretary, however, showed a pronounced shortage in the stocks in the hands of manufacturers. It is said that Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers are likely to make an all-round advance in the price of white pine lumber, as they believe this course is warranted by the high prices that are asked by manufacturers and by the outlook for building operations and the lumber demand generally. Our Buffalo list this week shows an advance of one dollar per thousand on fine common and No. 1 and No. 2 cutting-up stock, also $2 per thousand on thick white ash. The hardwood market has undergone a distinct improvement. Stocks have become low and the demand greater, and altogether higher prices are looked for. Oak and maple are leading, but the supply of the latter is too large to warrant much of an advance. The Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association, at a special meeting at Wausau on February 13th, put into effect a new list advancing most hardwood items from $1 to $3 per thousand feet. This is looked upon as the forerunner of other advances.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British timber market has not kept up the activity which characterized the trade of the month of January. Recent unfavorable weather has checked building operations, and buying of lumber has accordingly fallen off. Importers do not seem confident regarding the future of prices, and are not disposed to enter into large contracts at the figures that are asked by shippers. Accordingly, different views of the market are expressed. From one port comes the report that the representatives of Quebec shippers have put through no large contracts, while the information from another port is that an average amount of business in contracting for the coming season's requirements has been done. It is certain, however, that such contracts as have been closed show a substantial increase on the prices of one year ago. Sales of white pine deals have been made to Glasgow at an advance of 20 shillings to 30 shillings per standard over last season's quotations. A correspondent at Cardiff states that the high prices which shippers are asking for

spruce have caused a run on Austrian whitewood, which merchants are getting in long lengths and good widths at rather less than the price asked for spruce Another opinion is that spruce will keep at about its present price for several months to come, even after the first consignments begin to arrive, for the reason that the consumption will probably keep ahead of the import.

At recent auction sales in London second quality 3x9 spruce deals brought £9 13s to £10, and third quality £9 per standard. For 3x11 fourth quality pine $12 was obtained, and for one lot £12 5s. These figures show an advance for this class of lumber.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque A. Tavela sailed recently from the Hastings mills, Vancouver, B.C., laden with lumber, for Ostend, Belgium.

The Saginaw Lumber and Salt Company, of Saginaw, Mich., have purchased 1,000,000 feet of mill culls at Cutler, Ont.

J. Stiles is getting out 1,250,000 feet of spruce and hardwood deals at Hopewell Hill, N. B.

Lath and high grade lumber have been shipped in considerable quantity to Pittsburg and other Pennsylvania points during the past two months.

The Dominion Government is asking for tenders for the construction of a large breakwater at Pointe St. Pierre, Gaspe county, Quebec.

The Central Lumber Company, of Saginaw, Mich., has bought 5,000,000 feet of pine logs cut this winter on deeded lands in the vicinity of Parry Sound, Ont., The logs will be rafted to Saginaw.

Pine and spruce lath have advanced in the Albany market to $3.50. At Saginaw No. 1 white pine lath is quoted at $3.00; No. 2, $3.10; No. 1 Norway, $3; No. 1 hemlock, $3; No. 2 hemlock, $2.20.

The following prices are asked for shingles in the Saginaw valley: No. 1 white pine, $3.80 to $3.90; clear butts, $2.60 to $2.75; 4 × 18 in. cedar, $2.60; clear butts, $2.60; 4 × 16 in. cedar, $3.10.

It is said that the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, have purchased 12,000,000 feet of logs from Hale & Bell, and have arranged to have them manufactured by N. N. Wright & Company at Cutler, Ont.

The steamer Ionian sailed from St. John, N. B., last week for Liverpool with the following cargo of timber: 203,342 ft. birch deals, 29,349 ft. birch ends, 652,348 ft. spruce ends, 14,832 ft. boards, shipped by W. M. Mackay; 15,075 ft. deals, by George McKean; 330,330 ft. spruce deals, 12,372 ft. birch timber, by William Thomson & Co.

The J. S. Hartwell Lumber Company, of Chicago, have bought from McFadden & Ferguson, of Ottawa, 15,000,000 feet of logs, which will be manufactured by the Conger Lumber Company at Parry Sound, Ont.

Timber berths were sold at the Crown lands office, Fredericton, N. B., last week as follows: Two miles on Thirty-three Mile Brook, N. W. Upsalquitch river, at upset price; 2½ miles on Memansey Brook to George W. Thompson, at $20 per mile.

It is understood that E. H. Lemay, of Montreal, has again purchased the entire cut of McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, Ont., and will market a considerable portion of it in the United States, through his selling agents, W. M. Crombie & Company, 81 New street, New York. Mr. Lemay has also purchased other large lines of white pine, basswood and ash, and is also carrying a large quantity of log run spruce.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their market report of February 1st, review the lumber market as follows: "During the fortnight there has been only one arrival, the "E. A. Sabean," to our address, with 62,000 feet shippers and 25,000 feet second quality white pine, 138,000 feet hemlock and a small lot of spruce. Dealers are heavily stocked, and it was with difficulty that we could place it at $20.60 and $16 respectively for white pine; $13 for shipping and $11 for second quality hemlock; and $18.50 and $16 for shipping and second quality spruce. It is very desirable that all receipts should cease for some time to come, in order that dealers may get rid of a fair portion of their present supply. Only one small lot of 42,000 dimension shingles has arrived by Halifax steamer, which we placed at $6.79 for 5-inch and $7.39 for 6, 7 and 8-inch. There is very little demand for laying; no arrival has taken place, but we are daily expecting a large cargo, about half of which is in fulfilment of contract."

THE BOSTON MARKET.

There is a better call at Boston for spruce lumber, notwithstanding that the storm has hindered matters somewhat. It is mentioned by leading houses that trade is uncommonly good for February, with promise of an active market early. Quotations are fully sustained: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9 inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19 to $19.50; 2x3, 2 x 4, 2 x 5, 2 x 6, 2 x 7 and 3 x 4, 10 feet and up, $16 to $16.50; all other randoms, 9 inch and under, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; 5 inch and up merchantable boards, $15 to $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock is really firmer, with the demand good for the season: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 to $15 for good eastern; random, eastern, $13.50 to $14; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17; No. 2, $14.50.

White pine is in good winter request, with the market exceedingly firm: Uppers, 1 in., $72 to $73; 2½ and 3 inch, $77.50; 4 in. $82.50; selects, 1 to 1 1-2 inch, $66 to $67; 2 inch, $68 to $70; 2 1-2 to 3 inch, $73 to $76; 4-inch, $75 to $80; fine common, 1-inch, $55; 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 inch, $60; 2 inch, $55; 2 1-2 and 3 inch, $65 to $67; 4 inch, $70; barn boards, $23 to $32; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwoods are in pretty good request at steady prices: Quartered oak, $56 to $65; fancy, $70 to $75; plain oak, $40 to $47; black ash, $40 to $50; white ash, $45 to $55; cherry, $90 to $130; maple, $32 to $40; sycamore, quartered inch, $43 to $45; plain, $35 to $40.

Shingles are scarce and really firmer, though the demand is still limited: Extra cedar, $3.30 to $3.35; clear, $2.90 to $3; second clear, $2.35 to $2.50; sap, $2.10; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.90; British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.45 to $3.50; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards are in quiet demand at firm prices: Extra spruce, $35 to $36; clear, $33 to $34; second clear, $29 to $32; extra No. 1, $20 to $23; pine extra, $50 to $52; clear, $45 to $48; second clear, $40 to $42.

Laths are firm, and a little higher: One and five-eighths inch, $3; 1 1-2 inch, $2.85.

SALE OF OTTAWA LIMITS.

A large number of lumbermen gathered in the rotunda of the Russell House, Ottawa, on Wednesday, February 19th, on which day it was announced that the extensive timber limits owned by William Mackey on the Amable du Fond river would be offered for sale. The limits comprise 129¾ miles and were offered in one block, Mr. Peter Ryan wielding the hammer. The bidding started at $200,000 and soon advanced to $650,000, the bidders being Mr. W. C. Edwards, M. P., Mr. H. K. Egan, Mr. J. C. Brown and Mr. J. B. Fraser. Mr. J. R. Booth, who had not yet submitted a bid, raised the figure $5,000, and at the price of $655,000,

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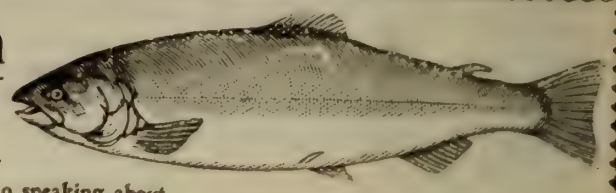

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So far the weather for logging operations has been anything but desirable in the Western States and Canada. The absence of sleighing and the high prices prevailing for timber have prevented mill owners from putting in anything but light stocks, and the majority of factories have not secured any timber at all.

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To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "	32	

DEALS.

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide		$66 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$62 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.		66 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	62 00
2½ and 3 in.		70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.		75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide		50 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		52 00	4 in.	65 co
2in.		52 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide		36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		40 co	4 in.	55 00
2in.		46 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼ x6 in. wide		47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide		40 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide		47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.		27 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.		23 00	8 and 7 in.	20 00
9 in.		21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.		22 00	10 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.		23 00	9 in.	18 00
10 in.		21 00	8 in.	18 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide		$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide		17 co	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up		17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide		30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide		30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

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Pine, XXXX		4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts		3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine		3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
			Hemlock	2 75

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PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up		$72	$74	1x12 inch shippers	$21 $22
2½ in.		71	74	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	23 24
1 to 2 in.		65	67	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 inch uppers		72	74	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up		65	67	10-in. common	18 19
1 to 2 in.		57	59	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
Fine common, 2½ in. and up		57	59	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in.		45	50	No. 1 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch		32	42	1x10	24 25
No. 2		25	30	1x8	22 23
No. 3		21	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23 24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.		40	45	1x10	21 22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.		28	30	1x8	20 21
Stained saps		25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	25 28
Bracket plank		30	35	" " 2 inch	28 30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up		35	40	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow			23	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers			20		

LATH.

Pine		$	$3 50	Spruce	$ $3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX		$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 50
Clear butts		3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 2
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4 in.		75 00	2 in.	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	62 co	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	63 00	65 00	No. 1 Mold stips 1 to 2 in.	40 00 42 00
4 in.		67 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	28 co 32 00
Fine common, 1 in.		48 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	28 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		50 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	23 00
2 in.		50 00	No. 2, 10 in.	21 00
3 in.		62 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
4 in.		62 co	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		38 00	No. 3, 12 in.	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		48 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 oc
No. 2, 1 in.		23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		26 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50 18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.		34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 00 14 50

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	37 00 39 00
1¼ to 2 in.	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00 15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00 24 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The active buying of Ontario white pine lumber which has been reported for some time past shows no indication of falling off, but on the contrary new buyers have entered the market and the competition is keener than ever. The Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, have purchased heavily and have taken a large quantity of lumber which would otherwise probably have found a market in the Eastern States. The quantity of stock of the coming season's cut that has been contracted for is almost unprecedented in the history of the trade, while the stock of dry lumber at the mills is so small that manufacturers are obliged in some instances to refuse orders on account of inability to fill them. Sales of certain grades of lumber have recently been made in the Ottawa valley at prices higher than ever before realized. This applies not only to lumber, but also to square and waney pine timber. Lath and shingles are especially strong. It is impossible for dealers to secure lath enough to fill orders, and shingles have been bought up to such an extent that the market is almost bare. Winter mills are said to be selling shingles green from the saw. Conditions are most favorable for a sharp advance in prices, but it is a question whether this will occur except in certain grades in which the shortage is very pronounced. Hardwood lumber is looking better. Old stocks are being worked off, and the new cut will not be heavy. Maple has shown considerable life and seems likely to sell higher.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Quebec shippers have purchased a considerable quantity of spruce deals for shipment to Great Britain. Although prices have not transpired, it is reported that they are in some instances higher than those of last year. The low freight rates will enable the shippers to place the lumber on the British market at a small cost, and by this means they may be enabled to make a fair profit, but the position of the British timber trade does not seem to altogether warrant the high prices that are said to have been paid in one or two instances. There is a good demand for spruce clapboards for shipment to the Eastern States, prices there continuing firm and giving promise of an early advance. New Brunswick cedar shingles are in strong request, and the present price of $3.30 for extras, Boston delivery, is being willingly paid by dealers. It is believed that the scarcity of shingles will result in higher prices for all kinds within the next two months.

UNITED STATES.

With the advance of the year the demand for lumber in all parts of the United States is increasing, and it will probably be heavier than last year. The present situation would seem to indicate that there will be a shortage in some grades of pine, and accordingly prices are decidedly strong. While no united action was taken last week by the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association, the Minneapolis manufacturers have put into effect an independent list making the following advances on the December list: All dimensions and timbers, No. 3 boards, No. 1, 2 and 3 fencing in 6-inch widths, and No. 1 and 2 fencing in 4-inch widths, an advance of 50 cents; inch finish, D stock and better and clear Norway, and thick finish, $2; No. 1, 2 and 3 shop common, $1; 4 and 6-inch flooring, $2; 4 and 6-inch siding, $1; all kinds of lath, 25 cents. In spite of these advances the demand shows no abatement. The price list committee of the Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association have decided upon the following advances: Timber and piece stuff, 50 cents; No. 1 and No. 2 boards and strips, 50 cents; selects and better, $1; lath, 25 cents; shingles, 25 cents. Similar action has been taken during the week by the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association, the increases being $1 on flooring and drop siding and all cedar and spruce lumber, and 50 cents on lath. There is a general scarcity of lath all over the northern country. In Chicago yards No. 1 white pine is quoted at $4.25, No. 1 mixed $4, and No. 2 mixed and hemlock $3.75. Hardwoods are coming into more prominence; in fact, the requirement is said to be quite large, furniture factories being among the best buyers. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers are advancing their prices on several grades. Maple is plentiful, while basswood is scarce.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There does not seem to be much life to the British timber trade. Some buying has been in evidence, but the transactions have in most cases represented small lots of lumber. Shippers are making a strong effort to close contracts, without

however, being willing to reduce their asking prices. A consignment of spruce deals, all 3 x 9 and of good average length, arrived at Liverpool recently and is being stored, the shippers declining to sell at less than £8 10s. c. i. f. The stock of 3 x 9 in best deals is small. Representatives of Quebec and New Brunswick shipping houses are making their usual trips through Ireland. Business has been done in spruce and red pine deals, but the purchases of white pine have been very light. A correspondent writes that shippers expect to get £5 15s f. o. b. for an ordinary specification of spruce. At a recent auction sale in London 3 x 11 second quality pine sold at £16 16s, which was considered a fair price in view of the quality of the specification. Spruce was offered in mixed quantities and brought satisfactory prices.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Rat Portage Lumber Co. expect to cut 35,000,000 feet of lumber at their Rainy River mills this season.

The Lake Superior Timber Company, of Windsor, Ont., are taking out pulp wood in the vicinity of Nepigon Bay.

The Canada Wood Specialty Company, of Orillia, Ont., are making 64,000 hammock reclining chairs for shipment to South Africa.

Fred and Charles Lutes, of North River, N. B., have a portable mill in the woods north of Hicksville, sawing deals and scantling.

T. Pickard & Son, of Glamis, Ont., will start their saw mill this week with the largest stock of hemlock for local trade or shipment in their experience.

A three mile timber berth on the south branch of Benjamin River was sold at the Crown lands office, Fredericton, N. B., last week to the Prescott Lumber Company, at $8 per mile.

A. E. Fulljames, of Winnipeg, is asking for tenders for the supply of 2,000,000 first quality pine lath, to be delivered in Winnipeg in quantities of from two to five hundred thousand per month.

The Eastern Lumber Company, of Tonawanda, is said to have purchased $2,000,000 feet of lumber during the present wtnter, most of it to be manufacsured this year.

Sims Bros., of Little Current, Ont., have sold their season's output of logs on the White Fish River, and a quantity of tawn lumber on Picnic Island, to the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, the consideration being about $100,000.

David Seath, secretary of the Montreal Harbor Commissioners, is asking for tenders up to noon of Friday, 7th inst., for furnishing 2,000 piles, 50 feet in length and 9 inches diameter at the small end, of white pine, red pine, tamarac, spruce or rock or gray elm.

The Dominion Lumber Company, of Ingram River, N. S., of which W. D. Beardmore, of Toronto, is president, have received a large shipment of machinery from the Robb Engineering Company, of Amherst, and are making preparations for a large cut of lumber the coming season.

The following are the quotations at Buffalo for slack cooperage stock: Dry elm staves, $7.75 to $8 for first-class; $4.25 to $4.50 for second-class; basswood heading, 5½ to 5¾ cents for first-class, 3½ to 3¾ for second-class, hoops $8.50 to $8.85 for 6-foot coils, $8 to 8.50 for 5 1-2 foot, $5 for hickory.

The demand for hemlock is assuming a stronger tone than for several months. Piece stuff sells in the Chicago market at about $12.50 in carload lots. Long hemlock is in special request and is difficult to find. In New York city the base price of hemlock is $15 and in Buffalo $13.50, but it is thought that an advance will soon be put into effect.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

The sale of the extensive Mackay limits was the stellar attraction in local lumber circles last month. Although the property was sold by public auction, it was a foregone conclusion that Mr. J. R. Booth, the veteran lumber baron, would be the purchaser against all comers. Mr. Booth made but one bid and that one was entered, on the earnest request of Mr. Peter Ryan, auctioneer, who had threatened to withdraw the limits after the other bids were all entered. Mr. Booth secured the limits, 129¾ miles in extent and situated on the river Amable du Fond, for $655,000. The limits were purchased 48 years ago from the Ontario Government for $1,800. Mr. Mackay's purchase certainly brought him no regrets, as the square timber taken of the limits since has netted him, it is estimated, over $3,000,000. The limits are still well timbered with white and red pine of superior quality, suitable for sawlogs. The limits are well watered and permit of a short average draw. Included in the property sold were a well equipped saw, planing and shingle mill at Eauclaire Station, on the main line of the C. P. R., and slides and dams. Virgin forest covers part of the limits, which contain considerable spruce, suitable for pulp making. An outlet for this will probably be found in the pulp mills which Mr. Booth proposes to erect at the Chaudiere opposite his present mill. The sale of the limits was a record one, according to Auctioneer Ryan, in price obtained and time considered. It was probably the largest sale ever made by public auction in Canada, and it was all over inside thirty minutes.

The thaw and heavy rains which marked the closing days of February have added to the weight of troubles the present season has brought to the lumber operators. The roads, which were poor in some places, will be rendered impassable and a considerable quantity of the present season's cut will in all likelihood have to be left on the limits until next year. This, of course, means a shortage in the supply for the mills. Disease in the camps proved a great handicap in the log production, and combined with the climatic conditions, has brought the cut below the average. In some districts, on the other hand, the thaws have done good service by reducing the great depth of snow. Mr. Robert Hurdman, the veteran lumberman, reports operations on his limits as progressing satisfactorily.

The production of cedar ties has been seriously interfered with by the adverse climatic conditions of the past winter. The lack of frost in the earlier part and the subsequent heavy snow-falls made access to the cedar swamps very difficult, and as a result there has been a marked decrease in the output of ties. The demands of the railways will be met only part way, and prices are bound to advance in a considerable degree. Another factor in the advance in price is the yearly increasing difficulty of getting suitable stock. Dealers now have to go farther afield. Last summer only about 10,000 ties were loaded between Ottawa and Coteau, according to a reliable authority, where 12 years ago 150,000 were handled. The lowly tie is bound to become more valuable as the years bring the extension of the railways, and the reduction of the immediate available supply of ties.

The Rideau Lumber Company has just closed the sale of a raft of square timber to W. & J. Sharples, of Quebec. The raft was taken out on the Dumoine river during the present season. Robert Hurdman got out one raft on the same stream and three on the Kippewa. A few years ago five times this amount of square timber was taken out on these streams. The Rideau Lumber Company got a price considerably in advance of last year's

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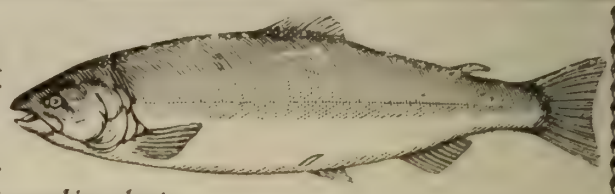

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" 1½ "	2.. 20 00	22 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1	1½ 31 00 33 00
" sqrs. 4x4 "	8x8 24 00	26 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2	4.. 34 00 36 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1	1½ 32 00 36 00
1½ to 2	20 00	22 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2	4.. 35 00 38 00
" m. r. 1 "	1¼ 17 00	18 00	Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1	2.. 60 00 65 00
Butternut 1 "	1½ 23 00	25 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds, 1	3.. 85 00 100 00
" 2 "	3.. 25 00	28 00	Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1	2.. 34 00 38 00
Chestnut 1 "	2.. 24 00	26 00		
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½ 50 00	60 00		
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2	4.. 60 00	65 00		
Elm, soft, mill run 1	1½ 16 00	19 00		
Elm, soft, mill run 2	3.. 17 00	19 00		

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00		Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00 21 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	38 00	42 00	Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00 16 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	40 00	45 00	Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00 20 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in	29 00	30 00	Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00 16 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	30 00	34 00	Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00 17 00
2 in	30 00	35 00	Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	20 00	24 00	Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00 15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	22 00	26 00	Pine, box culls	12 50 14 50
2 in	24 00	30 00	Pine mill culls	11 50 14 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b. m.	20 00	24 00	1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
			1x10 No. 2 "	18 00

MANCHESTER, ENGLAND

1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00	Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt	2 00 2 5
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00	XXX	2 60 3 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25	Pine Shingles: XX	1 25 1 50
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25	Clear Butt	1 75 2 00
Spruce	2 00	2 25	XXX	2 50 3 00
Red Pine	2 00	2 50		

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	39	50
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	45	55
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$66 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$62 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in	66 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in	62 00
2½ and 3 in	70 00	2½ and 3 in	65 00
4 in	75 00	4 in	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in	53 00	4 in	65 00
2 in	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in	46 00	4 in	55 00
2 in	46 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	40 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in	27 00	No. 2, 9 in	21 00
10 in	23 00	8 and 7 in	20 00
9 in	21 00	No. 3, 12 in	19 50
8 and 7 in	22 00	10 in	18 00
No. 2, 12 in	23 00	9 in	18 00
10 in	21 00	8 in	18 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$72	$74	1x12 inch shippers	$21 $22
2½ in	71	74	4/4 inch " 13" & up	23 24
1 to 2 in	65	67	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 inch uppers	72	74	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	65	67	10-in. common	18 19
1 to 2 in	57	59	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	57	59	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in	45	50	No. 1 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	42	1x10	24 25
No. 2	25	30	1x8	22 23
No. 3	21	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23 24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	40	45	1x10	21 22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	28	30	1x8	20 21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	25 28
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	28 30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers		20		

LATH.

Pine	$	$3 50	Spruce $	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

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WHITE PINE.
(Wholesale selling price.)

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2½ and 3 in	72 00	75 00	1½ in	34 50
4 in		75 00	2 in	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in	62 00	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in	38 50
2½ and 3 in	63 00	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	40 00 42 00
4 in		67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in	28 00 32 00
Fine common, 1 in.		48 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in	28 00
1¼ and 1½ in		50 00	6, 8 and 10 in	23 00
2 in		50 00	No. 2, 10 in	21 00
3 in		62 00	No. 2, 12 in	24 00
4 in		62 00	No. 3, 10 in	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		38 00	No. 3, 12 in	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in		48 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in		23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		26 00	1¼ and 1½ in	17 50 18 00
Dressing 1¼ in		34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	14 00 14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in	37 00 39 00
1¼ to 2 in	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00 24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00 22 00

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1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.	18 00	20 00	1st & 2d soft 6in & up,	17 00 19 00

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FIRES.

The saw mill and stave factory of J. E. Murphy at Hepworth, Ont., were destroyed by fire last week. The loss is about $8,000, partially covered by insurance.

The factory of the Columbia Handle & Tool Company, London, Ont., was completely destroyed by fire on 9th inst. The loss on plant and stock is about $20,000.

Mr. V. Travers, of Liverpool, England, is about to visit Canada and the United States in connection with contracts for the importation of timber. The trip is being undertaken in the interest of his firm and that of Messrs. Sieveking, Podmore & Company, 7 Crosby Square, London.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Another circumstance has transpired to further strengthen the position of white pine lumber. The recent mild weather has seriously interfered with logging operations, and in many districts prevented entirely the hauling of logs to the streams. Should the weather continue mild, a large quantity of logs will necessarily be left in the woods. An operator in the Georgian Bay district states that fully one-third of the winter's cut of logs on the north shore remains to be hauled, and that the present outlook is anything but encouraging. As a large proportion of the white pine production of the coming season has already been contracted for, a considerable reduction in the cut of the mills would be likely to bring about a famine in this class of lumber. The market at the present time, therefore, is exceptionally strong. Ottawa valley manufacturers speak most hopefully of the prospective demand. The heavy buying in that district of late by United States concerns has almost wiped out the supply of good lumber, while the stock of the lower grades has been reduced to a point which gives the seller the advantage in effecting sales. The building season is opening up satisfactorily, although in Toronto talk of labor troubles has produced a somewhat unsettled feeling and may restrict the volume of building until the matter is finally settled. The open weather has created a brisk enquiry for shingles. Hemlock lumber is stronger, sales in Toronto ranging from $12.50 to $13. Implement and furniture factories are buying hardwoods liberally, and although prices have not materially improved, it is believed that the foundation is being laid for a substantial advance later on.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The probability of early spring sawing has caused a slight weakening of the spruce lumber market in respect to local trade. There has been an average input of logs, and if weather conditions this spring should be favorable for lumbermen, the mills are likely to make a large cut. Some manufacturers will this year saw a smaller quantity of British deals than usual and give more attention to the United States and home markets. Prices of clapboards continue high, sales of extra spruce having been made for Boston delivery at $36. Extra cedar shingles are selling at $3.30, while some manufacturers are holding out for a ten-cent advance on this figure. Spruce laths have improved, the average quotation for 1⅝ inch, on Boston freight rate, being $3.10.

UNITED STATES.

Adverse weather conditions have affected the lumber conditions of the past ten days. In the Eastern States storms and high water have limited the volume of business, and in almost every section some trouble from this cause is reported. In the logging districts the weather has been so mild that it has been necessary to cease hauling in some instances, and as the result a shortage in the log crop may be encountered. This condition has further strengthened the white pine market. Eastern dealers report that they have sufficient orders on hand to keep them busy for another month. A general advance in the price of low grade pine seems to be due, and it is the wonder of the trade that it has not taken place. Hardwood prices are showing a tendency to advance. Considering the light stock of most grades, prices are not as high proportionately as white pine. Numerous inquiries are reported for maple and ash. Lath are scarce and high in price. Dealers are picking up shingles wherever they can, and although the sawing season may open earlier than usual, the supply is not likely to be more than equal to the demand. Best 18-inch hemlock shingles are quoted in New York at $3.15 to $3.20, and clear pine at $3.75. Hemlock boards and piece stuff are selling in the Saginaw valley at $11 and $12.50. At North Tonawanda the base price for hemlock is $13.50 to $14.00.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The position of the British market has not materially changed. Operations in Baltic and Swedish goods have been characterized by indifference, while the buying of Canadian lumber has been of a more careful character than usual. The standard sizes of deals are meeting with a ready sale, but there is much difficulty in disposing of inferior qualities. A report from Manchester states that spruce deals are offering c.i.f. for the coming season at about 15 shillings a standard under the highest figures touched in 1901, but even at these prices buyers are not eager to close contracts. This statement no doubt refers to New Brunswick and

Nova Scotia spruce, as it is understood that a considerable quantity of Quebec spruce has been placed through the usual channels. The present stocks in Manchester and Liverpool contain a large quantity of 7 and 8 inch deals, 9 x 3 and 11 x 3 being very scarce. The claim is made that in recent years shippers have reduced the quantity of wide sizes in their specifications, and while the usual cut of deals formerly contained 25 per cent. 11 x 3 and 40 per cent. 9 by 3, now 10 and 15 per cent. respectively are all that is included, the practice being to take out the wide deals and sell them at enhanced prices. It is contended that this practice is not satisfactory to the British importer. The demand for timber is steady; waney pine and rock elm are scarce and strong, while square pine and soft elm are inactive and weaker. There is a large stock of ash at several ports, as owing to the high price substitutes are being used to some extent.

STOCKS AND PRICES

The city of Kingston, Ont., is asking for tenders up to the 13th inst. for the supply of 200,000 feet B. M. of pine plank, 3, 2 and 1½ inch, and 40,000 lineal feet of cedar sleepers, 5 x 4 inch.

Thomas Pitts & Company, of Bay City, sold on March 1st to Cleveland parties 8,000,000 feet of lumber to be manufactured at Cutler, Ont., this season. The price is not given, but is understood to be about $16.50.

The wharf to be built by the Dominion Government at Caraquet, N. B., will require 306,000 feet of spruce timber, 98,000 feet hemlock timber, 142,000 feet birch timber, to be sawed, 1,370,000 feet hemlock logs, and 63,000 lineal feet ballast poles, of spruce, 7 inches at top. The contractors for this work are Simons & Burpee, of Gibson, N. B.

Sims Bros., of Little Current, Ont., confirm the report that they have sold this season's cut of logs to the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, They advise us that they have also just sold last year's cut of white pine to Potter, Teare & Company and the Saginaw Bay Company, of Cleveland. Good prices were realized in each case, the sales aggregating about $100,000.

Concerning the Barbadoes lumber market Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their report of February 15th say: "Arrivals have again been free during the fortnight, and the market continues in an overstocked condition. The "Rachael H. Boyd" has arrived with a cargo of 30,000 feet spruce and 76,000 feet white pine. The former was placed at $17.25 for shipping and $12.25 for second quality, and $11.50 for inferior. The "Foster Rice" arrived on 6th inst. from Annapolis, N.S., with 220,000 feet white pine, which had been sold to the contractor to H. M. Forces, for delivery at Antigua. The "Congo" arrived on the 7th from Weymouth, N. S., with 130,000 shipping white pine and 53,000 feet second quality, and on the 12th the "Damietta & Joanna" arrived from Calais to our address with 57,000 feet white pine boards, 37,000 feet white pine plank, and 12,000 feet spruce scantling, which we placed at $20.10 for shipping and $15.10 for second quality boards, $16.00 for shipping and $11.00 for second quality plank, and $12.00 for second quality spruce scantling. This steamer brought 2,000,000 cedar laying shingles, of which 1,000,000 was placed on contract at $2.00; the remainder, owing to dealers being filled up, brought only $1.70.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

The following review of the Glasgow timber market is furnished by Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, under date of 28th February:

There has been more activity in the timber trade this month than last, and a fair amount of business has been done at firm prices. Several shipments of Quebec and Lower Port spruce and red pine are rived during February, and in all cases a sale was effected from the ships' side at satisfactory prices. The amount of business done here in contracting forward for Quebec timber and deals has been of only moderate dimensions, due no doubt to the high prices quoted by the shippers. White pine, both in logs and deals, continues very dear, and seems likely to continue so from all appearances. Deliveries from stock have been reasonably well maintained during the month, and of pine goods particularly the amount on hand must now be very small.

The Clyde shipbuilding returns show that 16 vessels, aggregating about 41,000 tons, were launched, compared with 15 vessels of 60,000 tons at the same period last year. Unfortunately the amount of new business being placed is by no means considerable, which is not surprising, in face of the low freights ruling. The house-building trade is showing a considerable revival fortunately, and new work amounting to about half a million sterling has been fixed during the past two months.

WHITE PINE—Business during the month has been quiet. We hear of no transactions in waney boardwood, but there have been a few sales of first-class square deckwood, prices ranging from 2s. 6d. to 2s. 9d. per cubic foot, according to size. The stock of first quality waney pine is practically exhausted in first hands. There is, however, more than sufficient of square wood for prospective wants.

RED PINE—We hear of no sales to report. Prices, however, are firm, the stock being low.

OAK—There has been a fairly good demand during the month, chiefly for medium-sized wood, and we hear of a parcel or two of small wood, 12 to 14 inches, being cleared at 2s. 9d. to 2s. 11d. per cubic foot.

ELM—There has been a moderate enquiry during the month, and quite a number of sales. Prices of first-class rock elm are firm, but there is a disposition to accept lower prices for soft elm, as the stock of this class is heavy.

QUEBEC BIRCH—The amount of business done during the month has been only trifling, and prices are unchanged at about 16d. for 14 inch average. The stock on hand is small, and there is very little inquiry.

N. S. BIRCH—The stock on hand moves off very slowly, and prices show no improvement at a penny over the inch.

QUEBEC PLANKS—The stock of Quebec planks have been cleared out, but there is still a large amount of Lower Port planks on hand. A shipment of about 100 standards Halifax planks arrived this month, and was disposed of at £6 10s. per standard "ex quay" terms.

ASH—The market continues to be quite unusually dull, and there is not now the demand that used to exist in this market. When the price was raised so much a year or two ago, the principal consumers of Quebec ash looked out for a cheaper substitute and found it in poplar, and now a number of them prefer the latter. The stock on hand is large, and is ample for requirements for some time to come.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Again a snow-storm has made a quiet market on spruce lumber. But if orders are wanted—anything that has to be sawn—full prices have to be paid. Small randoms on the market, in cargoes that must be sold, hardly bring full prices, but even such lumber promises to do better as soon as house-building starts. Quotations are steady: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9 inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19 to $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and

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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼, 1½ and 2 inch picks and uppers	36 00	38 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No. 2 cuts & better	$32 00	$34 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1 inch clear and picks	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 00
2x10 common		17 00
2x12 common		17 50
3x10 common		17 00
3x12 common		17 50
1x10 and 12 common	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding mill run	16 50	17 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	16 50	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 co
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 50	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		19 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 00
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 50
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 75
X white pine shingles		1 00
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 00
XXX white pine shingles		3 00
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		12 50

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.
Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$26 00	$28 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2 in	20 00	22 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	17 00	18 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 "	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 "	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 18 00	19 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 "	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	38 00	42 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	40 00	45 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	29 co	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	34 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 co	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50

MANCHESTER, ENGLAND

1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt	2 00	2 5
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles: XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
		Hemlock	2 75

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	39	50
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	45	55
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 n., 10 n. and up wide	$66 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$62 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	66 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	62 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	53 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	46 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	46 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in, wide	40 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	27 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	20 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$72	$74	
2½ in.	72	74	
1 to 2 in.	65	67	
4 inch uppers	72	74	
Selects, 2½ in up	65	67	
1 to 2 in.	57	59	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	57	59	
1 to 2 in.	45	50	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	42	
No. 2	25	30	
No. 3	21	26	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	40	45	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	
Stained saps	25	30	
Bracket plank	30	35	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow		23	
1x10 inch shippers		20	
1x12 inch shippers	$21	$22	
4/4 inch 13" & up.	23	24	
4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17	18	
10-in. dressing and better	28	30	
10-in. common	18	19	
12-in. dressing and better	32	34	
Common, 1x12		19	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	24	25	
1x8	22	23	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	23	24	
1x10	21	22	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	25	28	
" 2 inch	28	30	
Dressing	26	32	
Common		20	

LATH.

Pine	$	$3 50	Spruce $ $3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 5c
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	70 00	1¼x10 and 12		35
2½ and 3 in.	72 00	75 00	1½ in.		34 co
4 in.		75 00	2 in		36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	62 co	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		38 50
2½ and 3 in.	63 00	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	40 00	42 00
4 in.		67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	28 co	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.		48 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		28 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		50 00	6, 8 and 10 in		23 00
2 in.		50 00	No. 2, 10 in.		21 00
3 in.		62 co	No. 2, 12 in.		24 00
4 in.		62 co	No. 3, 10 in.		19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		38 00	No. 3, 12 in.		20 00
No. 1 1¼ and 1½ in		48 00	Box, 1 x 4		15 oc
No. 2, 1 in.		23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	1 x 13 in and up		18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		26 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.		34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 00	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	37 00	39 00
1¼ to 2 in.	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 co

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CUSTOM SAWING

Can contract for one million feet or more, pine or hemlock; good shipping facilities. Write, SIMS LUMBER CO., Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.

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CEDAR POSTS, 8 FEET LONG, 5 INCH top, also Piling. Address HARRISON & HAWKE, Shallow Lake, Ont.

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A FIRST-CLASS CIRCULAR SAWYER, must understand cutting dimension timber. Apply giving references and wages expected, to A. & P. WHITE, Pembroke.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE IN STOCK, and ready for shipment, 5,000 cedar telephone poles, in all lengths from 25 to 65 feet. Prices given on application for lots of one carload or more, f. o. b. here, or delivered at points required in Canada or United States. GEORGE & MCGREGOR, Killaloe Station, Ont.

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WE HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 FEET DRY PINE in 1, 2 and 3 inch common and better, prefer selling in bulk. Will quote freight rate to Buffalo, Chicago or Toronto on application. Correspondence solicited. N.B.—Would like to correspond with consumers of hardwoods. ST. JOE ISLAND LUMBER CO., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

WE ARE PREPARED TO CONTRACT WITH mill men for this season's cut of Hardwood Lumber; will inspect at the mill and pay cash. LONDON LUMBER CO., London, Ont.

WANTED—HARDWOOD LUMBER.

SOFT ELM, BIRCH, BLACK ASH, 1STS and 2nds preferred. J. F. STEGAL, 99 Ellicott Square, Buffalo, N.Y.

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FOR SALE.

Rock Maple Peavey Handles, in any quantity. Lengths, 4 ft. 10 inch, to 5 ft. 6 inch. Write for quotations; prices will surprise you DOUGLAS BROS., Stanley, N. B.

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The advertiser solicits correspondence from Canadian firms who may be in position to supply ash, walnut and quartered oak timber for the New Zealand market. Address, in the first instance, "New Zealand," care of CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Canada.

WANTED—FOR EXPORT, ABOUT 240 M. feet Prime Soft Elm, 1 inch to 4 inch thick, usual widths and lengths. About 100 M. feet 1 inch Soft Elm Coffin Boards, 13 inches and wider, 6½ and 7 feet or multiples. For shipment during Montreal season. Cash against R. R. B. L. Address "PRIME," CANADA LUMBERMAN.

PARTNER WANTED.

AM OWNER OF A ROTARY SAW-MILL with 40 horse-power boiler and engine; also six square miles of lumber licenses, timbered chiefly with pine and hardwood; near railway station in N. B. Am desirous of entering into a partnership to turn the business into a general wood-working establishment. Address "Pine," care of this paper, for further particulars.

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BAND MILL FOR SALE ON GEORGIAN Bay, eight miles from Parry Sound. Capacity 40 M. feet per day. Modern mill of our own manufacture throughout. Ample boiler capacity, fine piling grounds with tramways; 16 to 20 feet of water right up to dock; mill situated in a well sheltered harbor. This plant can be bought cheap, considerably less than its orginal cost. Immediate possession can be given and stock of 2 or 3 million logs can be sawn by the thousand or purchased at a reasonable price Address WATEROUS, Brantford, Canada.

FOR SALE.

100,000 feet of 1 x 6, 8 and 10 pine, 10 to 16 feet, common and dressing.
50,000 1 inch chestnut, wormy, and common and better.
20,000 1 inch soft maple.
20,000 3 inch soft maple.
12,000 1 inch soft elm.
30,000 1, 1½, 2 inch red oak.
Piece stock in Red and White Oak, Black and White Ash and Chestnut.
To cut to order { 40,000 of choice beech. 50,000 of hard maple.
Full particulars on application. THE LEISHMAN MAUNDRELL CO., Woodstock, Ont.

The Timber Trades Journal reports the following charters: Steamer "Aureola," Halifax, N. S., to w. c. England, deals, 37s 6d, March; str. "Dora," Campbellton, N.B., to Cardiff, 41s 3d, March; str. "Helen," Halifax, N.S., to w. c. England, 36s 9d, April; str. "Chickdale," Halifax, N.S., to w. c. England, deals, 36s 3d, April; str. "Peerless," Cape Hopewell, N. B., to w. c. England, 35s f. o. w.; 1,200 standards, Miramichi, N. B., to w. c. England, 42s 6d; 1,100 standards, same ports, 41s 3d, June; 1,000 standards, Quebec to London, or east coast, 40s, f. o. w.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

As the season advances the outlook for the lumber trade becomes more promising. The number of permits issued within the past fortnight for new buildings to be built in the city of Toronto shows that a large quantity of lumber will be consumed in building operations. It now seems probable that serious labor troubles in that city will be averted, in which case a season of great activity may confidently be predicted. In other parts of the province there promises to be more building than last year. The lumber market received an unexpected boom by the recent mild weather, which almost put an end to logging operations for the time being. It is doubtful whether there will be sufficient cold weather, accompanied by the necessary snow fall, during the next month to enable logging operations to be completed as arranged, while it is feared that there will be a scarcity of water for the drives this spring. It is predicted that weather conditions will curtail the quantity of logs available for this year's sawing by at least 20 per cent.

The stocks at the mills are so small that buyers are finding difficulty in obtaining the necessary assortments. There is practically no good lumber in white pine that has not been contracted for. Of the common grades the supply is more plentiful, although it is estimated that nothing will be left in the yards when the mills resume operations. Some manufacturers are asking $14.50 to $15.50 for box and common, the latter for 12 to 16 feet lengths. For 1 by 10 and 12 inch mill culls $12 at the mill is asked. Hemlock lumber sells on the basis of $9.50 for 2 × 4 up to 12 inch, in lengths from 12 to 14 feet. It is almost impossible to give a quotation on white pine shingles, as very few manufacturers have any for sale. For No. 1 pine lath as high as $2.85 at the mill has been asked, but the average quotation is about $2.75.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is not so much life to the spruce market as earlier in the year. The fact that the British trade has not improved to the extent that was expected has restricted the volume of buying on that account, but holders of Quebec spruce deals are showing no anxiety as to the future, believing that the market will absorb the supply at good prices. Fancy prices are being paid for clapboards for shipment to the United States, where the supply is very light. The quotation for No. 1, Boston delivery, is $38. Cedar shingles continue to sell on the basis of $3.30 for extras. The log supply has become an important factor in the market. What is believed to be an early breaking up of winter has resulted in the decision of one or two operators not to attempt to drive their logs this year, as unless there should be large snow-falls within the next month, the streams will not be suitable for driving purposes. It is estimated that the cut this year on the Upper St. John river in New Brunswick was about 130,000,000 feet, which is about the same as last year. On the Lower St. John, however, unfavorable weather conditions curtailed the output. The total cut of spruce logs this winter was perhaps slightly less than one year ago, with the probability that a considerable proportion of the production will not reach the mills for this season's sawing.

UNITED STATES.

Our Albany price list this week shows an advance of one dollar per thousand in the price of 1 to 2 inch fine common and 1 by 12 inch shippers. This indicates the tendency of the white market. The recent mild weather has stimulated the buying of lumber. Dealers are picking up stock in the Lake Superior district and are paying prices which a few months ago would have been regarded as excessive. There is an active demand for No. 4 boards. This is one of the hopeful features of the white pine situation, as the supply of lower grades, while not large, is much greater than of good lumber. Should the demand develop as now seems probable, something approaching a famine in white pine will likely be experienced, particularly as the available crop of logs for the sawing season has been reduced in quantity by the recent mild weather. Spruce lumber is firm. The amount of dry stock on hand is gradually decreasing, whereas the new cut will not be in shipping condition for some time yet. Hemlock lumber has improved of late. An advance of one dollar per thousand has been made, the base price being $14.50 at Buffalo, $15 at Albany, $16 at New York, and $17 at Boston. It is claimed that the demand is greater than the supply. Hardwoods are stronger. Thick white ash has advanced at Buffalo to $35 to $37 for 1¼ to 2 inch, and $40 to $42 for 2½ to 4 inch. Birch is being used quite largely for house finish. Basswood is meeting with a larger inquiry. A marked shortage of lath is reported from producing points and from eastern wholesale markets. In Chicago the yard quotation on No. 1 white pine lath is $4.25, and on No. 2 mixed and Norway $3.75. At

Duluth and Ashland No. 1 is bringing $3.75, and No. 2 $3.25 in large quantities, and 25 cents more in car load lots. Shingles are firm in price, and the demand is increasing. It is predicted that extra A red cedar shingles will bring $3 in the Minneapolis market before the close of this year. The present price is $2.65. Clear white pine shingles are bringing $3.40 in Chicago.

GREAT BRITAIN.

We cannot report a material improvement in the British timber market. Very little buying is being done by importers, as there is an impression that the prices which shippers are asking are too high, and that sooner or later they must be adjusted to the level of the market. The consumption is moderately active, but dealers are obtaining their requirements from the stocks now landed, which in most cases can be bought on more liberal terms than in the case of new stock to arrive. First quality pine deals of broad average are inquired for, and recent sales have been made at high prices. The lower qualities are less firm. The outlook for spruce does not seem to be as good as it was two months ago. Prices at auction sales have shown weakness, 3 x 7 unassorted selling as low as £7 5s, and a small lot of third quality Quebec spruce, 3 x 11, at about £8 10s. The stock of waney timber at Glasgow and Liverpool is small and there has been some activity in demand. Messrs. Denny, Mott and Dickson state that the attempt to substitute swamp elm for Canadian rock elm has caused much friction and dissatisfaction to dealers and cousumers in Great Britain.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Mill culls are held as high as $15 by some Buffalo dealers. The range of box lumber is from $17 to $25.

Butler Bros., of Woodstock, Ont., have recently made an extensive purchase of shingles in British Columbia.

John Cameron, of Watson's Corners, Ont., has sold 100,000 feet of pine lumber to H. S. Toffey, of Portland, and 50,000 feet to T. B. Caldwell, of Lanark.

R. A. Brown, of Grand Forks, B. C., is taking out 2,700,000 ft. of logs on the north fork of the Kettle river, to be manufactured at the mill of Lequime & Powers on Smelter Lake.

W. H. McAuliffe, of Ottawa, has purchased 2,000,000 feet of dry lumber, the cut of A. Lumsden's mill at Temiscaming. Some of the lumber will be shipped to the United States and the balance sold in the local market.

It is estimated that the cut of logs during the past winter on the Canaan river in Queen's county, N. B., was about 5,000,000 feet. Of this quantity West Bros. got out over one million, the Sussex Mercantile Co. one million, and H. B. Heatherington over one and a half million.

The recent mild weather has been a drawback to logging operations. The Parry Sound Lumber Company have their logs cut in their own camps about all watered, but some of their jobbers are behind with their work. Hamill Bros. have 20,000 pieces yet to water, and McCormick & McLeod have 100,000 logs to draw. The William Peter Estate have made good progress with their logging operations.

Quotations at the Chicago yards for No. 1 pine piece stuff range from $16 to $20 for short and from $18 to $26 for long, the latter quotation being 3x12-30. No. 1 boards are quoted at from $25 to $26 for 12 inch, $21 to $22.50 for 10 inch and $22.50 for 8 inch. No. 2 boards are based on $22 to $23.50 for 12 inch, $19.50 for 10 inch and $18.50 for 8 inch. No. 3 boards sell at $16.50, $17 and $17.50 for 8, 10 and 12 inch respectively.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company in their report of March 1st, say of the Barbadoes market: "The arrivals have been the "Mercedese," from Belliveau Cove, N. S., and the "Hattie P," from Annapolis, N.S. The cargo of the former was sold for another market; that of the latter, consisting of 40,000 feet white pine, 44,000 feet spruce and 5,000 plain hemlock, has been sold at $20.05 shipping, $14.50 second quality white pine; $17.05 shipping, $13.05 second quality spruce; $11 hemlock. It is reported that other cargoes are on the way, and the market is heavily stocked. No receipts of shingles have taken place.

There are in the St. John river above and below the Fredericton booms and at Grand Falls, N B., about 30,000,000 feet of loose logs which have come down from the drives and are now in the ice. At a meeting of representative lumbermen held last week, tenders were opened for delivering the logs at the different mills, but as they were considered too high, it was decided that the lumbermen should do the work themselves, under the direction of J. Fraser Gregory. The logs are so situated that should the ice suddenly run the logs would be in danger of being carried out to the sea.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The spruce lumber market is firmer, with a better demand. The departure of the snow has started up building operations, or would have but for the transportation strike. But that is now over. Meantime advices from the northern and eastern spruce mills say that the snow is about all gone, and that the cut of spruce logs has been considerably shortened. Lumbermen also fear that the drives must be hung up for the want of water. Orders are better, but full prices have to be paid: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9 inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19 to $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $16 to $16.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; 5-inch and up merchantable boards, $15 to $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

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Inquiry is made by an Irish house for all classes of timber, spruce sheetings, floorings, mouldings, etc.

A London agent has a demand for birch, maple, oak and pitch pine wood blocks for flooring ; c.i.f. any port in the United Kingdom ; also for furniture wood and coffins and caskets in shook.

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2x10 common		17 00
2x12 common		17 50
3x10 common		17 00
3x12 common		17 50
1x10 and 12 common.	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding mill run	16 50	17 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	16 50	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 50	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		19 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 25
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 75
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		12 50

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Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in	1sts and 2nds	$26 00	$28 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in		22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in		23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2		17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.		18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	2..	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in		21 00	24 00
" 1½ to 2 ..		20 00	22 00
" m. r. 1 "	1¼	17 00	18 00
Butternut 1 "	1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 "	3..	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 "	2..	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds..	1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4..	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 "	1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	3..	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"		20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3..	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds.. 1½"	2..	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 1	1½	18 00	19 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4..	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4..	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4..	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2..	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds.. 1 "	3..	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2..	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	38 00	42 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	40 00	45 00
Pine, good strips : 1 in.	29 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	34 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts : 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding per M. feet		
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips		16 00 21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts		14 00 16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock		17 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock		15 00 16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings		15 00 17 00
Pine s. c. strips		13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts		11 00 15 00
Pine, box culls		12 50 14 50
Pine mill culls		11 50 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M : No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles : Clear Butt	2 00	2 25
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles : XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	39	50
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	45	55
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	66 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	62 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	53 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	46 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	46 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	40 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	27 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	20 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 00

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1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

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1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$72	$74	1x12 inch shippers	$21	$23
2½ in.	72	74	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	23	24
1 to 2 in.	65	67	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	72	74	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	65	67	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in.	57	59	12-in. dressing and better	32	34
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	57	59	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	46	51	No. 1 barn, 1x12	26	27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	42	1x10	24	25
No. 2	25	30	1x8	22	23
No. 3	21	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23	24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	40	45	1x10	21	22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	25	28
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	28	30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers		20			

LATH.

Pine	$	$3 50	Spruce	$	$3 50

SHINGLES.

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Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 2
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4 in.		75 00	2 in.	36 50	
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	62 00	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50	
2½ and 3 in.	63 00	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	40 00	42 00
4 in.		67 00	No. 2 Mou ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	28 00	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.		48 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		28 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		50 00	6, 8 and 10 in		23 00
2 in.		50 00	No. 2, 10 in.		21 00
3 in.		62 00	No. 2, 12 in.		24 00
4 in.		62 00	No. 3, 10 in.		19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		38 00	No. 3, 12 in.		20 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		48 00	Box, 1 x 4		15 00
No. 2, 1 in.		23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	1 x 13 in and up		18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		26 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.		34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 00	14 50

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in.	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

With one exception the outlook for the lumber trade is of the brightest character. That exception is the possibility of labor troubles in one or two of the larger cities of the province. Whether the present difficulties will be amicably arranged is a matter of much uncertainty, but with this obstacle removed there will doubtless be a large amount of building throughout the province. The demand for lumber during March was considerably greater than in the previous month. The heavy buying by United States concerns has continued. It is estimated by one who recently visited Georgian Bay manufacturing points that the greater portion of the coming season's production has already been contracted for. This is probably correct, inasmuch as the possible production has been reduced by the early breaking up of logging operations. In addition to the shortage in the quantity of logs that will reach the streams, it is probable that there will be low water for driving and that many logs that have been successfully banked will not reach the mills. The weather conditions of this spring would seem to have removed all prospects of lower prices for white pine during this year, and it would not be surprising if there should be a material appreciation in some grades. Even if the British market should continue depressed, there will be no difficulty in marketing all the lumber manufactured, as a considerable shortage in the production of the United States is predicted. Hardwoods have at last followed the course of white pine and are showing improvement. The buying is of a character which augurs well for the future. Dealers report no difficulty in effecting sales. One dealer who took the road for a couple of days ostensibly for the purpose of getting in touch with the situation reports that he was given orders for several carloads of hardwoods. The more sanguine ones predict that there will be a decided shortage in hardwood lumber during the year, as dry stocks are not large and the production of logs last winter was much below the average, perhaps not more than one-half that of 1900. In a certain section of the Wiarton district where three million feet of hardwood logs were taken out one year ago, not more than one million was cut the past winter. In quality, however, the logs are better than usual. There is a good demand for cedar and hemlock, of which the stock is light. Hemlock readily brings $9.50 at the mills. White pine shingles and lath are practically out of the market and buyers have almost given up searching for them. Hemlock shingles are bringing $2.40 and $2.50 at the mill.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

In order to take advantage of the exceptionally low freight rates now ruling, a considerable quantity of deals has been shipped to England by the regular liners from St. John to Halifax. Accordingly, the small wintering stocks at these ports and on the Miramichi will be almost depleted by the opening of navigation, and the first open-water shipments are likely to be lighter than usual. The market for spruce deals is likely to be firm through the spring months at least, and the early breaking up of winter cannot but have the effect of strengthening prices. The present indications are that the stock of logs which will reach the mills will not be sufficient for the season's requirements and will bring about a reduction in the lumber output. It is expected that large shipments will this year be made to South America, France and Germany. There will be considerable activity this season in square and waney timber, as it is estimated that the cut during the past winter was considerably greater than usual. There continues to be a good demand for clapboards and shingles for shipment to the Eastern States.

MANITORA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Building operations in Winnipeg are starting off with a boom, and promise to be more brisk than for some years. Architects have plans in hand for many important buildings, including one to be built by Lord Strathcona which will cost about $150,000 and will require nearly one million feet of lumber. The extent of the lumber demand, however, will be to some extent in proportion to the movement of wheat. At the present time immense quantities of wheat have not been moved and elevators are being built to accommodate the surplus of last season's record crop. Prices of lumber and shingles are unchanged, although an advance in the price of British Columbia fir flooring and some lines of British Columbia cedar lumber is talked of. The lumber trade of British Columbia is quite

active. Seven vessels are loading lumber at Vancouver for export, shippers evidently wishing to take advantage of the present low freights. Large orders have been placed with Vancouver mills for piles for shipment to the Phillipine Islands, but it is feared that the exportation of piles is prohibited by the recent legislation. There is an active demand for cedar logs and prices have advanced $2 per thousand feet. The price of shingles is also firmer, although no sustained advance is looked for.

UNITED STATES.

The probability of an early opening of navigation is regarded favorably by wholesale dealers in the Eastern States whose stocks of white pine have become broken and who feared that they would not have a sufficient supply for their customers. The demand in the east is showing considerable activity, even the lower grades being more inquired for than for some time. Further advances have been made in the price of uppers, which are now selling in the Buffalo market at $70 for 1 to 2 inch and $75 for 2½ to 4 inch. Inch No 1 cutting-up stock has been advanced to $40 at Buffalo and Tonawanda. Our Bay City list this week shows an advance of $2 in 1 to 2 inch uppers and 1 to 1½ inch selects, and $4 in No. 2 inch cutting-up stock. Twelve-inch barn boards in all grades are marked up $2. There is a great scarcity of 12-inch boards. Manufacturers in the Lake Superior district will endeavor to make a large cut in the sawing season now approaching, but the short supply of logs will likely restrict the production. The spruce situation is gaining strength. Special frames for immediate delivery are quoted fifty cents higher, while randoms are a little weaker. Hardwoods are going into consumption quite freely. Dry stocks have become nearly exhausted and the outlook is encouraging for higher prices for all kinds of hardwoods. Basswood and oak are particularly scarce. Birch is in good demand, but ash and maple are moving slower than the other varieties. The recent advance in the price of hemlock lumber has been maintained and has apparently not affected the consumption, as the demand continues strong. The manufacturers in Michigan recently made an advance of $1.50 per thousand.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The desire of importers to reduce their stocks before the new goods arrive is responsible for a large quantity of lumber being offered at auction during the past fortnight. Spruce and pine deals comprised almost the entire catalogue of a sale by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, on March 12th. Prices on the whole were well maintained, although odd sizes did not sell nearly as well as regulars, the quantity of which is quite limited. First quality Quebec pine 3x11 brought £24 15s for 11 feet and 3x9 inch £18. Second quality 3x11 sold at $16. Quebec spruce was well taken on the basis of £9 5s for 3x9 inch third quality. The red pine was in little demand, and it is said that the prices realized in many cases represent a loss to the importers.

There is considerable buying of square timber. Oak suitable for wagon making is in demand, particularly in Scotland, where stocks are low. For prime timber 2s to 2s 4d per cubic foot is readily obtainable. Good ash logs are likewise in request, the quotation for them being about 2s per cubic foot.

So far as buying of this year's production is concerned, we are told that little progress has been made, and that shippers and importers must come nearer together in their ideas of prices before there will be much life to the trade. Nevertheless, Canadian shippers are said to have met with fair success. It is reported that they have reduced their prices in some instances and have made sales at £9 c. i. f. for 3x9 second quality spruce and £8 10s for third quality. A report from Belfast, Ireland, states that there has been considerable business done in Canadian spruce for spring shipment at advanced prices, although it is believed that the market will weaken towards midsummer. Sales of waney board pine have been made at very satisfactory figures.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Gilmour & Company will have a quantity of lumber cut this season at Carew's mill at Lindsay, Ont.

The Rathbun Company, of Deseronto, took out some 35,000 logs and railway ties in Cavendish township during the past winter.

Present quotations for shingles at Buffalo are $4.50 for the best grade of 18-inch pine and $4.25 for red cedar Perfections.

The Revelstoke Lumber Company, Revelstoke, B. C., have secured a stock of about 3,500,000 feet of logs for this season's sawing operations.

James Ludgate, of Seguin Falls, has taken a contract to drive all the logs for the William Peter Estate and the Parry Sound Lumber Company that go down the Seguin river.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., put in 200,000 feet of board pine last winter in the Georgian Bay district, which has been sold to Quebec parties for export.

It is reported that J. & T. Charlton, of Collingwood, have sold their entire season's cut, the last sale reported being 6,000,000 feet of white pine to Fish, Bradley & Company, of Bay City, Mich.

The cooperage market does not show the normal amount of activity for this season. Stock is offered freely. In the Minneapolis district some strength is exhibited and $8.50 is being asked for No. 1 Michigan staves.

Tonawanda and Buffalo dealers are reported to have purchased about 10,000,000 feet of white pine from the Ontario Lumber Company, to be manufactured this season at the company's mills at French River, Ont.

Twenty-seven car loads of square timber have been shipped this spring by Mooney & McDougall from Almonte to Quebec. The timber is pine, oak, ash and rock elm and is destined for the Liverpool market.

Destructful floods occurred last week in several sections at New Brunswick. By the breaking of a dam at Lepreaux 3,000,000 feet of logs owned by J. A. Gregory, of St. John, were carried away. They had been cut and hauled along the river banks ready for the spring drive. Mr. Gregory estimates his loss at $15,000.

The following vessels are loading lumber at Vancouver: "Reuce," for Sydney, Australia; "Andromeda," for Callao; "Rose," for Geraldtown; "Amaranth," for Taku; "Adderley," for Sydney; "Prince Louis," for Cardiff.

Keenan Bros., of Owen Sound, Ont., have purchased the mill of the Goderich Lumber Company at that place, together with their stock of dry lumber now in the yard, amounting to about 1,500,000 feet of hemlock, cedar and pine. They have also secured about 3,000,000 feet of hemlock and hardwood logs for this year's supply, and expect to have the mill in operation very shortly.

At a recent auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, oak timber sold at a range from 82s 6d per load for 12½ x 18¼ inch, 14 to 29 feet long, to 105s for 10 x 16 in., 31-47 ft. Ash timber from Quebec sold at the following prices: 13-21 in., 12 to 14 ft. long, 36s per load; 12½ x 15 in., 14 to 30 ft., 55s; 12 1/2 x 15 in., 14 to 29 ft., 47s; 11 1/2 x 15 1/2, 10 to 17 ft., 45s; 12¼ x 15 1/2, 15 to 30 ft., 47s; 12¾ x 16, 8 to 21 ft., 45s. A small quantity of elm timber, 11¾ x 12 1/2 in., 26 feet long, brought 41s per load of 50 cubic feet.

It is estimated that the cut of logs last winter on the South-west Miramchi, in New Brunswick, was a little more than one-half that of the previous winter, the shortage being due in a large measure to the scarcity of men and the high price of supplies. The cut of the different firms is given as follows: William Richard & Company, 11,000,000 feet; T. Lynch, 7,000,000 feet; M. Welsh, 5,000,000 feet; H. Bentley, 3,000,000 feet; E. Hutchinson, 500,000 feet, a total of 26,500 000 feet. The cut on the Restigouche river will be about 20,000,000 feet, as compared with 30,000,000 feet one year ago.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Business is dull in local lumber circles shipments by rail being light. The American inquiry is not as active as it was a month ago, but better things are expected with the resumption of operations at the mills.

It is now a settled fact that the new mill talked of for several months will not be built before the autumn months at the earliest, and perhaps not till next spring. Difficulty over the question of transportation has caused a delay. The mill will probably be built at Deschenes.

All last year's mills will be operated again this season, and the small mill on the Bronson property at the Chaudiere, may be fitted up for a season's cutting. Gillies Bros. will operate four mills, one Bræside, one at Black Point, one at Sandy Hook, and one at Folger.

A gentleman who has just returned from the Kippewa and Temiscamingue districts confirms the report that the recent thaw has placed several of the lumber operators in a tight corner as regards the movement of their logs. All, however, hope to get most of this season's cut out of the woods before the roads break-up. One feature of the winter's operations was the amount of square timber produced. It was equal to that of any year in the previous decade. Fully 1,500,000 cubic feet of square timber will be rafted and floated down the Ottawa during the coming summer. Thomas Munro, of Pembroke, has four rafts, and Robert Hurdman, of Ottawa, three rafts, the combined cut amounting to about 900,000 cubic feet. The Rideau Lumber Company got out a couple of smaller rafts and other operators gave the square timber attention. Mr. Munro will be able to get his logs down early, as they are piled on the bank of the main stream of the Ottawa. The early break-up has made the transfer of fodder and supplies to the limits a difficult matter. Most of the operators were actively engaged in this branch of the work when the roads were broken by the thaw. They will have to complete their delivery by wagon and jumper at double the cost.

A feature in the market is the good prospects for spruce. This lumber was looked on for some time past as a poor seller at low price. Reports from New York show that it is in increased demand and likely to command better prices. This will prove gratifying news to mill owners who are going to cut any considerable quantity of spruce. The only hardwood that is in active demand is basswood.

The Rideau Lumber Company will cut considerable stock at Hagar & Company's mill at Plantaganet during the coming season.

Mr. Robert Hurdman's output of logs for the season just closing was between 82,000 and 100,000.

The best sale of the past few days was that made by Mr. T. A. Low, of Renfrew, who sold 3,000,000 feet of Barnet Low's stock cut at their mill at Little Current to a North Tonawanda firm.

No change in quotations is reported on the local market. Lath, shingles and deals remain firm in price.

Mr. Wm. B. Bartram, late sargeant of Strathcona's Horse, and now representing Davidson & Thackray, of Ottawa, in Cape Town in the lumber business, has been elected a member of the Chamber of Commerce for South Africa.

The government has changed the position of the slides at the Chaudiere Falls on the Ottawa River in order to improve the water power and faciliate the passage of timber.

Ald. Charles Desmarais, of Hull, contractor for telephone and telegraph poles, reports the last winter's cut below the average. The deep snow and the short season combined to make the work in the bush difficult. Ald. Desmarais had 80 men at work and secured about 4,000 poles in the Gatineau and Pontiac districts. The supply, he states, is far short of the demand and he has had half a dozen offers for his entire stock. He looks for an advance in price.

Mr. Wm. Mackey, the veteran lumberman who recently sold his limits to Mr. J. R. Booth for $655,000, has presented St. Patrick's R. C. church with a new altar costing $5,000. It was consecrated on St. Patrick's Day. A tablet bearing mention and appreciation of Mr. Mackey's generosity will be placed in position in the church shortly.

The prospects for the season's building in Ottawa are good. Rumors of strikes furnish the only dark streak in the prospect. All the mill owners look for an active local demand. Shingles are exceedingly scarce and are bound to advance in price with the resumption of building operations.

OTTAWA, March 23rd, 1902.

MANCHESTER, ENGLAND

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The outlook for spruce lumber is very strong. Freshets have carried supplies of logs down river, while the season for lumbering and getting new logs has been cut most decidedly short by the very early departure of the snow. The late drive last year contained 28,000,000 feet of logs for Bangor. About 5,000,000 of these logs were carried out to sea by a freshet early in the winter, and now the present freshet has carried at least 12,000,000 out to sea. Hence the Bangor supply must be very small till new logs come down. Meantime, the demand begins to improve, with every indication of a good business, and leading spruce men feel sure that under such conditions prices are extremely likely to go still higher, although already about the highest on record: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9 inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $16.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $17.50; 5-inch and up merchantable boards, $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock is well sustained with the demand good: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 to $15.50 for good eastern; Vermont, $13.50 to $14.50; random, eastern, $13.50 to $14.50; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17; No. 2, $14.50 to $15.

The great strength in the white pine position is continued, with quotations very firm: Uppers, 1-in. $75 to $80; 2½ and 3 in. $80 to $85; 4-in. $85 to $88; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68; 2-in. $69 to $70; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $56 to $58; 1¼ to 1½ in. $62 to $66; 2-in. $68 to $70; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71; 4-in. $80; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwoods are in quiet request, with prices very firm: One-inch, whitewood, $38 to $40; thicker, $39 to $42; ⅝ inch, $30 to $35; saps, inch, $25 to $30; common, $23 to $25; quartered oak, $56 to $65; fancy, $70 to $75; plain oak, $40 to $47; black ash, $40 to $50; white ash, $45 to $55; cherry, $90 to $130; maple, $32 to $40.

Shingles are in short supply and firm, though the demand is small: Extra cedar, $3.25 to $3.35; clear, $2.85 to $2.95; second clear, $2.35 to $2.50; sap, $2.10; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.90; Washington and British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.45 to $3.50; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards are very firm, with the supply small. The demand is also small: Extra spruce, $38 to $40; clear, $36 to $38; second clear, $33 to $35; extra No. 1, $24 to $26.

Laths are very firm: One and five-eighths inch, $3 to $3.25; 1½ inch, $2.90 to $3.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

A large quantity of pine and spruce lumber was disposed of at an auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, on March 12th. The large quantity offered "without reserve" is said to have had a depressing effect on the bidding, but on the whole prices throughout were better than anticipated and it is considered that the demand for both pine and spruce is improving. This is especially the case with the New Brunswick spruce. The result of the sale is given below:

PINE.—Ex. Ontarian, from Quebec.—12 ft. 3x11 first quality, £24 15s per std; 14-16 ft. 3x11, £25; 10-11 ft. 3x11, £22; 14-16 ft. 3x10, £17 16s; 13-16 ft. 3x9, £18; 13-16 ft. 3x8, £16 15s; 11-12 ft. 3x7-10, £13 15s; 9-10 ft. 3x7-10, £15 15s; 6-9 ft. 3x11-20, £19 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x7-10, £15 5s; 12 ft. 3x11, second quality, £15 15s; 13 ft. 3x11, £16; 14 ft. 3x11, £15 10s; 15 ft. 3x11, £15 15s. Ex. Prome, from Quebec—10-16 ft. 2x9 in. unassorted red, £10 5s per std; 10-17 ft. 2x7, £8; 10-16 ft. 2x4, £8; 10-18 ft. 2x5, £6 15s. Ex. Rosarian, from Quebec—11 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, £24 15s and £25; 10 ft. 3x11, £24 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x10, £18 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x8, £18 10s. Ex Bawtry, from Quebec—12 ft. 2x6-12 in. first quality, £19 5s; 11 ft. 2x6-13, £18 5s; 10 ft. 2x5-13, £17; 11 ft. 3x11 in. second quality £15 5s; 10 ft. 3x11, £16 5s. Ex. Strathavon, from Gander Bay, Que.—12-17 ft. 3x11-21 in. first quality, £22 10s; 12-18 ft. 3x5-8, £11 10s; 12-17 ft. 3x10, £9 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x9, £10 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x8, £9; 12-13 ft. 3x7, £9; 12-13 ft. 3x6, £9 5s; 12-18 ft. 3x4, £8 10s; 9-11 ft. 3x9-18, £10 10s. Ex. Manchester Shipper, from Quebec—12 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, 25 5s; 13 ft. 3x11, £25 10s; 12-18 ft. 3911 in. first quality, red, (planed one side and both edges), £16; 12-18 ft. 1x10 1/2, £13 5s; 12-18 ft. 1x9, £14; 12-18 ft. 1x8, £11 10s; 12-15 ft. 1x8 1/2, £11 15s; 12-18 ft. 2x9-10, £17; 12-18 ft. 1x11 in. second quality, red, £12 10s; 12-18 ft. 1x10 1/2, £9 10s; 12-18 ft. 1x9, £11 10s; 12-18 ft. 1x8 1/2, £9 5s. Ex. Vera, from Montreal—14-24 ft. 4x11 in. third quality red, £9 15s and £10; 16-24 ft. 4x11, £9 15s; 12-22 ft. 3x11, £9 5s; 9-25 ft. 3x7, £9; 12-22 ft. 3x7, £9 10s. Ex. Andoni, from Montreal—13-16 ft. 3x10 in. second quality, £13 15s; 14-16 ft. 3x9, £13 10s and £11 10s; 13 ft. 3x8, £11 10s; 13 ft. 3x7, £11 5s; 14-16 ft. 3x7, £11; 10-16 ft. 3x9-10 in. third and fourth quality, £8 5s. Ex. Montenegro, from Montreal—12 ft. 3x11 in. second quality, £16 5s; 11-13 ft. 3x11, £16 10s; 12-18 ft. 1¼x9, £8 5s. Ex. Nyanza, from Quebec—12-18 ft. 3x7 in. second quality red, £7 15s; 13-18 ft. 3x7 in. third quality red, £6 15s and £7; 11-13 ft. 3x10 in. second quality white, £12 5s; 12-13 ft. 3x9, £12; 12-13 ft. 3x7-8, £11 15s; 11 ft. 3x9, £11 10s. Ex. Griplingham, from Chatham, N.B.—12-22 ft. 3x12-20 in. first quality, £13 10s; 12-22 ft. 3x11, £14; 15-22 ft. 3x9, £11 5s; 10-11 ft. 3x8-17, £9 10s; 12-14 ft. 3x12-21 in. second quality, £10 58s; 15-19 ft. 3x12-21, £9 15s; 15-20 ft. 3x11, £11; 12-16 ft. 3x9, £9 5s; 17-22 ft. 3x9, £9 5s; 12-14 ft. 3x8, £8 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x7, £8 10s; 10-11 ft. 3x11-20, £10 15s; 10-11 ft. 3x9, £8 15s; 12-19 ft. 3x12-20 in. third quality, £8 15s; 12-22 ft. 3x11, £9 10s; 10-11 ft. 3x11-20. £9 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x9, £8 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x7-8, £8; 14-15 ft. 3x7, £7 15s.

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CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc. from Canadian ports are reported since last issue :

From Vancouver, B. C.: Str. Tartar for Japan, 41,157 feet dressed fir, 145,699 ft. rough fir, value $3,562, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Company. Barque Andromeda, for Chili, 879,020 feet rough fir, value $7,714, by British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Co. Tug Dauntless, for United States, 265,000 ft. cedar logs, value $1,193, by Malloy & Larkins. Barque Rose, for Australia, 571,670 ft. rough fir, 160,000 laths, 6 spars, value $5,323, by Robert Ward & Co.

From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Kastalia, for Glasgow, Schtland, 980,841 ft. deals, etc., value $20,587. Str. Corinthian, for Liverpool, 82,527 ft. deals, value $980. Str. Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 368,697 ft. lumber, value $3,686. Str. Numidian, for Liverpool, 226,867 ft. lumber, value $2,402.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Lake Ontario, for Liverpool, 142 tons timber, by W. M. Mackay; 10 cases pickets, by John Harrison & Sons; 4,800 ft. box shooks, by T. W. Flett; 49 tons birch timber, 92,000 ft. deals, by Troop & Son. Schr. John Stroup, for New York, 200,657 ft. deal ends, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Abbie Keast, for New London, 44,865 ft. spruce boards, 76,654 ft. scantling, 276,000 shingles, by Stetson & Cutler. Steamer Numidian, for Liverpool, 271,765 feet spruce deals, 33,034 feet spruce scantling, 142 feet spruce boards, 493 feet spruce ends, 1,295 ft. birch deals, 102 ft. birch scantling, by George McKean; 2,931 maple blocks, by William Thomson & Company.

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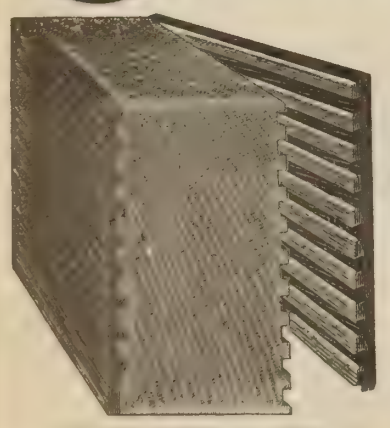
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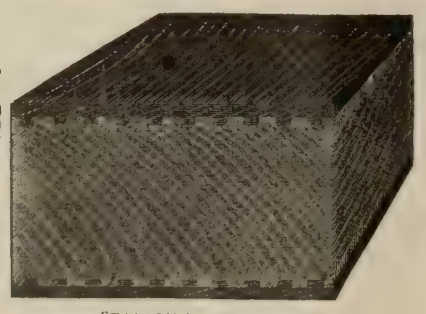
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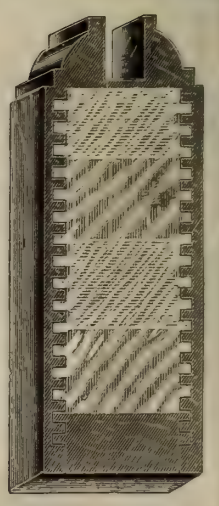
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Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		19 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 25
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 75
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		12 50

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in			Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	20 00 22 00
1sts and 2nds		$26 00 $28 00	Elm rock, mill run	1½"	3.. 23 00 25 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in		22 00 24 00	Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½"	2.. 32 00 35 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in		23 00 25 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1	1½ 18 00 19 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2		17 00 19 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2	4.. 20 00 21 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in		18 00 20 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1	1½ 31 00 33 00
" 1½		2.. 20 00 22 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2	4.. 34 00 36 00
" sqrs. 4x4		8x8 24 00 26 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1	1½ 32 00 36 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in		21 00 24 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2	4.. 35 00 38 00
1½ to 2		20 00 22 00	Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1	2.. 60 00 65 00
" m. r.	1	1¼ 17 00 18 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1	3.. 85 00 100 00
Butternut	1	1½ 23 00 25 00	Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1	2.. 24 00 38 00
"	2	3.. 25 00 28 00			
Chestnut	1	2. 24 00 26 00			
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds		1½ 50 00 60 00			
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2	4.. 60 00 65 00			
Elm, soft, mill run	1	1½ 16 00 19 00			
Elm, soft, mill run	2	3.. 17 00 19 00			

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings:		
1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	38 00	42 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	40 00	45 00
Pine, good strips:		
1 in.	29 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	34 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts:		
1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b. m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	39	50
" " " 19 to 21 inch average	45	55
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$63 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$64 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	61 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	54 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

Cedar Shingles:		
Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles:		
XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$72	$74	1x12 inch shippers	$21	$23
2½ in.	72	74	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	23	24
1 to 2 in.	65	67	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	72	74	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	65	67	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in.	57	59	12-in. dressing and better	32	34
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	57	59	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	45	51	No. 1 barn, 1x12	26	27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	42	1x10	24	25
No. 2	25	30	1x8	22	23
No. 3	21	96	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23	24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	40	45	1x10	21	22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	25	28
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	28	30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers		20			

LATH.

Pine	$	$3 50	Spruce	$	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		70 00	1¼x10 and 12		35
2½ and 3 in.		75 00	1½ in.		34 50
4 in.		75 00	2 in		36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	62 50	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		38 50
2½ and 3 in.		65 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in.	40 00	42 00
4 in.		67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	28 00	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.		48 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		28 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		50 00	6, 8 and 10 in		23 00
2 in		50 00	No. 2, 10 in.		21 00
3 in.		62 00	No. 2, 12 in.		24 00
4 in.		62 00	No. 3, 10 in.		19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		38 00	No. 3, 12 in.		20 00
1¼ and 1½ in		48 00	Box, 1x4		15 00
No. 2, 1 in.		23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	1 x 13 in and up		18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		26 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.		34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in.	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.	28 00	30 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	27 00	

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120,000 ft. 1" dry Pine, No. 1 Mill Culls and Box and Better Shorts.
Lath, Shingles, Pine and Cedar Timbers, etc.
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The advertiser solicits correspondence from Canadian firms who may be in position to supply ash, walnut and quartered oak timber for the New Zealand market. Address, in the first instance, "New Zealand," care of CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Canada.

PARTNER WANTED.

A MOWNER OF A ROTARY SAW-MILL with 40 horse-power boiler and engine; also six square miles of lumber licenses, timbered chiefly with pine and hardwood; near railway station in N. B. Am desirous of entering into a partnership to turn the business into a general wood-working establishment. Address "Pine," care of this paper, for further particulars.

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WE HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 FEET DRY PINE in 1, 2 and 3 inch common and better, prefer selling in bulk. Will quote freight rate to Buffalo, Chicago or Toronto on application. Correspondence solicited. N.B.—Would like to correspond with consumers of hardwoods. ST. JOE ISLAND LUMBER CO., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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TO

Pine and Spruce MANUFACTURERS.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Notwithstanding that within a few weeks there will be a general resumption of sawing operations in Ontario, the lumber market continues decidedly strong. As far as can be learned, prices have not receded in a single instance, and it is even predicted that current quotations will rule after the mills are sawing, owing to the large quantity of the season's cut that has already been placed. It is reported that as much as 100,000,000 feet of Ontario pine has been contracted for by a large firm of Michigan dealers. It was known that the firm in question had been heavy buyers, but few supposed that their purchases would reach this large amount. The buying of dry stock continues to the extent that suitable lumber can be found, but in some grades and sizes, such as 12 inch boards, the market is almost bare. The best grade of pine lumber has not yet been advanced in Ontario as much as in the Eastern States, where uppers are bringing from $65 to $75.

Opinion is becoming more general that hardwood lumber will witness an improvement during the year. Consumers are showing a disposition to purchase in advance of requirements and to contract for lumber to be cut. Some dealers tell of a slow demand for oak, b this lumber will no doubt improve in t near future, as favorable reports of come from the United States.

The outlook in Toronto has be darkened by labor troubles. It w thought a fortnight ago that strikes wou be prevented, but subsequent events ha changed the situation, and it now seet that there will be a strike of painters a carpenters, with the possibility of t difficulties extending to the other trade Consequently some persons who contet plated building have decided to postpo their work for another year or until t present labor troubles are disposed of.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce situation has not improv during the past week. Shippers ha been successful in placing only a sm portion of their prospective shipments Great Britain, and are, therefore, n disposed to purchase further from man facturers. Although freight rates a exceptionally low, chartering is inactiv and it is understood that the quantity deals so far booked to go forward comparatively small. The uncertain regarding the log drives is the o feature which tends to hold the mark firm. Should a considerable quantity logs be hung up, as now seems probab owing to the small quantity of snow in t woods, there would doubtless be a go demand at fair prices for all the lumb manufactured. It is estimated that t state of Maine did not produce within per cent. of the usual quantity of lo last winter, while the cut in New Brun wick and Nova Scotia was curtail slightly. In Quebec operations in t woods were commenced early last f and a full stock of logs has been secur by most of the operators. Cedar shingl continue firm on the basis of $3.30 extras, on Boston rate of freight. The is a good demand for spruce lath.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Building and railway construction pro ises to be very active in Manitoba and North-West Territories this year. Winnipeg the number of real estate tra actions during the past month has be very large, and many import buildings are projected. The contract the Strathcona block has been awarded Mr. P. Burnett. This block will cost ab $150,000, and will require a large qu tity of finishing lumber. The outlook the lumber and shingle business in Bri Columbia is bright. The number of tim limit licenses issued for the first t months of this year was 35, as compa

th 19 for the same period last year. ear cedar logs are now selling in Vanuver at $10.

A fortnight ago the British Columbia Lumr and Shingle Manufacturers' Associan announced an increase in the price of veral grades of lumber. Rough and mmon fir, formerly quoted at $10 to 7.50, was raised $1 per M, and is now oted at $11 to $18.50. Dressed fir lumr, common S. I. S., formerly quoted at 1, is now $12, and shiplap, formerly $12, now $12. Cedar boat lumber, doubleessed, 2nd quality, up to 20 feet, was vanced $5 to $25 to $30. Shingles were so advanced from $1.25 and $1.75 to .50 and $2.

UNITED STATES.

All kinds of lumber continue to show an ward tendency in the United States, d although prices are exceptionally gh, it has not resulted in a perceptible ling off in the demand. Dry stocks e badly broken at manufacturing and olesale centres, but the probability of early sawing season will soon relieve e situation. Following the recent adnce of two dollars in the price of uppers d selects at Bay City and Saginaw, we e told that an advance in the price of op lumber will be made this week. This ss of lumber is exceedingly scarce and quiries are being received by dealers m large manufacturing concerns. From icago comes the report that sales of). 1 pine stuff have been made at $14.50 early delivery, and that holders are w asking $15. This is the highest price which pine piece stuff has ever been d in that market. There is an active mand for hardwoods and consumers ow a disposition to buy for the future. ere is a good call for maple, while it is nost impossible to secure 1¼ inch oak. Short hemlock is quoted in Chicago at m $10.75 to $11, and long at $12.50 to 3, with the demand greater than the lls can supply. White cedar is stronger. a meeting of the price list committee of Northwestern Cedarmen's Association d at Marinette, Wis., on March 24th, it s reported that the cut of logs had been rtailed fully 25 per cent. As a result it s decided to recommend immediate vances as follows: One cent on 5 to nch 7-foot posts; ½ cent on 3-inch nds; 2 cents on 7-inch; 5 cents on 8-ch; 3 and 5 cents on 10-foot lengths; cents on 12, 14 and 16-foot lengths. legraph poles were raised 5 cents and ing one cent. Star shingles were adnced from $2.20 to $2.90, and standards m $2.10 to $2.30.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Recent advices from Great Britain do t tell of a very flourishing condition of e lumber trade. The heavy losses susned last year have had the effect of king dealers extremely cautious, and ere has been little buying beyond the tual needs of their business. The tightss of money and the quietness in the ilding trade have also affected the lume of business. Prices generally ow no improvement, but Canadian timr seems disposed to break away from depression governing the trade at ge. There has been of late a slight provement in white pine. Glasgow has ught Quebec white pine deals at from enty shillings to thirty shillings per ndard more than last season's quotans. There is no difficulty in placing regular sizes, but for irregular lots a duction in price must be made in order to effect a sale. Spruce deals are steady. Such dimensions as 3 x 11 and 3 x 9 are exceedingly scarce. Spruce battens have sold well under the hammer, a parcel of 3 x 7 unassorted, from Saguenay, Quebec, averaging £7 12s 6d per standard, as compared with £7 2s 6d one week previous.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Merrill & Ring Company, of Duluth, Minn., last week sold 14,000,000 feet of No. 3 and better pine, the first of this year's cut.

The cut of logs in the district of East Kootenay, B. C., during the past winter was greater than for many years, aggregating over 200,000 logs.

Lumbermen at River Hebert and Shulee, N. S., lost a large quantity of logs and piling through the breaking of dams and booms by last week's freshet.

The corporation of Napanee, Ont., is asking for tenders up to April 21st for supply of pine sidewalk plank and three inch stringers, the latter of cedar.

C. Reid's Sons, of Bothwell, Ont., have purchased the timber on a 550 acre lot near their mills at Bothwell. They have three years in which to move the timber.

It is reported that the Turner Lumber Company, of Midland, Ont., have disposed of their season's cut of pine to Skillings, Whitney & Barnes, of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

W. B. Dickson, who represents W. M. Mackay, of St. John, in Albert county, N. B., reports that the cut of logs this season in that county will aggregate about 40,000,000 feet.

The Munro Lumber Company, of Pembroke, Ont., have 100 cribs of timber ready to take to the water for shipment to Quebec. The timber is at Seven League Lake.

The tender of the Rathbun Company has been accepted for the supply of lumber to the city of Kingston, Ont., at the following prices: Two and three inch lumber, $18.85 per M feet; 1 and 1½ feet, $18.85; cedar sleepers, 2¾ cents per lineal foot.

James Rae, of Ahmic Harbor, Ont., writes that on account of the early breakup of winter, some pine and hardwood logs have been left in the woods. The hardwood mills in that vicinity are fairly well stocked with logs and will soon be running again.

At Buffalo dealers are asking $4.50 for best grade white pine shingles and $4.25 for red cedar Perfections, and some dealers are even talking about asking higher prices. In the Saginaw valley white pine are quoted at $2.60 to $3.90 and cedar at $2.00 to $2.75.

For the supply of 54,000 lineal feet of hemlock deals to the city of St. John, N.B., tenders were submitted as follows: J. M. Driscoll, $10.75 per M; George McKean, $9.50; John E. Moore & Company, $9.00, the latter being accepted. F. E. Sayre & Company offered to supply 133 tons of hemlock timber at $4.50 per ton, and 90 tons of red pine at $6.00 per ton. Murray & Gregory will supply 3,000 square yards of spruce blocks at 50 cents per yard.

The following references to the Barbadoes market is found in the report of S. P. Musson, Son & Co., dated March 15th: "The only landing to note is the 'Neva,' from Bear River, N. S., with 58,000 feet second quality white pine, which was sold at $15.60. There are full stocks of both white pine and spruce, but dealers show a willingness to buy at about late rates. We had the "Onora" from Liverpool, N. S., on 9th inst., but dispatched her to Demarara under an offer of $27.00 for 46,000 feet shipping, $22.00 for 41,000 feet second quality white pine, and $22.00 for 47,000 feet hemlock. No receipts of any kind of shingles have taken place, but there is little inquiry.

There is not much start in the cooperage trade, says the American Lumberman, all slack shops being decidedly quiet and the demand for tight work not being large. There is a scarcity of tierce staves and fewer slack hoops than of other things in that trade. Flour mills are running much slower than is common this spring, as the export demand for flour is very light. Slack quotations by jobbers at Buffalo are as follows: $7.75 to $8 for first class, $4.24 to $4.50 for second class; basswood heading, 5½ to 5¾ cents for first class, 3¼ to 3½ cents for second class; coiled hoops, $8.50 to $8.75 for 6-foot, $8.00 to $8.50 for 5 1-2 foot, $5 for hickories. In tight work $29 for tierce staves, $19 for heading, $12.50 for hoops, $22 for pork staves, $16 for heading, $10.50 for hoops.

A report of the hemlock market at North Tonawanda, N. Y., says: "The market gives promise of becoming more remunerative this season than for some years; the demand is strong and prices are advancing in both Pennsylvania and Michigan stock. The new price list that became operative several weeks ago is stronger than some dealers expected it would be. While stock is decidedly scarce with most dealers it is not expected that the situations will continue embarrassing in this respect much longer. Mills in the west and in Pennsylvania have begun to operate with all the vigor possible and stock should be moving more freely in another month at the latest. The base price of piece stuff is $14.50. A local dealer who is acquainted with the situation at the mills in Michigan states that $10 is being secured for 16 foot boards and under, while boards 18 feet and from 22 to 24 feet in length are bringing $11 and $12.50 respectively."

SPRUCE DEALS IN IRELAND.

A correspondent of the Timber News, Liverpool, England, thus refers to the spruce situation and the opinion of the timber trade in Ireland:

"Spruce deals continue high in price—too high, it is thought, to last. It is true, or rather alleged, that prices of materia and labour in Canada have increased; even so, the increase in cost of production does not warrant, on a dull and declining 35s. freight, an £8. 5s. c.i.f. price, or anything near it, for spruce deals. The feeling in the timber trade in Ireland is that prices of Canadian goods will be very much cheaper later on, when the quantities of all kinds in view for shipment during the season will be more readily available for accurate computation. It is believed the quantities then ascertainable and ready for sale and shipment will be much larger than what can now be only roughly guessed at, and as a consequence lower prices are expected to rule. This has happened before, and we can only read the future by the past. There is one thing regrettably uppermost in the minds of distracted steamer managers and industrious shipbrokers, and it is that freights are not going to "boom" for many months to come, if for years, in view of the total collapse and smash in the freight markets of the world. Timber importers can therefore reasonably calculate upon, for at least 1902, the cheapest freight market experienced since probably the dark freight days of 1885 and 1886, leaving thus only the probable f.o.b. prices to be considered. A large share of what is said of the increased cost of production in Canada may be perfectly true, and, we may venture to hint, some of it may be—otherwise."

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 14th March, 1902. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A London firm of wholesale and export cabinet makers ask to be referred to Canadian shippers of chair stock, seats, backs, legs, &c.

A commission agent at Newcastle with good connection wishes to hear from Canadian manufacturers desiring representation in that quarter.

The agency for a Canadian exporter of wood pulp is desired by a Brussels firm who could take up the representation for Belgium and Holland.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue:

From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Hebe, for Preston, Eng., 879,327 feet deals, value $9,400. Str. Alf, for London, 404,847 feet deals, value $3647. Str. Ulanda, for St, John, Nfld., 14,691 feet lumber, value $248.

From St. John, N. B.: Schr. James L. Malloy, for New York, 890,000 laths, by John E. Moore. Schr. Canadian, for St. Pierre, 72,401 feet boards, by L. G. Crosby. Barque Culdoon, for Las Pamas, 120,418 feet pine boards, 134,000 feet pine plank, 7,798 feet deals, 76,855 feet ends, by A. Cushing & Co. Str. Wyandotte, for London, 2000 bales pulp, by St. John Sulphite Pulp Co.; 200 crates veneer, by G. McKean. Str. Ionian, for Liverpool, 987,889 ft. spruce deals, 238,894 ft. birch deals. Schr. Romeo, for Newhaven, 23,531 ft. boards, 87,404 pine pickets, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Priscilla, for Newport, 8,781 ft. deals, 74,197 ft. plank, 68,435 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. A. P. Emerson, for City Island, 289,004 ft. deals, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Beaver, for Providence, 252,404 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co.

Freight rates are decidedly weak and the outlook for the coming season is not very promising for shipowners. Recent deal charters include the following: Str. Simonside, St. John, N. B., to w.c. England, 35s; str. Kinsdale, Halifax, N.S., to w.c. England, 36s 6d; barque Nino Frauega, 960 tons, Halifax to Cardiff or Swansea, 40s; Steamer Trunkby, Miramichi, N. B., to w.c. England, 40s, June sailing; str. 1,300 stds., St. John to w.c. England, 35s, June; Dalhousie, N. B., to Bowling, 800 stds., 40s; Riviere de Loup, Que., to Londonderry, 800 tons, deals, 42s 6d; Gaspe, Que., to w. c. England or e. c. Ireland, 280 tons, 41s 3d; Nova Scotia port to east Scotland, 330 stds., 43s 9d; St. Lawrence port to Preston, three steamers, June, July and August loading, 42s 6d.

WINNIPEG LUMBER PRICES.

Following is the new wholesale list of white pine lumber prices. The terms applicable to these prices are 60 days or 2 per cent. off for cash in 20 days from date of invoice. These prices are on a delivered basis :

TIMBER AND DIMENSION.—Timber 4x10, 12, 6x10 and 12, and 8x8 to 12x 2, 14 and 16 feet long, $18.50; timber, 6x6, 6x8, 4x4 to 4x8 and 3x6 to 3x12, 14 and 16 feet long, $17; dimension, 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $16.50; dimension, 2x10, 2x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $17; dimension, 2x4,10 feet long, $17.50; dimension, 2x8 to 2x12, 10 feet long, $16; dimension, 2x6, 10 feet long, $15; dimension, 2x4 to 2x12, 6 and 8 feet long, $13.50; cull plank, all widths, $10.50; cull planks, re-sawn, $10.50. $1.00 per M advance on each inch over 12 in. in depth and width. $1.00 per M advance on each 2 feet over 16 feet.

BOARDS.—First common boards, red pine, 10 to 18 feet, $23; seconds, 10 to 18 feet, $27; third, 10 to 18 feet, $16; fourth, 10 to 18 feet, $14; fifth, 10 to 18 feet, $9; ½ inch sheathing, S.I.S., 10 to 18 feet $14; second common stock, 12 inch, 10 to 18 feet, $18.50; second common stock, 8 to 10 inch, 10 to 18 feet, $17.50; No. 1 wide box boards, 10 to 18 feet,$27; No. 2, 10 to 18 feet, $19.50. $2.00 per M less for 6 and 8 feet. Re-sawing boards $1.00 per M extra.

SHIPLAP.—Shiplap, 8 and 10 in., $18; 6 in., $17; culls, 8 and 10 in., $15.50; culls, 6 in., $12.50. $2.00 per M less for 8 feet and under.

FLOORING, SIDING AND CEILING—Flooring and siding, 8 and 10 in., $20; 8 and 10 in. culls $16.50; flooring, siding and ceiling, 4, 5 and 6 in., first white pine, $36; do., second white pine, $33; do., third white pine, $26; flooring, siding and ceiling, 5 and 6 in., first and second red pine, $28.50; do., 4 in., first and second red pine, $26; do., 5 and 6 in., third red pine, $23.50; do., 4 in., third red pine, $21.50; do., 5 and 6 in., fourth red and white pine, $19.50; do., 4 in., fourth red and white pine, $17.50; do., 4, 5 and 6 in. culls, $15.50. $2.00 per M less for 8 feet and under. $1.00 per M advance for dressing two sides. 1¼ and 1 1/2 in. flooring $1.00 per M advance over 1 inch. Bevel siding, No. 1, 1/2 in. x 6 in., $21.50; No. 2, 1/2 in. x 6 in., $18.50.

FINISHING—1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 1st, 2nd 3rd, clear white pine, 8 and 10 in.,$46.50; do. 12 in. and wider, $48.50; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. select white pine, 8 and 10 in., $36.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $38.50; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. shop, 8 and 10 in., $31.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $33.50. $5.00 per M advance on 2½ in. and thicker. 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. clear red pine, 8 and 10 in., $32.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $34.50; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. select red pine, 8 and 10 inch., $28; do., 12 in. and wider, $30; 1 in. first and second clear white pine, 8 and 10 in., $49; do., 12 in. and wider, $51; 1 in., third clear white pine, 8 and 10 in., $38; do., 12 in. and wider, $40; 1 in., B select clear white pine 8 and 10 in., $31.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $33.50; 1 in. C select clear white pine, 8 and 10 in., $26.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $28.50; 1 in. clear red pine, 8 and 10 in., $32.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $34.50; 1 in., select red pine, 8 and 10 in., $27.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $29.50.

MOULDINGS—Parting strips, per 100 lineal feet, 40c; window stops, 50c; door stops, 75c; quarter round and cove, 50c; 4 in. casing, $1.50; 5 in. casing, $2; 6 in. casing, $2.40; 8 in. base, $3.25; 10 in. base,$4. All other mouldings 50 per cent. discount off universal moulding list.

LATH—Per M, $3.50.

PINE SHINGLES—6 in. clear butts, per M., $1.50.

CONDITIONS AT ALBANY.

Owing to the unusually heavy trade the past winter, pine stocks are rather light and if business holds out as it has started, and the indications are that it will, the market will be pretty well gutted before new lumber can be received by canal. The New York Lumber Trade Journal says that spruce stocks are even in a worse condition than pine, as almost everything saleable in that line was cleaned out before navigation closed last fall. The spruce dealers, however, are already beginning to receive stock from their mills by rail, and will soon have on hand a complete assortment, and are at present booking orders for anything in their line. Prices on both pine and spruce are stiff and high, and there is no probability of their weakening any before new stock arrives, even if they do then.

Buyers have been quite numerous in the district during the past week and have bought liberally.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW.

Navigation is due to open any day, as the ice in the river disappeared some time ago and very little is reported in the bay. There will not be many million feet of lumber to ship by water, but the receipts the ensuing season are estimated at 125,000,000 feet. The greater portion of this will come from Canada, and charters have already been made on a basis of $1.50 a thousand feet. Dealers will want this lumber as fast as it can be obtained, but much of it is already in the log. Local stocks have been somewhat depleted during the winter, the volume of business having kept up remarkably well for this time in the year. Some dealers have been getting in lumber bought in the Northern portion of the State and elsewhere by rail, which has helped out in replenishing stocks. L. C. Slade has purchased block at Gravling and at Manistee whic comes in by rail, and 200 carloads fro Duluth, which will keep him going unt the middle of the summer. Other deale are also getting in stock. The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, which has re moved its mill to Sandwich, Ont., is clear ing up the remainder of its stock cut here and sold 1,750,000 feet the present wee to local dealers. The mill of the firm a Sandwich will be started in April, havin 5,000,000 feet of logs in boom and a bi raft all made up in Georgian Bay, read for the tugs to hitch to. Three or fou river mills are cutting lumber, and other are getting ready for work. The lumbe market continues strong, with quotation running from $16 to $25 for white pine lo run and $13 to $16 for box. In the yard business is good, and the tendency o prices is along the hardening lines. Car are fairly supplied. Lath continues scarc at $3.60 for No. 1 and $3.10 for No. white pine; No. 1 hemlock $2.90, an No. 2 $2.15.—Timber Trade Journal.

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THE BOSTON MARKET.

The outlook for spruce lumber at Boston very strong indeed. The supply is rtainly cut short, and promises to be ort all the season. There was a meet- g of the retail dealers on March 27th to nsider the plan of advancing prices. It reported that all the dealers agreed to advance but one of the largest, and his t assenting defeated the rise for the esent. His idea was that to advance ices now must result in a check to ilding. Hence quotations are exceed- gly firm as they are: Ten and 12 inch mensions, $20; 9 inch and under, $18; and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $16.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $17.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock is very firm, with the demand pretty good: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 to $15.50 for good eastern; Vermont, $13.50 to $14.50; random, eastern, $13.50 to $14.50; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17; No. 2, $14.50 to $15.

White pine continues to be advanced as rapidly as occasion offers, with the reports indicating a positive shortage at all points: Uppers, 1-in. $75 to $80; 2½ and 3 in. $80 to $85; 4-in. $85 to $88; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68; 2-in. $69 to $70; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $56 to $58; 1¼ to 1½ in. $62 to $66; 2-in. $68 to $70; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71; 4-in. $80; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwoods are very steady with prices strong: One-inch, whitewood, $38 to $40; thicker, $39 to $42; ⅝ inch, $30 to $35; saps, inch, $25 to $30; common, $23 to $25; quartered oak, $56 to $65; fancy, $70 to $75; plain oak, $40 to $47; black ash, $40 to $50; white ash, $45 to $55; cherry, $90 to $130; plain, $35 to $40.

Shingles are in small supply, with the demand also limited. The position is firm: Extra cedar, $3.30 to $3.35; clear, $2.85 to $2.95; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.90; Washington and British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards continue in decidedly limited supply, with the market very firm. At the same time, the demand is also limited: Extra spruce, $38 to $40; clear, $36 to $38; second clear, $33 to $35; extra No. 1, $24 to $26.

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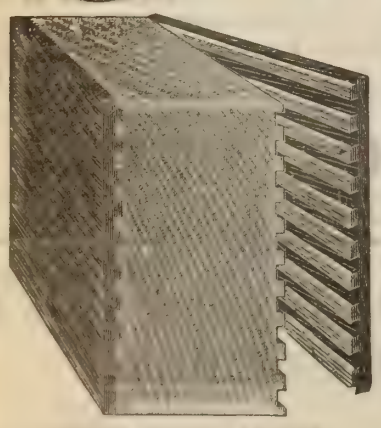

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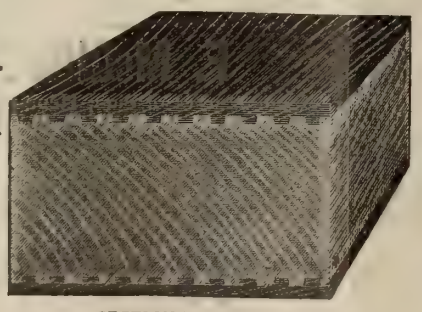

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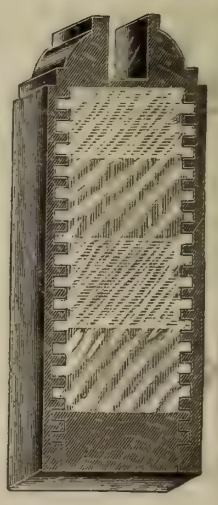

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$68 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$64 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	64 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	54 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$72	$74	1x12 inch shippers $21 $23
2½ in.	74	74	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 23 24
1 to 2 in.	65	67	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up 18
4 inch uppers	72	74	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	65	67	10-in. common 18 19
1 to 2 in.	57	59	12-in. dressing and better 32 34
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	57	59	Common, 1x12 19
1 to 2 in.	49	51	No. 1 barn, 1x12 26 27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	42	1x10 24 25
No. 2	25	30	1x8 22 23
No. 3	21	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12 23 24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	40	45	1x10 21 22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8 20 21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 25 28
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch 28 30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common 20
1x10 inch shippers		20	

LATH.

Pine	$	$3 50	Spruce $ $3 5

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 5c
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 00	1¼x10 and 12	35
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 50
4 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	62 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	40 00 42 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	28 00 32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	48 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	28 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	23 00
2 in.	50 00	No. 2, 10 in.	21 00
3 in.	62 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
4 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	38 00	No. 3, 12 in.	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	26 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50 18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in.	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.	18 00	20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	17 00	

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Pine and Spruce MANUFACTURERS.

Correspondence is solicited with Canadian manufacturers of pine or spruce who wish to form a connection with a reliable British house. Advertiser will shortly visit Canada and desires to have a personal interview with mill-men now doing or seeking to do an export trade. Best of references as to reliability and standing. Box 42, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There are no evidences that the white pine market will weaken when the mills commence sawing. On the other hand, the outlook is decidedly promising, as the volume of trade is expanding and inquiries are becoming more numerous. There has been heavy buying of dry stock as well as of the coming season's production. The strength of the market is clearly indicated by the fact that contracts have been closed for the new cut at prices about two dollars per thousand above the current quotations for dry stock. The highest price which has come to our knowledge is $17.25 for log run. This is doubtless an exceptionally high price, and one which has caused the trade to question whether buyers are justified in paying such a figure. It is argued that as many of the mills will not commence sawing until the first of June, and two months must elapse before the stock is in shipping condition, most of the lumber will actually be marketed in 1903. In the meantime unforeseen circumstances might have brought about much lower values. Nevertheless, the outlook is for higher prices for white pine in the immediate future, not to speak of later developments. The buyers at the top prices have in most instances been United States dealers

Local trade is quite brisk, as are also shipments to the Eastern States. The lath market is somewhat uncertain, owing to the high prices ruling. Sales of No. 1 are being made in Toronto at $3.50 wholesale, and of No. 2 at $3. Shingles are steady. For 16-inch $2.60 at the mill is asked, and the wholesale price in Toronto ranges from $3 to $3.25. Satisfactory reports come to hand of hardwoods. Buffalo dealers have recently purchased a large quantity of birch, the price of which is tending upwards.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

While pruce deals for the British market are quiet, there is a considerable movement of lumber to the Eastern States. The buying of clapboards has consumed almost the entire stock, and sales are now being made as high as $40 for best quality, Boston delivery. Square and waney pine timber is exhibiting unusual strength. Sales have taken place at the equivalent to 58 cents for waney pine, delivered at Quebec. This is an advance over the prices ruling one year ago. It is believed that prices of square and waney pine will gradually work higher, as there are few limits on which board timber can now be taken out economically and profitably. Cedar shingles are higher, some manufacturers asking $3.40 for extras on Boston freight rates. Spruce lath are also firmer at $3.20 for 1⅝ inch.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market has been well sustained nothwithstanding the near approach of the sawing season. Shipments from the Lake Superior district during the month of March were slightly less than for the same month one year ago. This was due to broken stocks and the inability of manufacturers to supply the wants of their customers. The demand has not diminished, but on the other hand dealers and consumers are showing a disposition to close contracts as early as possible and thus be assured of an ample stock. Box lumber in both pine and spruce is in large request. White pine which could be purchased one year ago at $16.00 now commands $18.00. The opinion seems to be that there will be a scarcity of the better grades of lumber this year. It is probable that low grade pine boards and dimension may weaken a little about midsummer, but no person expects that there will be a general slump. Spruce lumber is exhibiting as much strength as pine and an advance of $2.00 per thousand is talked of. It is stated that fully

one-quarter of the cut of logs on the Kennebec river, in Maine, has been left in the woods, which accounts for the buoyancy of the spruce market. There seems to be a desire on the part of dealers to prevent the price of spruce from going much higher, on the ground that it might be disastrous to building operations.

Hemlock continues to improve. Sales of cargo hemlock this spring are from $1.50 to $2.00 higher than at the close of navigation last fall. The demand is large, while stocks are only moderate. An advance of 50 cents was put into effect at Philadelphia last week, bringing dimension hemlock to $15.50 and boards to $17.00. At New York the base price is $16 00 and at Buffalo $14.50. Basswood and birch are leading among the hardwoods, although all kinds are selling satisfactorily. The east is buying oak at good prices. Maple is moving liberally, but it seems difficult to advance prices. A Saginaw firm last week bought 1,250,000 feet of basswood at $20.00 for log run at shipping point.

Saginaw valley dealers report a famine in lath and are offering $3.50 and $4.00. White pine shingles are quoted at Saginaw at $4.05 for 4x18 inch stocks, and $3.00 for clear butts; 16-inch pine are worth $3.45 for *A*, and $2.45 for clear butts; 18-inch cedars $3.90 for XXXX, and $2.90 for clear butts; 16-inch cedar $2.85 for *A* and $2.25 for clear butts. Best grade 18-inch pine shingles brings $4.50 at Buffalo, and 16-inch $3.60.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Importers in Great Britain have not yet become convinced of the necessity of purchasing at present prices, and are holding off in the hope that shippers will weaken. In the meantime there is a steady consumption of Canadian pine and spruce, and stocks are becoming greatly diminished. It seems probable that the delay in placing orders will in itself result in bringing about higher prices as soon as stocks reach the point where they must be replenished. In regard to spruce, it is said that while shippers have made a number of contracts for Ireland and some parts of the British coasts, very little contracting has been done by the merchants of Liverpool and other Lancashire ports. The stock now on hand is largely of inferior quality. Broad deals in all grades are in demand. Flooring boards and unassorted battens are weaker than they were one month ago.

First quality pine deals are quoted at 27 10s to £30 5s per standard for broads and £24 to £25 for 11 inch. Second quality range from £14 for undersized to £20 for broads. Quebec spruce deals are selling at £8 10s to £9 5s for regulars. Red pine is still heavy, although prices have risen materially from the lowest point. Quotations are £8 to £10 5s per standard.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Tenders are invited up to Wednesday, 16th inst., for supply of deals, etc., required by the city of Quebec.

George Lewis, of Duncan's, B.C., has taken a logging contract for the Boyd Lumber Company at Cowichan Lake.

The mill of the Conger Lumber Company at Parry Sound, Ont., is about to commence operations, having a supply of logs in the pond.

The Saginaw Lumber and Salt Company last week sold 1,250,000 feet of low grade lumber, cut at their Crow Island mill, to Saginaw dealers.

John Fenderson & Company, of Sayabec, Quebec, have secured a large stock of logs and will operate their mills to full capacity this season.

The Pigeon River Lumber Company expect to have their new saw mill at Port Arthur, Ont., ready for operation May 1st. The Company have secured a full stock of logs.

H. G. March, of Tonawanda, has recently purchased 1,000,000 feet of white pine and other lumber in Ontario, to be manufactured into cooperage stock at Young Y

The town council of Toronto Junction have accepted the tender of A. H. Clummer for sidewalk lumber, at the following prices: Pine, $14.69 per thousand; cedar $13.98; tamarack, $15.53.

The Moulthrop Lumber Company, of John's Island, Ont., have bought 10,000,000 feet of logs in the Georgian Bay district from J. W. Munro & Sons. They will be cut at the John's Island mill.

The Montgomery Door and Box Company have recently purchased the Clark, Swan and Jackson stock at Tonawanda, comprising about 8,000,000 feet of white pine. The price is not made public.

Hicks Company, lumber merchants, of Peterborough, Ont., have secured the contract for supplying 100,000 feet of maple flooring for the American Cereal Company's new building in that town.

W. & A. McArthur & Company, of Little Current, Ont., are reported to have put in about 15,000,000 feet of logs. Owing to the early break up they are said to have about 1,400 pieces left on the skids.

The E. S. Hartwell Lumber Company, of Chicago, is reported to have purchased the 1902 cut of the mill of Pitts & Charlton at Victoria Harbor, Ont. The price is believed to be in the neighborhood of $17.00 for log run.

James Duncan, of Montreal, and his brother, have recently returned from New York, where they disposed of a portion of this season's cut of lumber. This is the first year that they have sold direct to the New York market.

The International Lumber Company, of Sault St. Marie, Ont., recently sold 40,000 cubic feet of waney pine timber to Quebec parties at 50 cents per foot on cars at the Soo. This is equivalent to 58 or 60 cents delivered at Quebec.

The mill of the Michigan Land and Lumber Company at Blind River, Ont., has been cutting hardwood stocks since February, but will change to pine as soon as the logs reach the mill. About 25,000,000 feet of logs were taken out by the company last winter.

Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company, of Saginaw, Mich., have about 15,000,000 feet of last year's cut in the Georgian Bay District to move to Saginaw. The firm has a stock of 120,000,000 feet in sight, and expects to handle at least 100,000,000 feet during the year. Practically all of this stock has been purchased in Ontario. Owing to the scarcity of pine shingles, they are bringing 4,000,000 red cedar shingles from the Pacific coast.

The Cook, Lummis Lumber Company, of Toronto, has been incorporated, with a capital of $600,000. The members are W. D. Lummis and H. W. Welsh, of Toronto; G. W. Cook, of Morrisburg; Hon. J. P. B. Casgrain, of Montreal; and C. E. Smith, of Spragge.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The spruce lumber outlook at Boston is even stronger as the season begins to open. The sudden shutting off of winter has certainly left a large percentage of the cut of logs in the woods till another year. Then, there is not a particle of snow in the woods, and, though some of the streams are open, they are very low, while the lakes and other "dead water" are still encased in ice. Such conditions are retarding driving, and promise to continue to do so. Still, the lumber people are rushing all the men possible forward to the drives, and they will be armed with dynamite and every means for breaking up the ice and starting the logs forward. But, at the very best, it looks as though the driving must be slow and very difficult, hence still further shortening the crop of logs.

Quotations on spruce are very firm, and are likely to be advanced right away: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9 inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $16.50; all other randoms, 9in. and under, 10 feet and up, $17.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock is in a position of absolute scarcity. Few of the mills have any to offer, and stronger prices are asked by the few holders. The logs promise to be short and delayed, along with spruce: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 to $15.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17.50; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

White pine is still very firm, with the tendency upward. Western shippers talk of higher prices, under still smaller supplies: Uppers, 1-in. $75 to $80; 2½ and 3 in. $80 to $85; 4-in. $85 to $88; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68; 2-in. $69 to $70; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $56 to $58; 1¼ to 1½ in. $62 to $66; 2-in. $68 to $70; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71; 4-in. $80; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwoods are very steady with a fair demand: One-inch, whitewood, $38 to $40; thicker, $39 to $42; ⅝ inch, $30 to $35; saps, inch, $25 to $30; common, $23 to $25; quartered oak, $56 to $65; fancy, $70 to $75; plain oak, $40 to $47; black ash, $40 to $50; white ash, $45 to $55; cherry, $90 to $130; maple, $32 to $40.

Shingles are in small supply and firm, while reports from the Aroostock mills at least say that the crop of cedar logs will be reduced by the same causes as will reduce the supply of spruce. Firmer prices are being quoted: Extra cedar, $3.30 to $3.40; clear, $2.90 to $3; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.90; Washington and British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards are in remarkably small supply, with the demand also small. But for those that must be had fancy prices are paid: Extra spruce, $38 to $40; clear, $36 to $38; second clear, $33 to $35; extra No. 1, $24 to $26.

Laths are firmer and higher at $3.15 to $3.20 for 1⅝ inch; 1½ inch, $3.

The National Lumber Company, of Toronto, has been incorporated, with a capital of $100,000.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue:

From Vancouver, B.C.: Str. Rence, for Sydney, Aus., 1,251,013 feet rough fir, value $12,510, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Company.

From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Ionian, for Liverpool, 271,592 feet lumber, value $2,693. Str Ulunda, for Liverpool, 177,817 feet, value $1,778. Str. Aquila for Penarth Roads, for orders, 1,775,443 feet lumber, value $18,717. Str Indrani, for Glasgow, 217,242 feet, value $2,872.

From St. John, N.B.: Str Indrani, for Glasgow, 1,615 maple blocks, 486,683 feet deals, by Schofield and Co.; 320 bundles flooring by J. S. Findlay, Owen Sound; 50,250 feet deals, 2,400 bundles shooks, by A. Cushing & Co. Str Dunmoor Head, for Belfast, 332 pieces elm lumber, by John Harrison & Son, Owen Sound; 115,110 feet deals, by George McKean; 746,720 feet deals, 4,243 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay. Str Parthenia, for Cape Town, South Africa, 124 bundles doors, by Gilmour & Co., Trenton; 204 pcs chair stock, by North American Bent Chair Co., Owen Sound. Str Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 291,677 feet deals, 51,131 feet scantling, 7,149 feet ends, by George McKean; 755,766 feet deals, 56,486 feet scantling, 22,956 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay. Str Parisian, for Liverpool, 1,532,280 feet deals, 1,335 feet scantling, 5,517 feet ends, by George McKean. Schr Ina, for Boston, 70,051 feet boards, 59,723 feet plank, by A. Cushing and Co. Schr Myra B., for Boston, 32,164 feet boards, 60,809 feet plank, 202,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing and Co. Schr Luta Price, for Milton, 135,019 ft. boards, by N. H. Murchie. Schr W. H. Waters, for City Island, 151,128 feet plank, 1,347 feet deals, by Stetson, Cutler and Co. Schr Ida May, for City Island, 11,000 laths, by A. Cushing and Co. Schr Hattie Muriel, for Boston, 29,300 feet spruce boards, 35,619 feet pine boards, 29,267 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing and Co.

We are advised by Mr. Gain Robinson, wholesale lumber dealer, of Springfield, Mass., that he has secured the services of Mr. C. H. Bracken, of Boston, so long and favorably known to the trade in the territory covered by eastern Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, and the eastern provinces of Canada. The acquisition of Mr. Brecken's experience and services, added to those of Mr. Carlos Ruggles, who will continue as representative in the territory he has covered for the past ten years in the interest of Mr. Robinson, represents one of the most substantial and intelligent lumber distributing organizations in the east.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Continued firmness in the lumber market may be safely predicted for the summer months, although it is claimed in some quarters that the replenishing of standing stocks with the coming season's mill cut will have a tendency to lower prices. Mr. Hiram Robinson, of the Hawkesbury Lumber Company, states that prices are bound to remain firm, with good prospects of an advance. The advance already registered has not, according to Mr. Robinson, been in keeping with the advance in the cost of producing the stock. Lumber operators were compelled to pay high figures for labor, provisions and fodder. The prevalence of smallpox had a depressing effect, and incidentally increased the cost of actual production. The increased demand from the American side furnishes another argument in favor of the predicted increase. The advance already established has been greater on the high grade lumber, which furnishes but a small proportion of the whole cut. For this reason the mill owners have not been reimbursed in the degree that was generally supposed, and hence a marked advance in lower grades may be looked for. The Hawkesbury Company is furnishing large quantities of lath to dealers in the States at prices ranging from $2.00 to $2.40 per 1000 pieces f.o.b. at Hawkesbury. The early break-up of winter interfered with the operations on several limits and the supply of logs will be smaller than last year, another argument in favor of higher prices.

While lumbermen in general agree that prices will be maintained and perhaps advanced, a letter received from an American dealer points to a break in white pine prices. There is little of this stock moving, according to this party. Spruce has picked up in the States, and it is just possible that Canadian white pine may relax a degree. A feature of the Ottawa Valley operations is the large cut of square timber. Part has been sold at a slight advance on last year's prices. Last week the Munro Lumber Company, of Pembroke, had 7,600 pieces of timber drawn to the Ottawa river from their Mattawa limits. The raft will be ready to leave Seven League Lake this week. The company expects to have two more rafts ready by the middle of the month, making 400,000 cubic feet of board timber taken off the Mattawa limit this season. Another raft of 150,000 cub. ft. will be floated on the Opeongo river about the end of the month. Other rafts will follow later on. About 400 men will be employed on the drive.

The spring and summer rates on the railways went into effect on April 1st. The rates from Ottawa to New York and vicinity by barge lines from Albany are as follows:—On soft wood in lots of 50,000 feet and upwards $3.00 per M, but on lots under that figure $3.50 per M. The rate on hardwoods in quantities over 50,000 ft. is $4.50 per M, and on quantities below that figure $4.75 per M. The rate on laths of 250,000 pieces and over is 60 cents per thousand pieces and on lots below those figures 70 cents; on shingles in lots of 100,000 shingles the rate is 45 cents per thousand shingles. Lumber in lots under 50,000 feet, lath in lots under 250,000 pieces, and shingles in lots less than 500,000, are subject to extra towage. The summer rates to Montreal went into effect on the same date. On lumber for export the rate is $1.10 per M, and on lumber for local delivery 4 cents per hundred pounds.

The Hawkesbury Lumber Company's mills at Hawksbury are now running full capacity, employing 700 men. The water power is naturally greater in the earlier months of the year, and full advantage of the fact is taken. The company will run two mills night and day and two in the day time alone. The McLaren mills at Buckingham are also in operation nearly a month earlier than last year.

Daily large gangs of men are being forwarded from Ottawa for the drives, and daily large numbers are returning from the shanties; the latter are all treated to a specially prepared bath on arrival at the depot, to prevent any possibility of a spread of smallpox in the Capital through their presence. Men for the drives are receiving $40 a month as against $45 a year ago. J. & P. Burke, hiring agents, this week sent 75 forward for the South River Lumber Company, 100 for the Morgan Company at Chelmsford, 75 for the Michigan Land and Lumber Company, Nairn Center, and 50 for the McLeod McCormick Company at Spanish River.

In the presence of a distinguished gathering and about 300 employees of the Company, Mr. W. C. Edwards, M. P., on Monday evening opened the Working Man's Club fitted up by him for the men employed at his Ottawa mills. The men greeted with applause the announcement that there is a prospect of their sharing in the profits of the firm. Mr. Edwards also announced his intention of establishing a similar club at his Rockland mills. The Ottawa Club is housed in cozy apartments near the mill. During their spare time the men will be able to enjoy themselves with games, books and papers interesting and instructive.

A settlement out of court has been effected in the celebrated case of Dezouche vs. Fraser, by which defendant agrees to pay $100,000. The legal battle was fought on one issue, the legality of the sale of certain valuable limits operated by the firm of Fraser & McCosham. In 1885, after the death of the latter, the limits were sold in order to close up the partnership affairs. At public auction they realized $165,000. A few years after Mr. J. R. Booth purchased the limits, on which considerable quantities of valuable timber have since been secured. McCosham was plaintiff's first husband. She alleged that in the sale in 1885 the interests of the McCosham children, the minor heirs, had suffered. She asked through the court that Mr. Fraser be ordered to account for the value of the timber taken off since the sale in 1885, as well as the price then procured. Judge Lavergne ruled that under the Quebec law governing the rights of minors, the sale of the Black River limit in that province was illegal. He, however, ruled that the sale of the Ontario limits on the Opeongo and Schyar rivers was legal. From this judgment both plaintiff and defendant appealed, but the appeals have not yet been argued. It is understood the $100,000 or thereabouts to be paid over by Mr. Fraser includes $50,000 held by him in trust as the share of the McCoshams, in profits of business tsansactions carried on under the firm's name after the death of McCosham. Although the report on the value of the limits and timber removed has never been made, it is estimated that the share claimed by plaintiff for herself and children was about half a million dollars.

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"Staves in the west are selling in large blocks on the basis of $6.50 per gross mille f.o.b. cars at mills for No. 1 stock, and from $3.00 to $3.50 per gross mille for No. 2. These are the prices at which American buyers have bought for ordinary 28½ and 30 inch staves, with proportionate prices for longer or shorter lengths. We do not anticipate any change in the market for some time to come. The grade of stock required for the home trade being very much higher for this length of staves than what is demanded for the U.S., prices for home consumption are considerably higher. Staves for this country have to be put up in three grades, No. 1 of extra quality, the rough staves which are too good for the No. 2, but which would go in the ordinary No. 1's for the U.S. trade, being put in the meal barrel grade, while the No. 2 required for Canada are demanded of the extra good quality. Coopers in this country, however, are willing to pay extra prices for extra quality of stock, which is very much higher than the standard grades in the U. S. markets."

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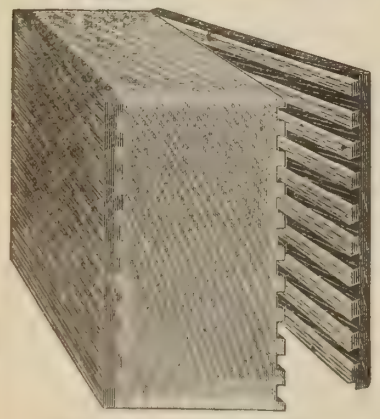
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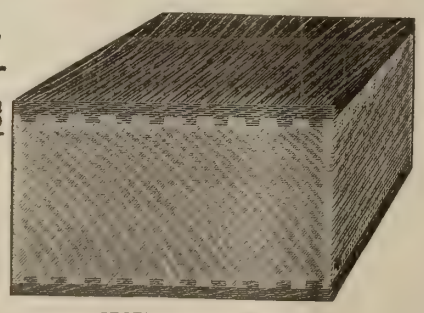
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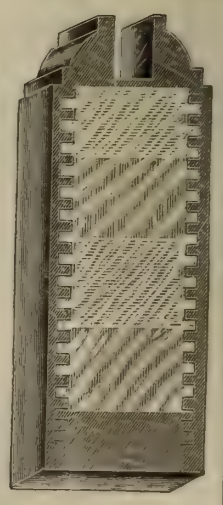
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The past week has shown more activity in the lumber trade. Retail buying has been a feature. Dealers who purchased quite heavily last fall have in many cases almost completely sold out their stock, and generally at a good profit, as prices of white pine are higher than they were at the close of the sawing season last year. Wherever possible wholesale dealers are increasing their holdings of dry lumber, which they are able to purchase on more favorable terms than can be made for the new cut. Indeed, many persons identified with the lumber trade are asking the question whether prices of new stock are not getting a little too high for healthful business. They point out that the buying this spring has in some instances been of the "boom" nature, where a disposition is shown to obtain something no matter at what price. These persons evidently have in mind the contracting that has been done by certain American buyers, who have agreed to purchase mill cuts, log-run, at high prices without first having inspected the log. This is, to say the least, a speculative venture, inasmuch as the quality of log run lumber may vary very widely. In some directions precaution in buying is being advised. On the other hand manufacturers seem confident that there will be no slump.

In Toronto the building trade is being affected by the labor troubles. Architects have considerable work in hand which may be postponed in case of a strike, but which will be immediately carried to completion this season should the labor difficulties be settled at an early date. Hemlock lumber is scarce and strong. Higher prices are being asked for hardwoods. These would seem to be warranted by conditions, as owing to the light crop of logs last winter it would not be surprising if a scarcity of hardwoods should develop before next fall.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

A number of transactions in waney pine timber have taken place within the past week, the prices indicating an exceptionally strong market. As compared with last fall, prices at Quebec are fully five cents per cubic foot higher. It is understood that a large quantity of waney pine was taken out last winter, so that the recent advance is in the face of a larger output, and therefore very gratifying to the trade. Other kinds of timber are quiet, with no particular improvement in prices. There has been a little more activity in spruce deals, the outlook for which is somewhat brighter. There is much uncertainty as to the log supply, and it is feared that St. John mills will of necessity remain idle for a portion of the season. Every effort is being put forth to get logs to the mills, but water is low on most of the streams.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Manitoba dealers have been notified of an advance in prices of British Columbia lumber on several lines. No. 2 edge grain stepping has been advanced $1 to $36. Flat grain stepping is also $1 higher at $31. No. 2 clear fir, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch, up to 12 inches wide, has been advanced $1.50 to $30, and 14 to 20 inches to $35, which is an advance of $1.50. No. 3 fir flooring, 4 or 6 inch, is up $1 to $24. No. 3 ceiling, 1x4 or 6 ins., is up $1 to $24. No. 3 siding is also $1 higher at $24. No. 1 clear red cedar, 1 inch, 8 to 12 inches wide, is advanced to $38; 14 to 18 inches to $39; 20 to 24 inches to $50. Clear squares have also been advanced as follows: 3x3 and 3x4, 5x5 and 6x6, advance $1.50; 7x7 and 8x8, $3; 10x10, $6. ½ inch bevel cedar siding is advanced $2.

UNITED STATES.

The demand for lumber in the United States has not shown any particular change, but the undertone is strong. Shipments from Buffalo and Tonawanda have not been as heavy of late owing to the scarcity of certain items. There has been a very heavy call for strips. Our Buffalo list this week shows an advance of about $5 per thousand on fine common, $2 on No. 1 cutting up stock and No. 2 moulding strips, and $1 on certain sizes of barn boards. No person seems to be expecting lower prices, probably for the reason that building operations in the Eastern States

are very active. During the month of March 738 permits were granted by the city of Philadelphia, representing a valuation of $6,000,000. In many other cities the volume of building is correspondingly large. Chicago reports a heavy movement of lumber, with some irregularity in prices of common inch boards and strips. The base price of piece stuff is $17.50 for short lengths and a dollar or two added for anything over 18 feet. Norway pine and hemlock show an advancing tendency. The last sales of hemlock in Chicago have been at $10.75 and $11. At Saginaw hemlock piece stuff is worth $12, and boards one dollar more. Sales of pine lumber at Duluth have not been numerous of late. One transaction included 4,000,000 feet of No. 3 and better at $18.

The scarcity of hardwoods at eastern points is causing some alarm. At Buffalo the supply of quartered oak is almost exhausted. Maple, birch and basswood are good sellers. Maple is steadily advancing and brings about $2 more than three weeks ago, but the price is yet considered too low. The spruce market continues very firm as regards both demand and prices. The supply of dry stock is light and $20 is talked of in Boston.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Recent developments in the British timber market have been rather favorable. Buyers are apparently more disposed to operate at current prices, although contracts have generally been for small lots. Prices of pine and spruce deals are quite firm, and the better qualities show a slight appreciation. For 3 x 9 spruce deals £8 10s. c.i.f. London is being asked. This size is very scarce and likely to advance. The stock of Canadian pine deals at the public docks at London on March 31st last was 890,000 pieces, almost the same as one year ago. Of spruce deals the stock was 1,259,000 pieces, an increase of 159,000 pieces over the stock of March 31, 1901. Messrs. Foy, Morgan & Company have compiled the following statistics, showing the supply of deals, battens, etc., at London at the present rate of consumption :

	1902	1901	1900	1899
Deals	3.6	3.5	2.0	2.1
Battens	3.1	2.7	2.0	2.1
Boards	5	4.6	3.2	2.8
Pine	5.6	3.8	2.7	3.6
Spruce	3.9	2.5	1.7	2.5
Floorings	3.7	3.8	3.1	2.6

As the consumption is rapidly increasing, it is thought that a more favorable showing will be made when the next monthly report is issued. The supply of Canadian lumber at Glasgow is proportionately smaller than at London or Liverpool. The stock of Quebec spruce deals is less than one year ago. This is also the case with first and fourth quality pine deals, but second and third quality are in larger supply. There is a heavy stock of soft elm timber, birch planks and red pine deals. Large sales of Canadian waney and square white pine are reported to have been made to Irish houses, chiefly for ship-building purposes, at high prices.

The assignment is reported of O. P. Fraser, lumber dealer, Liscombe, N.S.

Duncan, Ewing & Company, timber merchants, Liverpool, England, announce that they have taken James M. Lamb, who has been associated with them for some years, into partnership. The style of the firm remains unchanged,

STOCKS AND PRICES.

At Springhill, N. B., merchantable spruce logs are worth $10 and battens $8.

Tenders are invited by the city of Halifax, N.S., for the annual supply of lumber.

D. L. Mather, of Rat Portage, Ont., took out over 300,000 railway ties during the past season.

Tenders for the annual supply of lumber for the city of Winnipeg are invited up to 8 p.m. of the 17th inst.

Mickle, Dyment & Son will supply lumber for the corporation of Barrie, Ont., at $18 to $19 for pine, $14 for cedar, and $12 for hemlock.

It is understood that the price at which the cut of the South River Lumber Company was purchased was $19 for log run, mill culls out.

Williamson & Morrison, of Montreal, have sold their 1902 output of three inch spruce deals to Dobell, Beckett & Company, of Quebec.

The management of the Mispec pulp mill at St. John, N. B., expects to take 5,000,000 feet of logs down the Mispec stream this spring.

M.R. Mackay, of Keewatin, Ont., took out during the past winter 100,000 railway ties, 25,000 cords of stave bolts, and 2,500,000 feet of logs.

C. L. Peck has finished sawing 200,000 feet of lumber at Hopewell Hill, N. B. McClellan Bros. are sawing on a 300,000 feet contract at same place.

The R. Laidlaw Lumber Company, of Toronto, are understood to have purchased the cut of the South River Lumber Company, and a portion of the cut of the Huntsville Lumber Company, the latter consisting largely of the upper grades.

The Pine Lumber Company, of Cartier, Ont., are reported to have sold their waney pine timber to W. & J. Sharples, of Quebec, at the price of 37 cents per cubic foot on cars at Cartier. The timber was of small average.

It is estimated by lumbermen that it will cost $25,000 to save and raft the logs which went past Fredericton, N. B., in the recent freshet. It is said that about 60,000 pieces are already boomed at the mills, and about 40,000 more are safely in booms up river awaiting transporation.

T. D. Robinson, of Winnipeg, has secured the contract from George A. Mitchell to supply over half a million feet of lumber for the Strathcona apartment building to be built in that city. The fir joists will be brought from British Columbia, the hardwood flooring from Ontario, and the balance from the Lake of the Woods district.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their last report of the Barbadoes market, say: "There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce, and although the market is amply stocked with the former, and fairly so with the latter, there is rather a better feeling, and next arrivals should readily bring late prices and probably a shade better. No receipts of shingles have taken place, but there is no inquiry."

The Timber News says that St. John and Miramichi, N.B., spruce deals are being held at £5 15s to £6 per St. Petersburg standard f.o.b., which is not considered an inducing or safe price at which to operate extensively. This journal further says:—"A few sales have also been concluded in Bosnian whitewood of late, the shippers accepting £8 15s. c.i.f. London for 3x11 unsorted, and £8 5s. for a few 3 by 9, the 11 in. being the principal line in the contract. These are slightly lower prices than those demanded by the Canadian shippers for spruce. Whether the quality and manufacture of the European whitewood is fully equal to that of the spruce shipped from the Gulf of St. Lawrence we leave to experts to decide, but it is evident that in certain quarters the Canadian wood is being displaced, the difference in price being the sole reason for the change."

During the month of March the imports to London from Canada, according to Churchill & Sim, were as follows : Pine deals, 16,000 pieces ; spruce deals, 12,000 pieces ; birch planks, 10,000 pieces. In 1901 there were no imports of pine deals, but 22,000 pieces of spruce deals and 28,000 pieces of birch planks. These brokers say : "There has been little change in the pine deal market in London during March. Considerable sales of the new shipment from Newfoundland have been effected at rates which must be relatively satisfactory and the general market remains quiet, steady and well protected by the high prices being realized for further supplies. The demand here, however, is hardly as good as it was last month. In spruce deals there is no change to report here, prices are kept firm by the undeniable scarcity of further supplies for arrival, but the stock is a large one. The demand shows no elasticity and buyers continue to disbelieve in the threatened famine. Any large demand in the next three months would nevertheless not be easy to cope with. There is no change to report here in white pine timber or in oak. Birch, elm and ash have been but little enquired for.

THE BRITISH MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston and Mitchells, in their report of the Glasgow market, make the following comments on Canadian stock :

WHITE PINE.—There have been a few enquiries for waney boardwood during the month, but we hear of no sales to report. There has been rather more doing in square wood, several sales having resulted at prices ranging from 2s. 6d. to 2s. 9d. for first quality and 2s. 3d. to 2s. 6d. for 2nd quality, according to size.

RED PINE.—There has been the usual small demand, and the stock is now only about 250 loads. The price is firm at 1s. 9d. for 800 feet wood.

OAK.—The demand has been quiet, though a few retail sales have been made at 3s. 6d. per cubic foot for long wood, and 2s. 10d. to 3s. for small wood of 12 inches to 14 inches on side. The stock is low, there being only about 700 loads on hand.

ELM.—There has been little enquiry during the month. Prices of 1st-class rock are firm on the basis of 3s. 1d. for 900 cubic feet per page. Soft wood and small squared wood are difficult to move except at low prices. The stock is heavy.

QUEBEC BIRCH.—The stock on hand is now reduced to a small compass, and prices are, if anything, rather firmer than they were, a small parcel of 15 inch logs having been disposed of this month at 18½d. per foot "ex store." Prospects for the coming season seem fair, assuming that the import is not overdone.

N. B. BIRCH.—The stock is chiefly composed of Pictou wood, which is moving off slowly at about 15d. to 16d. per cubic foot for 15-inch average.

ASH.—The stock on hand though small is difficult to move off on account of the poor quality generally. Buyers here have not responded to the advance in price asked by Quebec shippers, and only really good logs of fair size would sell at anything over 2s. per foot. Ash lumber has come more into favour of late, and the import from the States is increasing.

DEALS, &C.—Business during the month has been extremely quiet ; the deliveries from public yards are, however, over the average, showing that consumption is good. Stocks of all kinds of pine goods are very low and record prices are being got for small parcels of broad 1st pine sidings and deals arriving per liners. Prices of spruce are firm Current values are as under :—Broad first pine deals, £26 to £30 ; 11-inch, £23 to £25 ; ends and non-dimensions, £18 to £22. Second pine deals, 11-inch and up, £18 10s. to £21 ; non-dimensions, £12 10s. to £15. Third pine deals, 11-inch and up, £11 10s. to £13 ; ends and non-dimensions, £8 10s. to £10. Fourth pine deals, 11-inch and up, £9 10s. to £10 ; narrows, £7 10s. to £8 5s. Red pine deals, 9 and 11 inch, £10 to £12; narrows, £8 to £8 15s. First pine sidings and strips, 9 and 10-inch average, £16 to £18 ; 10 to 12-inch average, £20 to £22 10s. ; 13 and 14-inch average, £23 to £25. Spruce deals, 9-inch and up, £8 10s. to £9 10s. ; 7 and 8-inch, £7 5s. to £8. Lower port pine and spruce, 9-inch and up, £8 10s. to £9 ; 7 and 8-inch, £7 10 to £7 15s.

Messrs. Alfred Dobell & Co. review the Liverpool market as follows :

Waney Board and Square Pine are in fair request. Prices are very firm.

Oak—The stock of first class wood is exceptionally light and full prices are being obtained.

Birch Logs—The consumption has been small, but values are firm. Planks have again arrived freely, and although a considerable quantity has gone into consumption the stock is still excessive and the prices easier.

Pine Deals and Boards—There has been an improved demand, but the stock remains heavy, although firmly held.

New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Spruce Deals—The arrivals have been large, but the consumption has been on a corresponding scale; 11 and 9-inch deals are exceptionally light in stock and

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		£ s. d	£ s. d.
1st quality Que pine deals	₱ std.	22 0 0	28 0
2nd do. do.	"	18 0 0	21 0
3rd do. do.	"	12 0 0	13 0
St. John N. B., &c., spruce	"	7 0 0	7 10
Lower ports spruce	"	6 17 6	7 5
Quebec square white pine	₱ cub. ft.	1 3	@ 2 9
Quebec waney board pine	"	2 4	3 3
St. John pine 18 ins. average	"	1 6	2 3
Lower ports pine	"	1 1	1 5
Quebec red pine	"	1 5	1 9
Quebec oak, 1st quality	"	2 9	3 0
Quebec oak, 2nd quality	"	1 6	2 1
Ash	"	1 8	2 3
Elm	"	2 9	3 3
Hickory	"	2 0	2 6
Quebec birch	"	1 6	2 0
St. John birch	"	1 7	2 0
Birch planks	"	0 10	0 11
Sprucee spars	"	0 10	1 0
Spruce boards	"	5 10 0	6 15 0
Lathwood	₱ fathom	3 12 6	4 0 0

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The spruce lumber market at Boston is exceeding firm, with a threatened rise of $2 per thousand. Indeed, some of the Maine mills are returning orders on schedules, at present quotations, saying their price is $20 or nothing. Notwithstanding the firmness of the situation the demand is not what it should be at the commencement of the building season, and some of the best posted merchants in the trade doubt the expediency of further advancing prices when there is danger of cutting off the demand. Building—especially house building—is largely optional, and the price of spruce advanced too far, it is vastly easy for the builder to put off building "this year." Quotations are not yet changed, though one or two prominent factors in the trade are asking $2 per thousand higher: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9-inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $16.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $17.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock is very scarce, with mills offering but little, and logs scarce: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 to $15.50 for good eastern; Vermont, $14 to $14.50; random, eastern, $14 to $14.50; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17.50; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

White pine continues to increase in value, with stronger quotations from the mills: Here, uppers, 1-in, $75 to $80; 2½ and 3 in, $80 to $85; 4-in. $85 to $88; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68; 2-in. $69 to $70; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $56 to $58; 1¼ to 1½ in. $62 to $66; 2-in. $68 to $70; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71; 4-in. $80; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is active and prices are very strong at a sharp advance. The following quotations are for strictly carlots, and 1-inch is meant in each variety, with usual advances for thicker: Quartered oak, $62 to $65; plain oak, $41 to $45; common and rejects, $38 to $42; red oak, no market; whitewood, $42 to 43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Shingles are very firm, very few extras on the market. The following quotations are for delivery after the middle of May, when new shingles will begin to arrive. Spot prices would be even higher: Extra cedar, $3.35 to $3.40; clear, $2.85; second clear, $2.35; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.90; Washington and British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards are still in very small supply, with the demand also small. Prices are at a wide range, and depend on how much they are wanted: Extra spruce, $38 to $40; clear, $36 to $38; second clear, $33 to $35; extra No 1, $24 to $26.

Laths are very firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for 1⅝ inch; 1½ inch, $3.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue :

From Vancouver, B.C.; Barque Amaranth, for China, 1,380,414 ft. rough fir, value $17,380, by B. C. Mills, Timber & Trading Co.; Barque Adderly, for Australia, 950,645 ft. rough fir, 110,212 ft. dressed fir, 144,700 laths, value $1,1000, by B. C. Mills, Timber & Trading Co.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Parisian, for Liverpool, 171,250 ft. lumber, value $1,773.; Barque Fortuna, for Swansea, Eng., 799,052 ft. lumber, value $7,867.

From St. John, N.B.: Str. Manchester City, for Manchester, 731 pcs. elm lumber, by J. Kinnear, 449,678 ft. deals, 28,792 ft. scantling, 14,123 ft. ends, 27,639 ft. boards, 27,050 ft. birch planks, 2,412 ft. birch ends, by W. M. Mackay; 292,593 ft. deals, 50,535 ft. scantling, 19,738 ft. boards, 75,268 ft. ends, by George McKean. Schr. Frank and Ira, for Providence, 922,500 cedar shingles, 250,000 spruce shingles, 6,000 ft. boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Fraulein, for City Island, 910,000 laths, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Ada G. Shortlands, for Newhaven, 12,918 ft. boards, 46,196 ft. scantling, 103,321 ft. plank, 69,966 ft. deals, 38,505 ft. pine boards, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Annie E. Booth, for City Island, 100,379 ft. boards, 96,888 ft. plank, 110,576 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Bonnie Doon, for City Island, 91,043 ft. deals, 66,593 ft. boards, 7,200 laths, by N. H. Murchie. Schr. Otis Miller, for City Island, 158,141 ft. deals, by A. Cushing & Co. Str. Concordia, for Glasgow, 8,250 ft. deals, by Schofield & Co.; 2,550 maple blocks, 36

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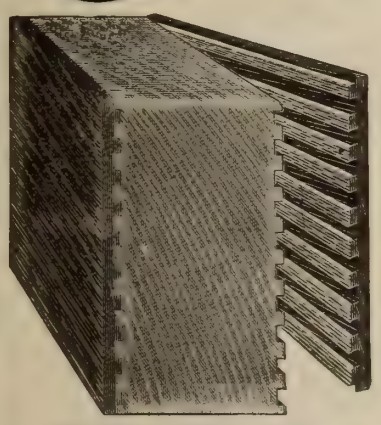

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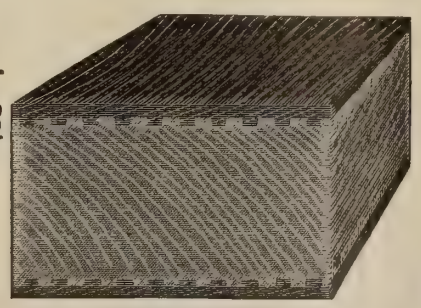

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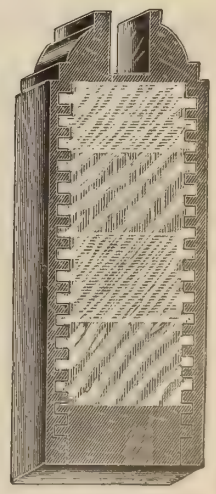

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2 in.	30 00	35 00
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1¼ in and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
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Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
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Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
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3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
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BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market may be designated both active and strong. Vessels are loading at Georgian Bay yards for the Eastern States and Michigan distributing points, and shipping by barge from Ottawa will commence next week. The lumber to be moved was in most cases purchased some time ago and is composed of last year's cut. Some mills have commenced sawing operations, while others are waiting for logs. A shortage in the log supply is feared, as there has been little rain and the streams are generally low. In view of the large portion of the cut of this season that has already been contracted for, any considerable decrease in the available supply of logs will be a serious matter and will likely result in a famine in white pine lumber. The buying by United States concerns has apparently not yet been satisfied, as one or two large transactions have taken place within the past week. Canadian dealers, on the other hand, are pursuing a more cautious policy, and are closing contracts only when prices offer an inducement. Comparing the prices with those of one year ago, it will be found that there has really been no advance in mill culls, box and common lumber, but that the upper grades are somewhat higher. For 1x10 and 12 mill culls $12 at the mill is asked. Hemlock lumber and timber continues in heavy demand, on the basis of $9.50 at the mill. An increase is reported in the number of inquiries for hardwood lumber. Dealers who have been holding stocks of elm for a considerable time now find that they can market them to advantage, which clearly indicates the upward trend of prices.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Reports from the Eastern Provinces seem to indicate that manufacturers have every confidence in the future of spruce prices. They state that stocks are much below an average and that there are many inquiries for spruce regulars 3x9 and up. Sales have been made in Quebec at $13. In New Brunswick the uncertainty of the log supply is the most influential market factor. Shippers have in some instances refused to enter into contracts at current prices, fearing that they may be unable to secure the necessary stock. The outlook in Nova Scotia is towards higher prices. One report states that no stock is held over from last year, and that the cut of the present season will not be more than 65 per cent. that of last year. Spruce and pine shipping boards and South American specifications are moving actively. Still higher prices are ruling for cedar shingles. Sales are reported of extras at $3.50 and clears at $3.00, for Boston delivery. The mills are now resuming operations, and it is not expected that these prices will be maintained throughout the season, although a steady market at firm prices seems assured, as the demand for the cedar shingle is steadily increasing.

That there is great danger of a shortage in the log supply is shown by the fact that $11 per thousand feet was paid last week for a quantity of logs.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

There is an unusually large demand throughout Manitoba and the Territories for building lumber, and it is probable that the mills will be taxed to their full capacity to supply the requirements of the trade. Retail dealers are stocking up heavily in anticipation of a brisk season. Prices of lumber are firm, and some lines are likely to advance in the near future. Large orders have recently been placed with British Columbia manufacturers for both lumber and shingles, chiefly for shipment to the east. The export trade, however, has not been neglected, as sixteen vessels sailed for foreign ports with lumber during the first three months of this year, six of them deing destined for Australia, five for China and Japan, and two for the United Kingdom. Lumber freight rates are low and declining.

UNITED STATES.

Another advance in lumber prices must be chronicled this week. At Albany good lumber has stiffened considerably. Uppers, selects, fine common and No. 1 cuts are marked up an average of $2 per thousand; 12-inch dressing has advanced $3; 12-inch No. 1 and No. 2 barn $1, and shaky clear $2. The short stocks of pine are restricting shipments, and there does not seem to be much prospect of early relief in that respect owing to a scarcity of logs. The box manufacturers are showing much concern regarding the supply of white pine, and scarcely know what prices to quote on time contracts. At eastern wholesale centres white pine is particularly scarce. Factory lumber and the upper grades are most enquired for, and it is said that sales of thick uppers have been made at $80. Yet this price, it is claimed, does not leave a fair margin for the dealer in consideration of the prices that are now being asked at the mills in the Lake Superior district. The freight rate

is $2.50, but an effort is being made to secure a reduction on this figure. In the Saginaw valley box lumber is worth from $14 to $16, and last week 1,000,000 feet of mill culls were sold at $13. A very active demand for hemlock is reported. At Buffalo the base price is $14.50, and at New York $16. At Alpena, Mich., sales are being made at $10 for 10 to 16-foot piece stuff, $11 for 18-foot, $12 for 20-foot and over, and $11 for boards. Delivered in Chicago by water, the price of hemlock is $11.

All hardwoods are sharing in the improved conditions. Ash, birch and basswood are leading, with elm and maple closely following. There has been an advance of $1 in the price of maple, believed to be due to the influence of the Michigan Association. Furniture factories are purchasing quite liberally.

It is almost impossible to give a quotation on lath, as there is practically none in first hands. Dry shingles are also exhausted, and manufacturers are selling green stocks as fast as they can be manufactured. Cedar shingles appear to be taking the lead, owing to the fact that for some time it has been impossible to purchase a supply of white pine.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The trade and navigation returns for the first quarter of this year contain statistics, as usual, bearing upon the import of timber into Great Britain. For the three months the quantity of hewn timber imported was 464,499 loads, as compared with 503,578 loads in the corresponding period last year. Of sawn lumber the import was 408,457 loads, against 415,862 loads in 1901. From Canada the import of hewn timber was 2,524 loads, as compared with 4,319 loads last year, and of sawn timber 72,956 loads, whereas in 1901 it was only 59,323 loads. Notwithstanding the depression in the British timber trade, it will be noticed that the total import for the quarter is only 46,000 loads less than for the same period last year. The outlook, if we can judge from reports, is gradually improving. There is a steady demand for the best grades of deals, but narrow dimensions are in large stock and less firm than the regular sizes. Up to the present time buyers have been content to purchase from the stock on hand, but it is thought that from now on there will be more liberal buying of stock to arrive. Seemingly, an opinion has prevailed that there is no possibility of a shortage in the supply of Canadian pine and spruce, but as the weeks go by this opinion is being dispelled, and importers are showing a greater disposition to contract. It is regarded as extremely likely that there will be an advance in the prices of 9 and 11 inch spruce and the standard sizes of pine. Two lots of 3x9 spruce which recently arrived at Liverpool have been stored by the shipper, on the belief that later he will be able to sell the stock to much better advantage. Waney and square pine are in strong request at firm prices. The stock of first-class oak is light, and an expansion in the demand would result in higher prices.

Barnhill Bros. cut 1,250,000 feet the past winter at Clarendon, N. B., with a portable mill.

The McGoldrick Lumber Company of Minneapolis, last week sold 9,000,000 feet of pine to the John Spry Lumber Company, of Chicago. It was mostly common good white pine, and the price is said to be $16 per thousand.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

J. A. Gregory, of St. John, N. B., has shipped 156,000 birch poles this season to Liverpool.

Spruce deals are retailing at Belfast, Ireland, equal to about £9 per St. Petersburg standard.

The tender of P. McLaren has been accepted for the supply of lumber for the city of Brockville, Ont.

The steamer Norden has been fixed to carry deals from St. John, N. B., to a Spanish Mediterranean port.

The contract for rafting the logs which drifted down the St. John river has been awarded to Emery Sewell, of Maugerville.

Dobell, Beckett & Company, of Quebec, are now loading the steamer Axminster at St. John, N.B., with deals for the United Kingdom.

The Hanbury Manufacturing Company, of Brandon, Man., took out 7,000,000 feet of logs last winter along the Shell River and Riding Mountains.

M. Ryan, of Smith's Falls, has secured the contract to supply the government with 137,000 feet of British Columbia fir timber for the Rideau canal improvements.

Prices for cooperage stock at Buffalo remain at $7.75 to $8 for first-class staves, 5½ to 5¾ cents for first-class heading, and $8.50 to $8.75 for 6-foot coiled hoops.

White pine 18-inch shingles are quoted Saginaw at $3 for clear butts and $4.05 for XXXX. The demand for lath exceeds the supply, and prices are strong at $4 for No. 1 and $3.50 for No. 2.

It is reported that Robinson Bros., of North Tonawanda, have closed a contract with the Ontario Lumber Company, of Toronto, for 20,000,000 feet of lumber to be manufactured at French River this season.

The early break-up of winter has enabled Samuel Bingham, of Ottawa, to get his logs down the Gatineau river much earlier than usual. At this date there are over 100,000 logs near the mouth of the Gatineau.

R. R. Dobell & Company, of Liverpool, England, have again secured the contract for supplying timber for the British Admiralty Department, they having last year given great satisfaction in delivery. The quantity required this year will be about 50 per cent. more than last year, and as follows: White pine, 196,500 cubic feet; red pine, 20,000 cubic feet; rock elm, 30,000 cubic feet; first quality pine deals, 150 standards; spruce deals, 580 standards; with about 74 standards of special spruce deals for the manufacture of oars, to be selected at the Hastings mill, Vancouver, B.C.

At a recent sale at Dublin, Ireland, spruce deals brought the following prices per Irish standard: 7 and 8 by 3, £12 to £12 15s per standard; 9, 10, 11, and up to 14 by 3, £13 to £14 12s 6d; Bay Verte spruce, 7, 8, 9 and 12 by 3, £13; 7 by 1 p. & j., 8s 10½d to 9s per square; 7 by 1¼ ditto, 10s 6d; 7 by ¾ ditto, 7s; 7 by 1¼ t. & g., 10s 9d; 9 by ¾ p. & j., 8s 6d; 9 by 1 ditto, 10s 7½d; 11 by 1 ditto, 12s 6d; 5 by ½ r. & v., 4s 6d per square.

Wright, Graham & Company, Glasgow, Scotland, quote the following prices for Quebec pine and spruce deals: 1st quality broad pine, £28 to £30 per std. of 1,980 feet; 11 in. £24 10s to £27; 7" to 10" £18 10s to £22. 2nd quality broad, £20 to £22; 11 in. £18 10s to £20; 7 in. to 10 in. £13 15s to £15 2s 6d. 3rd quality broad, £13 15s to £14 8s 9d; 11 in. £12 to £12 7s 6d; 7 to 10 in. £20 to £10 13s; 4th quality broad, £10 6s 3d to £11; 11 in. £9 12s 6d to £10 6s 3; narrows, £8 to £9. Red pine deals, 9 and 11 in. by 3 and 4 in. £9 5s to £11 per standard; 7 to 10 in. by 3 in. £7 10s to £8 5s. Spruce deals, 9 in. and up by 3 in., £18 10s to £9 12s 6d per standard; 7 and 8 in. by 3 in. £6 10s to £7 10s.

SPRUCE AND PINE WANTED.

Canadian manufacturers looking for export business should be interested in the advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department of a British firm which desires to arrange for importations of pine and spruce. The firm in question are, we believe, thoroughly reliable. Persons wishing an interview with their representative, who is now on this Continent, should drop a card to Box 42, CANADA LUMBERMAN office.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The spruce quotations at Boston, while very firm all round, scarcely fairly represent the market. Many operators were obliged to leave logs in the woods, and this, followed by the threatened serious trouble in getting the logs down, has put the mills in a position where they are inclined to hold quotations $1 to $2 higher. The real position hinges on the mills obtaining logs. Quotations are not yet changed generally, though some of the leading houses are declining orders except at stronger prices: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20; 9-inch and under, $18; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $19.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $16.50; all other randoms, 9 inch and under, 10 feet and up, $17.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $16; matched boards, $18 to $19; out spruce boards, $13; bundle furring, $16 to $17.

Hemlock is in very small offering and very firm: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 to $15 50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17.50; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

White pine is very strong at quotations: Here, uppers, 1-in, $75 to $80; 2½ and 3 in, $80 to $85; 4-in. $85 to $88; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68; 2-in. $69 to $70; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $56 to $58; 1¼ to 1½ in. $62 to $66; 2-in. $68 to $70; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71; 4-in. $80; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is very firm, with a good demand at quotations: Quartered oak, $62 to $65; plain oak, $41 to $45; common and rejects, $38 to $42; whitewood, $42 to 43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Shingles continue very firm, with spot prices 15c above quotations on extras and clears, with a very light demand for second clears: To arrive, extra cedar, $3.35; clear, $2.85; second clear, $2.35; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.90; Washington and British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards continue very scarce and firm: Extra spruce, $38 to $40; clear, $36 to $38; second clear, $33 to $35; extra No 1, $24 to $26.

Laths continue firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for 1⅝ inch; 1½ inch, $3.

THE LUMBER OUTPUT.

Secretary George K. Smith, of the Southern Lumbermen's Association, in his annual report before that body, gave out statistical information which will be of interest to manufacturers of lumber throughout the United States and Canada. An average of 160 mills for the twelve months of the year, embracing 1,759 firms, cut 1,992,602,851 feet, while shipments for the same time were 2,090,120,270 feet. This is an increase of 200,000,000 feet in the output as compared with the previous year, or 11 per cent., while shipments were in excess of those of 1900 by 344,000,000 feet, or 20 per cent., thus reducing stocks held 100,000,000 feet, or about 10 per cent. These figures apply to the yellow pine lumber situation. With regard to white pine there was a reduction, through excess of shipments over cut, of 200,000,000 feet, or 13 per cent. in the visible supply up to December 1st, and an increase in output of 119,000,000 feet, or 5 per cent.

ST. JOHN SHIPMENTS.

United States Consul Myers reports that the exports of lumber from St. John to the United States from January 1st to March 31st was as follows:

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THE POSITION OF SPRUCE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The following reports from the chief spruce centres of the United Kingdom will give our readers an idea of the views held regarding the spruce market. The reports are reproduced from the Timber Trades Journal:

LONDON.

As regards London, where spruce occupies a very important place in the consumption, the present position of the market as regards stock is rather unfavorable to prices on this side. The various mills are well stocked, and at the docks there are considerably more deals and battens now than were held last year, the excess being about 100,000 pieces.

At the end of March, 1901, the dock stock was put down as representing about two and a half months' consumption; this year, by the same authority, the supply is estimated at more than equal to three and a half months. Without relying too much on these calculations, there can be no doubt that whatever the position of the spruce market in London was a year ago, the altered conditions of the stocks now can have no favorable influence attached to them. To maintain a healthy level of prices the increase in quantities should be accompanied by a corresponding increase in the consumption, but that such has been the case we are not prepared to say. Of course there are many factors operating to sway prices in this market, of which the influences, as yet, are only partially felt, such as the state of the stocks in Canada and the competition with other descriptions of whitewood; but, as far as our information goes, whatever proportions the expected curtailment of first-open-water stocks at Quebec and the Lower Ports, including St. John, may assume, we do not think the supply to London will be sufficiently diminished to buoy up prices. White deals, etc., from the Danube are now being offered at lower prices than the Quebec shippers are willing to accept, and though the wood may not be quite equal to best spruce, when it becomes a question of cost the cheaper article is generally preferred. But, as far as we can learn, the whitewood from Galatz, which is now being quoted at £8 5s. c.i.f. to London for 3x9, and 10s. more for 11 in., is viewed favorably by contractors and others, and might take the place of spruce while the present difference in price exists. The stock here is, however, unimportant, but it is fair to assume that plenty of it would be forthcoming if the spruce supplies fell off.

LIVERPOOL.

At this time of year the West Coast of England, Scotland, and all Ireland are awaiting with some perturbation as to the course of the spruce market for the coming import season. As an American humorist says, "It is not wise to prophecy unless you know." And how this season's business is going to work out is something more than anyone can say at present. We give some intelligence received by cable on March 30th, which states: "Great damages. . . having lost 1,000 standards of logs; other manufacturers have also suffered; to what extent is not yet known." And again, a day later, a cable comes: Withdraw all offers, and sell nothing at present." This, on the face of it, shows an alarming state of things. There may yet be further developments, but we prefer to wait events. The position on the shipping side may be all that is alleged; yet we have never forgotten how the late Mr. Dan Mackay, after having sold two or three cargoes by auction, would suddenly produce another catalogue, and blandly say: "They seem to drop from the clouds."

All this seems to show a hard market for the future. To this extent shipbrokers who have chartering for vessels from the spruce ports say to-day they cannot charter any sailer for future loading, for the simple reason charterers have no deals to load their vessels with when they get to a port of loading. As we have said before, importers are playing a waiting game. With a stock of 12,920 standards in Liverpool, and about 7/10,000 standards in Manchester, they are not likely to engage in future contracts to any large degree. Preston and Fleetwood carry no stock worth mentioning. But we do not anticipate any imports of spruce deals of the new cutting before August, and until then this market will have to depend upon Lower Port shipments.

MANCHESTER.

The position of spruce deals in the Manchester market is most difficult to understand. They touched £7 15s. c.i.f. last year, and it was the opinion of experts they would advance at least another £1 per standard. The expectation was not realized, and since then they have gradually drifted to £7 5s., at which they are firm to-day on a 35s. to 40s. freight basis, leaving the shipper a handsome f. o. b. price, but to any importer sanguine enough to buy, a certain loss on the current Manchester and Liverpool prices.

BRISTOL.

Stocks of spruce are rather broken, and while there is plenty of 7 and 8 inch available, supplies of 11 and 9 inch are very short, the latter width especially so. Shippers are still holding out for high prices, and profess to have only limited stocks, but at the figures asked we believe we are correct in saying that nothing has been bought at this port. With freights from St. John as low as 35s., the prices now asked would leave an excellent f.o.b. return to the shipper, who may be relied upon to strain every nerve to increase production. At the present time spruce is too far above its average value to indulge in heavy commitments, and if business is to result shippers should moderate their views.

CARDIFF.

The stock of spruce here is at present very low, and we believe this is also the case in the other South Wales ports. It is not likely that there will be any importation in quantity before June, and by that time what stock there is will be pretty well exhausted, though the demand is small. We do not hear of any considerable purchases being yet made, as importers do not see their way to buy at the high figures quoted by shippers, who, on the other hand, contend that the produce is light this season, and are, therefore, indisposed to give way. We may, on the whole, conclude that as time goes on prices will gradually harden, though not to an extreme extent, but we shall not see repeated the ill-judged importation of a few years since, which resulted in such heavy losses.

GLASGOW.

A very fair amount of business has been done here in contracting for supplies of spruce during the coming season, not far behind the quantity fixed a year ago, and further contracts are in course of being effected. Stock at March 31st is about 6,600 standards, slightly over the amount held at same date last year. Of the present stock fully half (3,400 standards) are in consumers' hands. The consumption during the past three months amounts to over 5,500 standards; better than same period last year. The import during the three months has been entirely by liners, and mostly by those from St. John, N.B., and Halifax, N.S., and were practically all disposed of at ship's side. Prices are very firm, and current rates are for 11 in., 1s 2d; 9 in., 1s 1d; 7 in., 11d per cubic foot.

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THE LOG SITUATION IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

The following dispatches explain the situation in connection with driving operations on the St. John river and other streams in New Brunswick :

Chipman, April 11.—Several million feet of logs have arrived at the boom at Briggs' Corner and a crew of men are engaged in rafting the drives that are down. Several of the drives were about hung up, but the rain which set in yesterday has swollen the stream to such an extent that the lumbermen with drives hung up are in great hopes of getting their lumber out.

Fredericton, April 13.—Latest advices received here are to the effect that stream driving operations on the St. John have scarcely begun yet. The streams are still full of ice. There is about two feet of snow in the woods, but this is wasting away every day and without doing any good. What is wanted is warm rains to bring the streams up to a good driving pitch. On the Tobique operators have driving operations well in hand, water is at a good pitch, and prospects are that the season's cut will all be brought out. R. A. Estey has about half his cut of four million in the main Tobique, and expects soon to reach the corporation limits. F. H. Hale on Sisson brook is bringing out eight million, and expects to get out every stick. Water here is about at a standstill, but has risen six inches in the past few days.

Fredericton, April 16. — Telegrams received by lumbermen here to-day from the head-waters of the St. John state that stream driving operations are practically suspended owing to lack of water. Similar conditions prevail on the Aroostook, according to the same advices.

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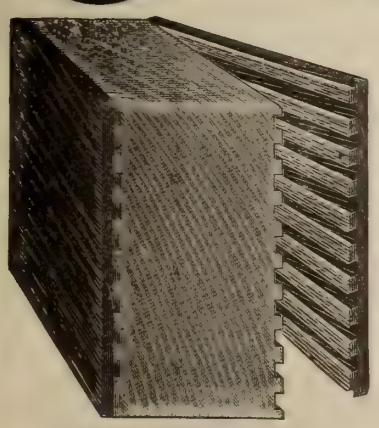

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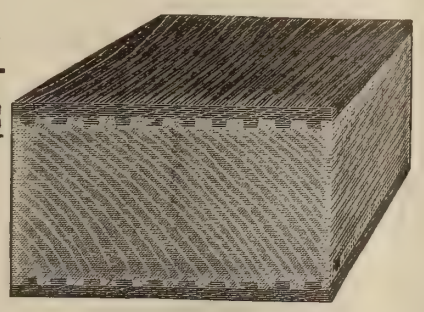

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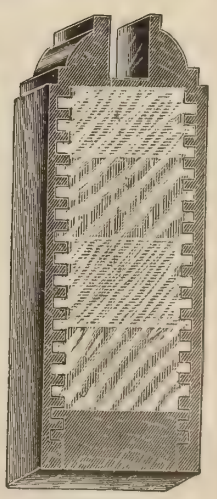

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1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	38 00 42 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	40 00 45 00
Pine, good strips :	
1 in.	29 00 30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00 34 00
2 in.	30 00 35 00
Pine, good shorts :	
1 in.	20 00 24 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	22 00 26 00
2 in.	24 00 30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b. m.	20 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00 21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00 16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00 16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00 17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00 15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50 14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	18 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$63 00	Selects, 11in., 8in. and up wide	$64 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	67 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	54 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 2
		Hemlock	2 75

Uppers, 3 in. up	$74	$76	1x12 inch shippers	$21	$23
2½ in.	74	76	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	23	24
1 to 2 in.	68	70	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	74	76	10-in. dressing and better		28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	68	70	10-in. common		18 19
to 2 in.	60	62	12-in. dressing and better		35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	47	52	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	35	45	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	28
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	42	1x10	24	25
No. 2	25	30	1x8	22	23
No. 3	21	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	40	45	1x10	22	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	27	30
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	30	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21			

LATH.

Pine	$	$3 50	Spruce	$	$3 5

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 00	1¼x10 and 12	35
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 50
4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in	62 50 63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	40 00 42 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	30 50 32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	50 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	28 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	22 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda :

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00 32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in.	35 00 37 00	Strips	19 00 21 00
		Com. and culls	13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00 30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00 35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up	22 00 24 00
		Com & good culls	12 00 14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00 25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00 22

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.	18 00 20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	17 00

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WE HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 FEET DRY PINE in 1, 2 and 3 inch common and better, prefer selling in bulk. Will quote freight rate to Buffalo, Chicago or Toronto on application. Correspondence solicited. N.B.—Would like to correspond with consumers of hardwoods. ST. JOE ISLAND LUMBER CO., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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NAME AND ADDRESS WANTED.

Messrs. Gellibrand, Heywood & Company, of Cardiff, Wales, would be pleased to receive the name and address of the person who, in answer to an advertisement in this paper, wrote them a letter from Bedford, N.S., quoting prices for birch chair seats, etc. If this paragraph should happen to meet the eye of the person referred to, he will confer a favor by communicating immediately with Messrs. Gellibrand, Heywood & Co.

The steamer Simonside is loading a cargo of deals at St. John, N.B., for the United Kingdom.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

It is usual for the month of April to be characterized by a decline in the price of lumber in anticipation of the new cut, but the past month has been a notable exception. Prices of almost every grade of lumber are equally as firm as one month ago. The demand has been quite active, and sufficient to absorb nearly all the dry lumber on the market. There is practically no merchantable pine that has not passed out of first hands. A large percentage of the new cut has also been contracted for at prices considerably higher than those ruling one year ago. It is, probable, however, that those who have bought will be on the right side of the market, as should any quantity of logs be hung up, as now seems probable, the result would be a further stiffening of prices. That a shortage in the log supply is anticipated is shown by the fact that logs are changing hands in the Georgian Bay district at $11 per thousand feet. It is said that on the north shore several million feet are hung up. Among the grades of lumber most in demand are 10 and 12 inch dressing and better and 6 inch strips. Several sales of mill culls have been made at high figures. Manufacturers report more liberal buying of hardwoods, with less disposition to scrutinize the inspection.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Interest now centres on the log drives. The situation has not improved and the prospects for getting the logs to the mills are not encouraging. Satisfactory progress is being made on the Tobique river but the conditions on the St. John have been less favorable. There has been considerable buying of spruce deals for the British market, as shippers seem to fear a shortage in the supply. It is estimated that the shipments from Nova Scotia will be considerably less than last year. Cedar shingles continue firm, while there has been a slight decline in the price of spruce lath.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber trade in Manitoba and the Territories is steadily increasing in volume. Building operations in Winnipeg and the country towns are becoming quite active and will call for a large quantity of lumber. An advance in the price of white pine lumber has been put into effect by the manufacturers. It is equal to about fifty cents per thousand feet on timber and dimension, boards, shiplap, flooring, siding and ceiling. This is likely to be followed by a corresponding advance in retail prices. It is understood that the

mills in British Columbia are also considering the raising of prices probably one dollar per thousand, to offset the higher prices asked for logs. The demand is active and a prosperous season is expected by both lumber and shingle manufacturers.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market generally is quite as strong as at last writing. The situation at the head of the lakes is not satisfactory to mill men, inasmuch as there is a shortage of logs and some of the mills may be compelled to close down unless good progress is made with the drives. Business is particularly active in Pennsylvania and New York States. The high prices of pine and spruce are causing the substitution of southern pine in a few instances. Piece stuff is selling in the Chicago market at $15.25. Dry stocks along the lakes are cleared up, and green lumber will not be ready for shipment for two or three weeks yet. It is not likely, however, that prices will be further advanced, as it would be better to maintain prices at the present basis than force them higher, and probably bring about a sharp reaction when the new cut is offered. In the Saginaw valley long run pine is selling at $17 to $25, box lumber at $14 to 16, and mill culls at $12 to $13. Norway pine has strengthened of late, an advance of $1 having been made at Toledo last week. The base price there is now $17.50 for 2x4 to 2x10, 12 to 16 feet. Hemlock prices are also moving upwards. Cargo shippers who were selling dry hemlock a few weeks ago on the basis of $9.50 to $10 at the mill now want $10.50 to $11. Recent sales were on the basis of $11 delivered in Chicago, so that the asking prices are an advance of over one dollar. At Toledo hemlock boards are quoted at $15. From the Pacific coast comes the report that the mills are crowded to their utmost with orders, and that shipments are limited only by the available stocks of lumber and the supply of cars. There has been within the past two months a complete reversal of the hardwood market. At that time all kinds were quiet, whereas there are few items that are not now moving freely. Higher prices are being asked for maple and birch.

Most of the lath to be cut at Duluth this season has been contracted for at high prices. In the Saginaw valley No. 1 laths are quoted at $4, and No. 2 at $3.50. The demand is good for all grades of shingles. It is said that sales of New Brunswick shingles are being made in Boston at a range from $3.50 to $3.75.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The knowledge that no import duty is to be placed on timber was no doubt responsible in part for the better tone of the British market during the past fortnight. The prospects of peace in South Africa have also had a reassuring influence. Buyers have entered the market to secure specifications that are likely to be required for early contracts. In addition, there have been large public sales of pine and spruce, as is usual at this season of the year, to make room for the new imports. The prices realized show a slightly advancing tendency. For a quantity of first quality pine, from Quebec, £27 5s was obtained. This price, however, seems low, inasmuch as £30 is asked by Quebec shippers for similar stock delivered at London. A parcel of regulars, containing a percentage of second-class deals, brought £24. Second quality pine, 14 to 15 feet in length, sold at £16. The stock of spruce deals is working down, and 9 and 11-inch bring good prices. For narrow sizes the market is dull. A correspondent at Liverpool writes that the stock of spruce on hand is of very poor quality, but that it is being firmly held owing to the attitude of shippers. It is said that contracts have been closed on the basis of £7 7s 6d per standard c. i. f. Liverpool, for June loading, and that for later delivery £7 10s is asked. The prices realized for square timber at a recent sale are given in another column.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Parrsboro Lumber Company, of Parrsboro, N. S., expect to ship 3,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

The barque Pallas sailed last week from the Hastings mill, Vancouver, B.C., with lumber, for the United Kingdom.

J. & C. Hickman, of Port Elgin, N.B., expect to cut this season about 3,250,000 feet of spruce deals and 2,000,000 lath.

The Keewatin Lumber Company, of Keewatin, Ont., expect to manufacture 20,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

McClellan Bros. have just finished sawing 370,000 feet of deals and boards at Hopewell, Hill, N.B., by a portable mill.

Sims Bros., of Little Current, Ont., last week sold to William Pulling & Company, of Windsor, 650,000 feet of mill culls at good figure.

J. Willard Smith, agent for Gibson's mill at Marysville, N.B., expects to place the first cargo of cedar shingles on the market this week.

It is estimated that 33,000,000 feet of deals were shipped to the United Kingdom from St. John's, N. B., during the past winter on the regular liners.

One of the novelties of recent shipments from British Columbia was a cargo of lumber from the Hastings Mill, Vancouver, for Philadelphia, Penn.

The CANADA LUMBERMAN would be pleased to learn of parties in a position to make immediate shipment of about 5,000 railway ties, in either cedar or tamarac.

The Moulthrop Lumber Company, of John's Island, Ont., have purchased a timber limit on the Vermillion river, estimated to contain 40,000,000 feet of pine.

John L. Peck and J. Nelson Smith, of Hillsboro, N.B., are reported to have purchased 1,400 acres of timber land in the vicinity of Albert Mines, N.B., from Capt. H. A. Calhoun.

It is estimated that there are 290,000,000 feet of logs to come out of the Spanish river and tributaries this spring. The water is low, however, and many of the logs may be hung up.

R. A. Estey, of Fredericton, N.B., has sold 1,500,000 feet of spruce logs of this winter's cut to John E. Moore, of St. John. Mr. Estey took out more logs than he can manufacture at his mill.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company are asking for tenders in this issue for the supply of track ties, fence posts, telegraph poles and piling required by the Ontario division for the next three or five years.

The barque Rhoda cleared from Little Current, Ont., on the 18th inst., for Cleveland, with 541,000 feet of lumber for the Saginaw Bay Company. This is part of the stock purchased by the company from Sims Bros.

According to M. L. Tucker, the shipments of lumber from Parrboro, N. S, this season will be smaller than for some years. He estimates that the shipments from West Bay will not exceed 15,000,000 feet, compared with nearly 40,000,000 feet last year.

The Parrsboro Lumber Company, of Parrsboro, N.S., operated last winter in Newfoundland, getting out 2,500,000 feet of logs at Notre Dame Junction. The Highland Lumber Company, also a Nova Scotia concern, took out 3,000,000 feet at Norris Arm. The Exploits Lumber Company, operating at Botwoodville, Nfld., took out 10,000,000 feet last winter.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their report of April 12th, thus refer to the Barbadoes market: "There have been no arrivals of white pine, but the market is amply supplied at the moment. We could not venture to value a cargo at present over $20 to $20.50 for shipping, and $15 to $15.50 for second quality. In spruce we have had the "Josie," with 130,000 feet, which we placed at $18.37. The steamer "Bratsberg" brought a small parcel of long cedar shingles, which have been sold at $3.60; further arrivals, however, will probably not bring this price."

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

The following prices were realized for Canadian deals, etc., at an auction sale held at London, England, by Foy, Morgan & Company, on April 16th:

PINE—Ex. Prome, from Quebec—10-17 ft. 3x5 in. unassorted red, £7 per std; 10-16 ft. 3x5, £6 15s. Ex. Manchester Shipper, from Quebec.—12-13 ft. 3x12-21 in. first quality white pine, £27 5s; 14 ft 3x12-23, £27 5s; 10-11 ft. 3x12-22, £25 15s; 12 ft. 3x11, £24; 13 ft. 3x11, £24 5s; 14 ft. 3x11, £24; 15 ft. 3x11, £23 15s; 16 ft. 3x11, £23 15s; 14 ft. 3x9-10, £18 15s; 15 ft. 3x9-10, £19 5s; 16 ft. 3x9, £19 10s; 14 ft. 3x7-8, £17 5s; 15 ft. 3x7, £17 5s; 9 ft. 3x11-19, £21 15s; 8 ft. 3x11-20 £19 15s; 7 ft. 3x11-21, £19 10s; 6 ft. 3x11-19, £19 10s; 9 ft. 3x7-10, £18 15s; 8 ft. 3x7-10, £18; 7 ft. 3x7, £17 10s; 6 ft. 3x7, £16 15s; 2-5 ft. 3x11-18, £15; 5 ft. 3x4-10, £15 5s; 4 ft. 3x4-10, £13 15s; 3 ft. 3x4-10, £12; 2 ft. 3x4-10, £9 5s; 12-13 ft. 3x12-22 in. second quality, £16; 14-16 ft. 3x12-22, £15; 10-11 ft. 3x12-22, £14 10s. Ex. Strathavon, from Gander Bay, Que.—12-18 ft. 3x11 in. third quality white, £11 10s; 12 ft. 3x12-20, £10 10s; 13-18 ft. 3x12-20, £10 10s; 9-11 ft. 3x11-18, £10; 12-18 ft. 3x10, £9 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x9, £10; 14-18 ft. 3x9, £9 15s; 12 ft. 3x8, £9; 12 ft. 3x7, £8 15s; 13 ft. 3x7, £8 10s; 14-17 ft. 3x7 £8 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x6, £8 5s; 14-18 ft. 3x6, £7 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x5, £8; 12-18 ft. 3x4, £7 15s; 9-11 ft. 3x9-10, £9 5s; 9-11 ft. 3x7-8, £8 5s; 9-11 ft. 3x4-6, £7 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x5-16, £7 10s; 2-5 ft. 3x3-11, £5 5s; 12-13 ft. 3x12-22 in. first quality, £14 15s; 9-17 ft. 3x12-20, £14 10s; 9-17 ft. 3x11, £17; 12-18 ft. 3x10, £14 10s; 12-19 ft. 3x9, £14 5s; 12-18 ft. 3x8 £12 5s; 12-18 ft. 3x5-7, £10 15s; 9-11 ft. 3x5-10, £12 15s; 2-8 ft. 3x3-18, £12; 12-13 ft. 3x12-22 in. second quality, £11 5s; 9-18 ft. 3x12-21, £10 15s; 9-18 ft. 3x11, £13 5s; 12-18 ft. 3x10, £10 10s; 12-18 ft. 3x9, £10 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x8, £10 5s; 14-18 ft. 3x8, £10; 12 ft. 3x7, £10 5s; 13-18 ft. 3x6, £9 5s; 13-19 ft. 3x4-5, £8 10s; 9-11 ft. 3x8-10, £9 10s; 9-11 ft. 3x4-7, £8 15s; 2-8 ft. 3x3-18, £7 10s. Ex. Norge, from Quebec.—12 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, £25 15s; 13 ft 3x11, £26; 11 ft. 3x11, £23 15s; 10 ft. 3x11, £23; 14-15 ft. 3x11 in. second quality, £16; 11 ft. 3x11, £13 10s; 10 ft. 3x11, £13 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x10, £12; 11-13 ft. 3x9, £12 5s; 6-14 ft. 3x8, £11 5s; 12-13 ft. 3x7, £10 15s. Ex. Devona, from Quebec.—7-16 ft. 4x5-6 in. unassorted red, £10 10s; 11-18 ft. 3x6, £10 5s; 10-18 ft. 3x6, £7 5s; 10-18 ft. 2x5, £7; 6-18 ft. 2x4, £7 15s. Ex. Monte Videan, from Quebec.—A quantity of unassorted red pine at from £6 10s. to £8 5s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Verdandi, from Batiscan, Que.—11 ft. 3x9 in. second quality, £9 5s per std.; 10-11 ft. 3x9, £9; 12 ft. 3x7 in. second quality, £8 and £7 15s; 13 ft. 3x7, £7 15s. Ex. Fridtjof Nansen, from Quebec—13 ft. 3x9 in. third quality, £9 5s; 14 ft. 3x9 in. fourth quality, £8 15s; 6-16 ft. 3x9, £8 10s.

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TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 4th April, 1902. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A firm of organ makers have asked to be furnished with the names of shippers of whitewood from Canada.

A firm at Leith, Scotland, make inquiry respecting the wood pulp trade of Canada, their object being to interest themselves in the importation of sulphite pulp.

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The activity about the mills is the present prominent feature of the lumber business. Every preparation has been made for a big season's cut, and all that remains to transform expectations into realizations is a large and steady supply of logs. Gilmour & Hughson's large mill on the Hull side of the river is working on dimension timber. The W. C. Edwards Company's mill has also started for the season with a large gang of men. The Ottawa mill got down to business this year about a week before the larger mill at Rockland. Booth's mill is also running night and day, the night gang having been placed at work this week. Over 1,500 men are now employed in the Booth mill and yard. A large burner is in course of erection. In it the refuse sawdust will be disposed of. The E. B. Eddy Company's saw mill and the mills of smaller concerns in and about the city are all working on the season's cut.

From present indications very little lumber available for present sale is likely to be carried over. The mill men are daily in receipt of inquiries from local and outside dealers, and the prospects for a rapid turnover of lumber in the yards are good.

The Ottawa Transportation Company has got its fleet of 80 barges in readiness for the movement of the Ottawa and Hull mill cut. Shipments will commence early next week, and an extra busy season is looked for. The above company has a monopoly of the river carrying business. American barges carrying return cargoes of lumber have to get permission and pay for the privilege. Each of the Ottawa barges has a capacity of 350,000 feet of lumber, equal to 25 car loads. A couple of new barges will be placed in commission with the opening of the canal on Monday.

There is absolutely no change in the lumber prices this month. They are stationary and several lines are all held in second hands. Lath and shingles figure in this list, with several measurements of the better grade of lumber. Everyone is waiting for a slice of the new cut on which the mills have just started. When it is placed on the market it will no doubt have an effect on prices.

Building operations in the city have not as yet taken on the accustomed activity, but better things are looked for. The talk of strikes in the building trades is dying out, and local dealers are anticipating a busy season with the city trade. Shipments to the States have picked up, and the C. P. Railway and C. A. Railway report an increased inquiry for cars. The trade with the States by water will be large this season.

The dry weather has given the Ottawa lumbermen considerable trouble, and unless an abundance of rain marks the weather for the next week, many logs will be tied up, as the water is low. The Riordan Paper Company, of Hawkesbury, is said to have a considerable quantity of stuff on the Rough River which will have to be left there. This week a couple of large booms passed down the river to Grenville, en route to Montreal. The report that the Canadian Pacific Railway has purchased the Ottawa, Northern and Western Railway and the Pontiac line is good news for the local lumbermen, the improved service will facilitate the handling of supplies. If the C.P.R. extends the lines as is predicted, new and valuable territory will be opened up.

In the provincial campaign the local lumber trade is deeply interested, as two of its members are prospective candidates. They are ex-Mayor Bingham and Alex. Lumsden, ex-M.L.A. Mayor White, of Pembroke, son of the late Andrew White, M.L.A., will contest North Renfrew in the Conservative interests against Mr. Munro, the sitting member, who is a well-known lumberman. Mayor White controls his father's interests in the lumber business. Mr. Alex. Lumsden, who returned a few days ago from the Temiscamingue district, states that the Kippewa Temiscamingue, and smaller lakes are still full of ice. Navigation will not be opened for some time. None of the mills are running yet.

At the annual meeting held here last week Mr. W. C. Edwards, M.P., the well-known lumberman, was elected President of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

OTTAWA, April 25th, 1902.

FIRES.

The saw mill of H. Elderkin & Co. at Port Greville, N.S., was destroyed by fire recently.

The saw mill of John Cooper, of Wallaceburg, Ont., was burned a few days ago. The loss is heavy.

The saw mill of George Tennant, at Bracebridge, Ont., together with a quantity of lumber, was burned last week.

The sash and door factory of Robertson & Hackett, Vancouver, B.C., was damaged by fire recently to the extent of $4,000.

Simmie's saw mill at Clavering, Ont., together with a quantity of lumber was destroyed by fire last week. The loss is about $6,000.

The sash and door factory of James York, at Chesterville, Ont., was destroyed by fire recently. The loss is estimated at $50,000, with no insurance.

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From St. John, N.B.: Str. Florence, for London, 1,300 bales pulp, by St. John Sulphite Pulp Co. Str. Manchester Trader, for Manchester, 37,580 birch poles, 4,070 pcs. birch timber, 7,800 pcs. elm lumber, 200 stds. deals, 800 bales pulp. Str. Lake Ontario, for Liverpool, 232 tons birch timber, 93,737 ft. deals, 2,692 ft. scantling, 3,598 ft. ends, 2,394 ft. boards, 4,413 ft. birch plank, by W. M. Mackay; 2,235 doors by Troop & Son; 56,000 ft. lumber, 182 pcs timber, by Troope & Son. Schr. Reporter, for Salem, 16,015 ft. scantling, 125,726 ft. plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Edward W. Perry, for City Island, 256,844 ft. planks, 14,428 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Avon, for City Island, 197,983 ft. deals, 18,227 ft. plank, 3,013 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Ayr, for Salem, 141,604 ft. boards, 2,429 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Emma S. Osler, for Eastport, 20,000 barrel staves, by Randolph & Baker. Steamer Numidian, for Liverpool, 358,188 feet deals, 22,500 feet scantling, 12,354 feet ends, 12,376 feet boards, 4,855 feet birch plank, 600 tons birch timber, by W. M. Mackay; 2,388 pieces maple blocks, 22,080 feet elm logs, by William Thomson & Co.; 878 parcels wood pulp, by Sissiboo Pulp Co.

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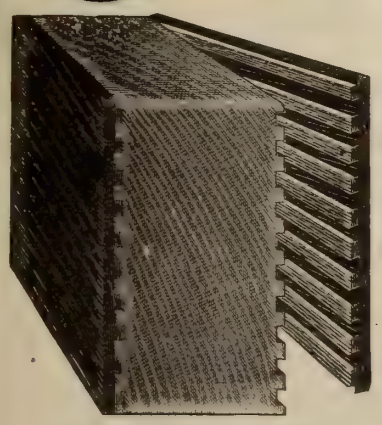

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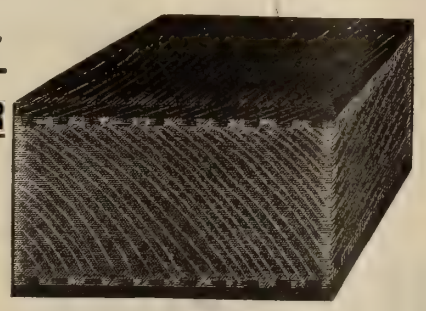

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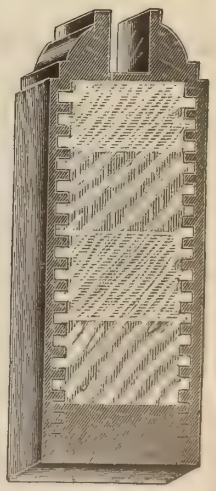

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1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
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No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
		Hemlock	2 75

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Uppers, 3 in. up	$74	1x12 inch shippers	$21
2½ in.	74	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	23
1 to 2 in.	68	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	
4 inch uppers	74	10-in. dressing and better	28
Selects, 2½ in up	68	10-in. common	18
1 to 2 in.	60	12-in. dressing and better	35
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	47	Common, 1x12	
1 to 2 in.	35	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	32	1x10	24
No. 2	25	1x8	22
No. 3	21	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	40	1x10	22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	1x8	20
Stained saps	25	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	27
Bracket plank	30	" " 2 inch	30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	Dressing	26
Dressing boards, narrow	23	Common	
1x10 inch shippers	20		

Uppers, 3 in. up	$76	1x12 inch shippers	$23
2½ in.	76	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	24
1 to 2 in.	70	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	18
4 inch uppers	76	10-in. dressing and better	30
Selects, 2½ in up	70	10-in. common	19
1 to 2 in.	60	12-in. dressing and better	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	52	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in.	45	No. 1 barn, 1x12	28
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	42	1x10	25
No. 2	30	1x8	23
No. 3	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	30	1x8	21
Stained saps	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	30
Bracket plank	35	" " 2 inch	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	40	Dressing	32
Dressing boards, narrow	23	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers	21		

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Pine	$3 50	Spruce	$3 50

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2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Moldings 1 to 2 in.	40 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Mouldings Strips, 1 to 2 in.	30 00
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1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	24 00
2 in.	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	22 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
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No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00
		Com. & good culls	12 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

From the standpoint of volume of business, the first week of May has not more than held its own. Enquiries for lumber have not been lacking, but the shortage in the supply of dry stock makes it almost impossible to fill large orders. The mill men are as firm as ever, and if one can judge by their attitude when approached by a buyer, prices are not likely to be marked down in the near future. It may be said that conditions favor the maintenance of present prices. American buyers are still in the market for pine lumber. A Georgian Bay manufacturer is reported as saying that within one month he has sold $350,000 worth of lumber for shipment to the United States. Notwithstanding the benefit of late rains, a considerable quantity of logs are yet in danger of being hung up. Even if a full stock of logs is secured, the quantity of lumber that can be offered by manufacturers will, on account of the heavy sales already made, be comparatively small, while if there should be an appreciable shortage in the log supply, conditions favoring still higher prices would be encountered. While these remarks apply to pine, they are equally applicable to hardwoods, the difference being that the shortage in the production of hardwood logs is a certainty, very light stocks having been taken out last winter. Holders of hardwood lumber are demanding full prices and find little difficulty in effecting a sale whenever the lumber is wanted. A strong market for hardwood lumber this season is confidently looked for.

The retail demand in Toronto has been quiet on account of labor troubles. A great deal of building has been held back awaiting a settlement with the different trades, and as soon as this is assured there is likely to be more than usual activity for two or three months.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The first cargoes of lumber for the season left the St. Lawrence within the past week. The charters effected would indicate that the season will not be particularly active, but it is likely that the total shipments will not be materially less than last year. No doubt more lumber will be marketed in the United States, and this increase is likely to be made at the expense of British trade. Millmen in Quebec report numerous enquiries from the Eastern States for clapboards and other spruce lumber for immediate shipment, but it frequently happens that dry stock is not

available to fill the orders. The price of clapboards is exceptionally firm. This also applies to cedar shingles, for which $3.40 is obtained for extras, Boston delivery.

Vessels are being chartered to carry deals from St. John to the United Kingdom at 35 shillings. Shippers have apparently taken advantage of this low rate, as within the past fortnight a number of fixtures have been made. These are mostly for June and July loading. Prices of British deals are exhibiting firmness, partly due to the probability of a shortage in the log supply. While recent rains have improved the driving situation, the danger point is not yet passed. The cut of logs on the St. John river last winter was about 140,000,000 feet, but only one-half of this quantity was Canadian logs, the balance being cut in Maine to be manufactured by the American firms with mills at St. John. All the lumber from this stock will be marketed in the United States.

UNITED STATES.

Rains in many sections of the United States have improved the outlook in business circles generally, and particularly in the lumber trade. Most of the mills in the Lake Superior district are in operation, but a full stock of logs for the season's sawing is by no means yet assured and will depend to a large extent upon the weather conditions of the next two weeks. Wholesale stocks of lumber in the Mississippi valley district are the lowest ever known in the history of the trade. The demand for lumber is increasing, but orders are largely filled by second or third hands, as practically no dry stock is held by manufacturers. Prices show no change. Last week 23,000,000 feet of lumber was sold by Alger, Smith & Company, of Marquette, Mich., for shipment eastward. The stock was mainly No. 3 and better, and the price is believed to have been $26 per thousand. It will be seen that the eastern dealer will be obliged to turn over the stock at a very high figure in order to secure a margin of profit. The high prices do not appear to have restricted the consumption to any extent. Opinions differ, however, as to the future of prices. Some Buffalo dealers are predicting a decline later in the season and are consequently deferring purchases except for immediate requirements. At Buffalo and Tonawanda there is a scarcity of 4 and 6 inch No. 1, 2 and 3 barnboards, which are selling from $18 to $26. The demand for those items and 4-inch strips is brisk. In the Saginaw valley mill culls are selling readily at $13 and box lumber at $16.

All the better grades of hardwoods are in good demand, with elm, basswood, and black ash leading. Maple is showing a good deal of life, but the supply is comparatively large and it seems difficult to advance prices to a reasonable basis. Hemlock is showing more strength at the present time than any other lumber. The base price at Buffalo is $14.50. Dealers report a scarcity of stock and in some instances have been compelled for this reason to refuse orders.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The report of the British timber market this week is of a more encouraging character. The demand has improved, and as stocks of Canadian lumber are now comparatively light excepting at London, the tendency of prices is upwards. Quebec pine deals are at a premium and spruce deals are in much higher appreciation than they were two months ago. Importers have apparently realized at last that there will be no large quantity of Canadian pine and spruce for export to Great Britain this year. It is believed that regular sizes of deals will witness a sharp advance in the near future. There has been heavy buying at recent auction sales, which is taken as an indication that buyers do not anticipate a slump in prices. A Liverpool house is reported to have sold a large quantity of New Brunswick sprice deals at £7 10s c.i.f. Liverpool and Manchester, one cargo from St. John N. B., containing 60 per cent. 7 and 8 inch, being placed at that figure. Quebec second and third quality spruce have been sold for London delivery on the basis of £8 17s 6d for 3x9 seconds and £8 7s 6d for thirds. For deals in stock high prices are asked. Regular second quality spruce is particularly scarce. A London report states that £10 landed for 3x9 third quality will be obtained in the near future. At West Hartlepool forward buying is proceeding more briskly than heretofore, and Quebec shippers have been successful in placing several lots.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

White and Norway mixed pine laths are selling in the Chicago market at $3.50 to $3.75.

The schooner Abbie K. Kease cleared from the Miramichi last week for New York with a cargo of laths.

The barque Prince Louis sailed last week from the Hastings mill, Vancouver, B. C., for Candiff, England, with a cargo of lumber.

The steamer Edgar recently arrived at Charlottetown, P.E.I., from Charleston with 1,700,000 feet of southern pine for caisson construction.

The Hines Lumber Company, of Marinette, Wis., recently sold 2,000,000 feet of white pine to the R. Laidlaw Lumber Company, of Buffalo.

Hemlock shingles are quoted in Pittsburg at an advance of 15c a thousand, selling now at $2.65 and $3.05 for 16 and 18 inch respectively.

A drive of 4,000,000 feet of logs, to be cut for Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company, of Saginaw, was last week reported to be hung up in Vermillion river.

The International Lumber Company, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., is reported to have closed a contract with the Government of Japan to supply 600,000 tea chests.

Dimension spruce is in short supply at Portland, Me., at $19. Three years ago there was an excess of supply at $12. Clapboards bring $35, $40, $45 and $50, according to grade.

The advance that has taken place in the price of pine lumber is illustrated by the position of mill culls. Five years ago this grade was selling at $5, whereas the current quotation is $13.

At Philadelphia dry inch uppers are bringing $75 to $79, and 1 1/2 and 2-inch $80. For 12-inch No. 1 common $34 to $36 is asked, while No. 2 common brings $28 to $30, and No. 3 $25.50 to $27.

The barge Komstock, from Georgian Bay to the Saginaw river with a cargo of lumber for Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company, lost her entire deck load of about 250,000 feet, owing to rough weather, and the schooner Ketcham, in tow of the steamer Maine, from Georgian Bay with lumber for Bradley, Miller & Company, of Bay City, lost 125,000 feet of her deck load.

VENEER DOORS FOR SALE.

Messrs. Gilmour & Company, of Trenton, Ont., announce in this issue that they have for sale a considerable quantity of red oak, birch, brown ash and maple veneer doors. These doors are held in stock and it is their desire to clear them out preparatory to the installation of a new plant. Immediate shipment can be made.

NEW BRUNSWICK LOG DRIVES.

Recent rains in New Brunswick have improved the outlook for log driving. The Restigouche drives, as a rule, are safe. In Gloucester the main Nepisiquit drive is hanging and the work is very expensive. One drive of a million feet has already cost $5 per thousand. The Tracadie drive of Snowball & Company is only started and there is no certainty of getting it out. The large drive for Gibson & Company on the Bartholomew river is believed to be in safe waters. Mr. Gibson's cut on the Nashwaak and Bartholomew rivers last winter was about 37,000,000 feet.

On May 1st the water in the St. John river rose several inches. As there is yet some snow in the woods, according to latest reports, a further rise may be anticipated, in which case all the drives may come out safely.

R. A. Estey's Rockway drive of 2,000,000 feet, William Lynch's drive of 1,000,000 feet on Green river, and Randolph & Baker's drive of 2,000,000 feet on Grand river, are into the main stream. James Burgess & Son, 2,000,000 feet, J. A. Patterson, 5,000,000 feet on Salmon river, and the Tobique Manufacturing Company, 5,500,000 feet, expect to be in corporation limits this week. Robert Aiken is bringing about 4,500,000 feet out of Rocky Brook, a branch of the Machias river, and at time of writing his logs are in safe water. Darius Nixon is bringing 3,000,000 feet out of the Restigouche river for the William Richards Company and is making fair progress. Jacob Hazleton has 2,000,000 feet in safe waters.

The cut on the St. John river last winter is estimated at 138,750,000 feet. Of this 71,750,000 are American logs and 67,000,000 feet Canadian logs, for the following parties:

A. Cushing & Company, St. John, 20,000,000 ft. American logs, 7,000,000 ft. Canadian; total, 27,000,000.

Stetson, Cutler & Co., St. John, 17,000,000 American.

W. H. Murray, 23,250,000 American, 12,000,000 Canadian; total, 35,250,000. Mr. Murray has sold 3,250,000 feet of his cut on Fish River to Cushing & Burleigh.

Miller Bros., 3,000,000 American, 3,000,000 Canadian; total, 6,000,000.

R. A. Estey, 6,000,000 Canadian.

Randolph & Baker, 11,500,000 Canadian.

Douald Fraser & Sons, 9,000,000 Canadian.

John Morrison, for J. G. Murchie, 3,500,000 American.

F. H. Hale, 12,000,000 Canadian, of which 6,500,000 have been sold to W. H. Moore and the remaining 5,500,000 are to be sawn by the Tobique Manufacturing Company at Plaster Rock.

Hilyard Bros., 4,000,000 Canadian.

Purvis, 3,000,000 American, 2,500,000 Canadian; total, 5,500,000.

Dunn Bros., 2,000,000 American.

The logs of the cut of the season of 1901, held in the ice over winter, and now in the river, total 25,600,000 feet, as follows:

Murray	10,000,000 feet
Stetson	1,800,000 "
Miller Bros.	1,800,000 "
Dunn Bros.	2,500,000 "
Murchie	3,000,000 "
Cushing	3,500,000 "
Other operators	3,000,000 "
Total	25,600,000

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue:

From Montreal: April 30th, str. Roman, for Liverpool, 11,691 piece deals and ends by Watson & Todd; April 19th, str. Mignonette for St. Pierre, 100,000 feet lumber, by Lemoine, Martineau & Fils.

From Chatham, N.B.: April 28th, str. Falco, for Dublin, 1,788,535 ft. deals, etc., by F. E. Neale; May 1, str. Ramleh, for Barrow, 2,134,298 ft. deals, etc., by F. E. Neale.

From Vancouver, B. C.: Str. Queen Mary, for Taku, China, 106,894 ft. dressed fir, 14,717 ft. rough fir, value $1,275, by British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Co.; tug Dauntless, for United States, 319,000 ft. cedar logs, value $1,433, by F. McCrae; 250,000 ft. cedar logs, value $1,125, by Malloy & Larkins.

From Halifax, N.S.: April 22, str. Brairdene, for Manchester, Eng., 1,838,184 ft. deals, value $20,020. April 23, str. Chiclade, for Avonmouth, 1,988,703 ft. deals, value $23,384. April 25, str. Urenia, for Browhead, Eng., 2,065,711 ft. deals, value $166,855; April 28, str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 1,272,509 ft. lumber, etc., value $15,415. Str. Ionian, for Liverpool, 173,458 ft. deals, value $1,700. April 30, str. Magda, for Preston, Eng., 1,885,115 ft. deals, value $21,363. Str. Damara, for Liverpool, 398,691 ft. deals, value $3,882.

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May 2, str. Helene, for Swansea, 983,048 ft. deals, value $12595.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Ionian, for Liverpool, 704,069 ft. deals, 16,342 ft. scantling, 25 063 ft. ends, 32,583 ft. birch deals, by George McKean; 443,497 ft. deals, 376,607 ft. scantling, 13,153 ft. ends, 12,053 ft. boards, 67,627 ft. birch plank, by W. M. Mackay; 2,512 ft. birch squares, by William Thomson & Co. Str. Axminster, for Bristol Channel, 1,503,758 ft. deals and battens, 59,152 laths, 24,104 ft. scantling, 28,747 ft. ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Carlisle City, for London, 560 bales pulp, by St. John Pulp Co.; 1,626 bales pulp, by Cushing Pulp Company; 189,495 ft. birch plank, 5,751 ft. ends, by William Thompson & Co. Str. Manchester Trader, for Manchester, 1,245 pcs. elm timber, by Keenan Bros., Owen Sound; 800 bales pulp, by Cushing Sulphite Pulp Co.; 100,211 ft. deals, 1,300 ft. scantling, 15,454 ft. ends, by George McKean; 22,916 ft. deals, 12,192 ft. scantling, 4,038 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay; 926 bundles maple lumber, 37,582 pcs. birch poles, 407 bundles squares, by William Thomson & Co. Schr. Piqua, for Sharpness, Eng., 994,000 ft. deals, 60,799 ft. scantling, 34,782 ft. ends, 2,108 ft. boards, 3,608 ft. birch planks, by W. M. Mackay. Schr. Satellite, for Lubec, 700,000 ft. plank, by Charles Miller; 10,004 ft. deals, by A. Cushing & Co.

B. C. SPRUCE AND CEDAR WANTED.

A British firm writes to the CANADA LUMBERMAN as follows: "We shall feel much obliged if you could put us in communication with a reliable firm or firms who are in a position to furnish us with information, with a view to doing business, with regard to what is known as Pacific Coast spruce or Washington spruce, suitable for yacht spars. These spars are being brought over by rail to some place in New York State, manufactured into spars and sent to this country. Our yacht and boat builders would like to receive the spars in the rough round and manufacture them themselves. The spars would require to be free from knots and blemishes. We should also feel obliged if you could inform us as to who the best party would be to communicate with in regard to British Columbia cedar, either in the log or planks."

Persons interested may obtain the name and address of the firm by communicating ing with the publishers of this journal.

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We will be represented in South Western Ontario by Mr. Frederick Shaw, of Forest, Ont., who comes with us as travelling salesman on May 1st, and who will call on the trade regularly. We are running our mills day and night and offer to the trade a well manufactured stock of band sawed lumber put up in grades under Michigan inspection rules. We solicit your inquiries, and all correspondence given prompt attention.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the Canada Lumberman.)

No changes can be located in the market lists for lumber in the Ottawa district, for the reason that very little is selling. American buyers who made the trip from Ottawa to Parry Sound last week had all the one report to give at Ottawa on their return. The burden of their wail was "not a stick to be had". They are now scouting the territory east of Ottawa. There will be "something doing" inside a few weeks, however, when business is transacted in which the new cut at the mills is involved.

Recent rains have improved matters, but the fact remains that a considerable percentage of the logs will likely be "hung up" on the creeks. Taken in conjunction with the companion fact that a goodly number of logs intended for this season's cutting at the mills, never got clear of the limits, it can be readily seen that a shortage in supply is not a wild guess. The above conditions will further supply one to the list of reasons why lumber should remain firm and probably advance in price.

Reports indicate that the export business to the United Kingdom is brisker than for the same period in previous years. The railroads are handling considerable stock to points in Western Ohio and Pennsylvania, but a lull has followed the activity noted a few weeks since in the shipments to New York points via Albany barge line. Presumably the extra demand of the early spring building and manufacturing trade has been satisfied.

The shipments to Canadian points are good, but the local trade is poor, as building operations are not being conducted on an extensive scale. On Tuesday the first shipment by barge was made from Ottawa, the objective point being Oswego, N.Y. The lumber was the property of the Standard Oil Company and will be used in the large box factory the concern operates at that town. It is early yet to state what the extent of the water shipments will be, as the land rates on frieghts are unsettled. As the demand is brisk, however, it is safe to predict a busy season for the "blue bottoms" of the Ottawa transportation line. While on this question of lumber movements, reference may be made to the boon gained by the mill owners of the Parry Sound district. The completion of a spur line connecting Parry Sound with Rose Point, on the western division of the Canada Atlantic Railway, will enable the mill men to place their stock in Ontario and American points in good time. Once on the C. A. Ry., they will be enabled to transfer at Scotia Junction to the northern division of the Grand Trunk Ry., and the connection with the Southern Canadian and the American markets will be completed.

When the C. P. Ry. builds the link connecting the Pontiac branch with the transcontinental line, the lumber operators of Ottawa and the Valley will be enabled to reach out for new markets.

Very little British Columbia fir or Southern pine is being received in Ottawa at present, as the nature of the building operations does not call for these woods.

Charles Desmaris, contractor, of Hull, has shipped 1500 poles for a new electric line in Cape Breton. They are 30 and 35 feet in length. The price obtained was considerably in advance of last year's. Mr. Desmaris took out about 4,000 poles in the Gatineau district during the past winter.

Talk in local lumber circles centres on the early movement of square timber. Mr. Robert Hurdman's first raft has been placed together, and forwarded from Deep River above Pembroke. It should reach Quebec inside of six weeks, breaking all records for early arrival at that port. The Munro Company, of Pembroke, have a large raft following close on the Hurdman raft.

Dobell, Beckett & Company have secured the Hurdman timber, which will, by reason of its early arrival at Quebec, be placed on the English market at an early date.

Brennan & Company are forwarding considerable square timber over the Parry Sound division of the C.A.Ry., from their limits at Rainy Lake, near Algonquin Park. This timber will be unloaded from the cars at Clarke's Island, in the St. Lawrence, and from thence floated down to Quebec in rafts. The timber will be exported to England by McArthur Bros., of Quebec.

McLachlin Bros'. large mill at Arnprior has been equipped with new and modern machinery, which will facilitate operations. By the addition of new boilers, the steam power has been increased 500 h.p. New band and circular saws have been added to the equipment. This concern has now two water power and two steam mills, and an increased cut will be obtained this season by operating night and day. The saws will likely take their first logs early next week. This firm escaped the smallpox on its limits last winter, and hence its operations were not interferred with. The logs have been released from the limits and streams, and a steady supply is assured for the summer months. The firm will cut again this season for the American, English and South American markets. Large quantities of

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It is understood that the logs cut on Fraser & Company's Coulonge River limits last winter will be cut at the Rockland mill of the W. C. Edwards Company. The manufactured stock will aggregate about 14,000,000 feet.

The acquirement of the Pontiac line by the C.P.Ry. has again brought to the front the question of the erection of the proposed mill at Deschenes near Ottawa. The difficulty that stood in the way earlier in the season was the question of rates between the Pontiac and other companies. Now the C. P. Ry. furnishes a through line and it is probable the mill will be built this fall.

The local contests in the approaching Provincial election are exciting great interest in the lumber trade. Mr. Alex. Lumsden, proprietor of the Temiscaminque mills, and Ex-Mayor Samuel Bingham, who contracts for the log drives on the Gatineau, are Liberal standard bearers. Mr. Dennis Murphy, president of the Ottawa River Transportation Company, is in the field in the Conservative interests.

E. Roberge, lumber jobber, Scotstown, Que., is reported to have assigned, with small liabilities.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The R. Laidlaw Lumber Company, of Toronto, have recently removed their central office from 700 King street west to room 67, Canada Permanent Building, 18 Toronto street.

Thomas Whaley & Son, wholesale lumber dealers, of Guelph, Ont., have removed to Toronto and opened an office at 37 Yonge Street Arcade. The firm deal chiefly in hemlock and pine.

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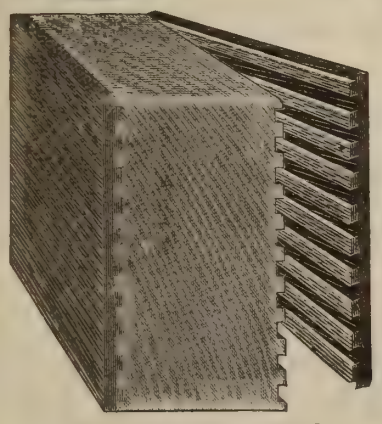

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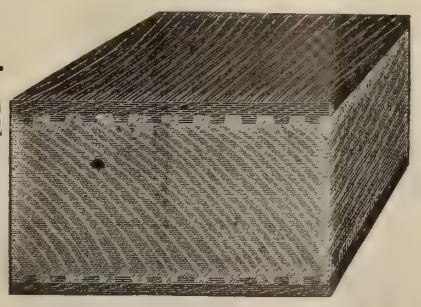

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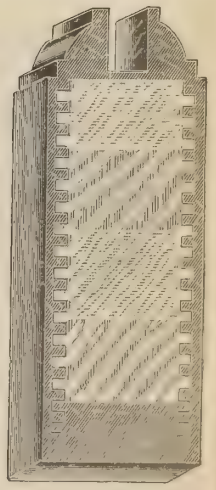

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The quantity of the pine cut of this season that has already passed out of first hands has placed the manufacturer in an exceptionally favorable position. Even if there should be a slump in prices, it is not likely that he would be affected this year. Estimates of the proportion of the cut disposed of vary between 50 and 75 per cent. At the present time arguments are advanced by some that prices are too high, and by others that the cost of logging and manufacturing warrants a further advance. Granting that prices are abnormal, the responsibility therefor may be attributed to the buyer rather than the seller. The purchasing has not been conducted with as much caution as usual. It has seemed to be the aim of the American buyers in particular to secure the stock at any cost. Manufacturers still report numerous inquiries from dealers in Michigan and the Eastern States. The settlement of the carpenters' strike in Toronto should stimulate the retail demand for lumber. A dealer states that the resultant improvement is only noticeable and that there is not much buoyancy to the demand and a good deal of bartering over prices. Hemlock is inquired for considerably, and hardwoods are being bought by implement and furniture factories, which have allowed their stocks to run low. The quotations for lath and shingles are unaltered, with the stringency in the supply somewhat broken.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The tone of the spruce market is gradually improving owing to an increased demand for clapboards and other lumber for shipment to the Eastern States and deals for the British market. Prices are decidedly stronger and manufacturers are exhibiting a firm attitude. It is regarded as only a matter of a few weeks before considerably higher prices will rule, as the supply is not likely to be sufficient to meet the demand. Reports of the log drives are favorable from the Miramichi, but somewhat gloomy from the Restigouche, where the water has fallen rapidly.

New Brunswick cedar shingles are very strong. The large manufacturers are accepting no orders at less than $3.50 for extras and $3.10 for clears, Boston delivery. We have been shown an order for a considerable quantity of shingles at

$3.65 for extras and $3.10 for clears, less 5 per cent. commission. This order was refused by the mill owner, who did not wish to accept more contracts than were already on his books. Simultaneously with this information, comes the report from Boston that prices have advanced. It would seem, therefore, that ruling quotations are about as given above, and that sales made at lower prices are by small mill owners whose production may not be of the best quality or who are not in touch with the market. From present indications a further advance in the price of cedar shingles is likely to take place.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Building operations are very active in Winnipeg and lumber is going into consumption at a rapid rate. In addition to the many important buildings under way in that city, there is a large volume of building in country districts. The crop outlook is favorable and everything points to a year of prosperity throughout Manitoba and the Territories. Wholesale prices of lumber have been advanced, as will be seen by the list published in another column. The lumber and shingle industry of British Columbia is also in a prosperous condition. The mills are operating steadily as far as it is possible to obtain logs. Some of the mill owners are putting in their own camps so as to insure a supply. A proposition is under way to form an intermediate company to act as sales agent for the logging contractors. It is thought that such an arrangement will benefit both the logger and the mill man.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market of the United States has been somewhat featureless during the past week, the only important event being the issuance of a new price list on white pine by the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association. This list, while intended largely to unify prices, shows several important changes as compared with the list issued in Febrnary last. Common lumber and piece stuff remain unchanged, timbers are advanced 50 cents, while a substantial advance was made in the price of good lumber, ranging from $2 to $5. There is practically no A grade finishing lumber or flooring in the Minneapolis market. Shop lumber was advanced $2, and dimension in 4x4 up to 8x8 50 cents. No. 4 fencing, 6-inch, in 12 to 20-foot lengths, was reduced 50 cents, and lath 25 cents. Current prices for lath are $4 for No. 1 white pine, $3.50 for mixed, and $3 for No. 2. It is believed that the new price list can be maintained without difficulty, as there is no dry lumber in the market and some of the mills are closed down on account of a scarcity of logs. The east is not buying lumber quite as liberally as earlier in the spring, probably on account of labor troubles in the building trade. Buffalo dealers are anxious that mill prices should decline, so as to remove the necessity of further advancing wholesale prices, which, it is believed, would restrict the consumption. In the Buffalo market mill culls are selling at $14 and box lumber at $15.50 to $19.

Hemlock is decidely strong. The base price of Michigan hemlock has been advanced to $14.50, while at Buffalo and Tonawanda it is $14.50 and at Boston $15.50, being an advance of 50 cents. A further expansion in the hardwood business is reported, with wholesale stocks badly broken and very little in the hands of mill men. If any change can be recorded in shingles and lath, it is in the direction of weakness. The assortment of shingles at Buffalo and Tonawanda is larger than it has been for several months. Since navigation red cedar shingles have declined about ten cents. Clear butt pine shingles are the scarcest in the market and are quoted at $2.85. White pine lath are selling in the Tonawanda market at a range from $3.75 to $4.50.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The outlook for peace in South Africa is now so bright that a marked improvement in general business is looked for. In the timber trade, however, there has not been as much activity as was expected, although the volume of business has been fairly satisfactory and of a sound character. The import during April was considerably less than in the corresponding month of last year; consequently an opportunity has been afforded importers to reduce stocks. That this has been accomplished is shown by the figures for Liverpool. Compared with one year ago the stock at that port of square and waney pine, red pine, birch, and New Brunswick spruce and pine deals is less than one-half, while Quebec pine deals are held in about the same quantity as one year ago. The stock of elm and ash is considerably larger. The stock, however, is largely of an inferior quality. Timber and deals of first-class quality meet with a ready sale. Birch timber is slightly higher, quotations being 18 to 19½d per cubic foot for 15 to 16 inch average. Elm is quoted at 3s to 3s 4d for 45 to 50 feet average. Red pine brings from 1s 7d to 1s 10d.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Philae is loading timber at Indian Cove, Quebec, for England.

The Charlton Saw Mill Co., of Collingwood, Ont., expect to cut 25,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

The tender of D. E. Sprague has been accepted for the supply of lumber for the city of Winnipeg.

By the breaking of a boom at Atkin's mill, St. Raymond, Que., 60,000 logs were allowed to float down stream.

The United Lumber Company expect to cut 12,000,000 feet of lumber this season at their mills at Sherbrooke and Jordan River, N.S.

Hilyard Bros. will supply 2,000 yards of paving blocks for the city of St. John, N. B., and Murray & Gregory 3,000 yards, at 50 cents per yard.

At Ashland, Wis., 4-inch pine is held at $15.50, 5-inch at $16.50, 6-inch at $18, 8-inch at $17, 10-inch at $18 and 12-inch at $19. Lath are held at $3.50 for No. 1 white pine, $2.75 for No. 2, $3 for No. 1 Norway and $2 for No. 2.

H. L. McCall, of Simcoe, Ont., had a quantity of square timber, pine, rock elm and cherry in a slip at Bay City last week, when a steamer struck the boom, breaking it and allowing the logs to get away. The loss to Mr. McCall is considerable.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa is asking for tenders up to May 28th for a license to cut timber on berth No. 296, situate in the Province of British Columbia, comprising two blocks of 640 acres and 860 acres.

Statistics have been compiled showing the winter shipments of the port of St. John for the past season. The lumber shipped from the port was valued at $101-661, compared with $127,668 in the previous season, and $98,662 in the winter of 1899.

Toner & Gregory, of Collingwood, are cutting a quantity of Norway pine for Playfair & White, of Midland. On the arrival of a raft of hemlock logs they will turn their attention to cutting a large bill for the Cramp Steel Co. The contract for supplying timber for the proposed building of this company has been secured by Toner & Gregory and A. McKean.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Co., under date of April 26, refer to the Barbadoes market as follows: "The fortnight has been bare of any transactions in either white pine or spruce. Stocks, however, are ample, particularly of white pine, and the season for spruce is virtually over. A small lot of long cedar shingles arrived by the steamer Ororo and were placed at $3.30. The demand is limited. Dimension shingles by same steamer brought $8 for 7 and 8-inch, $6.50 for 6-inch, $5.50 for 5-inch and $4.50 for 4-inch."

The Sutherland-Innes Company, of Chatham, Ont., state that the tone of the hoop market has somewhat moderated from the extremely high prices that manufacturers have been asking. The price of staves has not advanced any higher than warranted during the past few weeks, the cost of timber not admitting of their being sold at lower figures. First quality basswood heading is in good demand and becoming scarcer all the time.

LUMBERING IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

[COMMUNICATED.]

From the items touching on the lumber business in British Columbia that have already appeared in your paper, it will have been noticed that this business, and that of shingles, are in a much more prosperous condition than they have ever been. The estimated output of shingles, when the new shingle mills that are now building, together with the present mills, are in full operation, will be 800,000,000 shingles per annum. Of this amount it is expected that 300,000,000 will be sold in the Canadian market and 500,000,000 in the United States market.

The estimated cut of logs for 1902 is 260,000,000 feet, roughly speaking. Two-thirds of this quantity will be fir, with a small percentage of spruce. One-third will be cedar. Of the amount of fir cut one-quarter will run from 35 to 100 feet in length. The prevailing prices for logs are as follows:

No. 1 long deck plank	$9.00	per M.
Fir merchantable	7.00	"
Fir flooring	8.00	"
No. 2 merchantable	6.00	"

50 cents per M. is added for each additional 10 feet from 40 feet in length and upwards. No. 1 cedar is held at $7.50 per M. and merchantable at $6.50. All the above prices are delivered at the mills. The local market is entirely bare of logs, as up to the end of last year it was possible to export, especially cedar logs, to Puget Sound, while the past winter has been a very wet and unfavorable one for working in the woods.

The mills holding leases are increasing the number of camps operating on their own account.

A help to the placing of the lumber business on a better footing in British Columbia is the passing of an Act by the present local Legislature, entitled, "A Bill for the Measurement of Timber". This Bill provides for the payment of the Supervisor and Official Scalers for the performance of this important duty.

All the mills in British Columbia have more orders on hand than they can fill. In some cases their agents in Manitoba and the North-West Territories have been withdrawn. The large crops of last year and the influx of settlers that is now taking place is causing an abnormal demand for lumber.

R.E.G.

QUEBEC TIMBER LIMIT SALE.

An auction sale of timber limits in Quebec will be held in the Department of Mines, Lands and Fisheries, Quebec City, on Tuesday, June 3rd, commencing at 11 o'clock a. m. About 3,500 square miles of limits will be offered at upset prices fixed by the Department. The limits are situated in the Upper and Lower Ottawa, St. Maurice, St. Charles, Lake St. John Centre, Lake St. John West, Saguenay, Metapedia Valley, Rimouski East and West, Bonaventure West, Gaspe West, and Gaspe Centre district.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Allison, Cousland & Company furnish the following particulars of the Glasgow market:

WHITE PINE—WANEY— The stock is now reduced to some small parcels of inferior and 2nd class wood, which however is not easily disposed of at the prices asked by sellers.

SQUARE—Business has been rather quiet, but prices remain steady at former quotations.

RED PINE—There has been some enquiry for 1st class wood of large average.

ELM— Prime wood is in moderate request, prices are little altered, 45 to 50 feet average being quoted at 3s to 3s 4d per c. ft.

OAK— Stocks are small. There is a steady demand.

ASH—Stocks have been largely reduced, but prices except for large prime wood keep low.

BIRCH—Is in moderate request, prices are somewhat firmer. Quotations: 18d to 19½d for 15½ to 16½ inch average.

PINE—The stock of white pine deals is now very light and some very high prices have been paid for small shipments arriving per liners. It is difficult to quote prices, as in many cases the stock is practically nil, and while some buyers will pay high figures through necessity, others can for the present hold off, and expect to purchase cheaper. Broad 1st pine are quoted at £28 17s 6d to £33. Undersized £21 6s 3d to £22 13s 9d per standard. Seconds.—Regulars and broad are quoted at £19 18s 9d to £22 13 9d. Undersized £15 2s 6d to £16 10s per standard. Thirds.—There has been a steady demand and very little stock is now in first hands. Quotations—£12 to £13 1s 3d for regulars. Undersized, £10 6s 3d to £11 per standard. Fourths.—The stock is practically exhausted, but the enquiry has been limited. Quotations.—Regulars, £9 19s 4d to £10 6s 3d per standard. Reds—Business is very slow and stocks still appear to be too heavy. 9 and 11 inch are quoted at £10 6s 3d to £12 7s 6d. Undersized, £6 17s 6d to £8 11s 10d per standard.

QUEBEC SPRUCE. — Continues healthy and prices are well maintained at £6 17s 6d to £9 5s 7d per standard.

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NEW PRICE LIST FOR WINNIPEG.

A new wholesale price list for white pine lumber for the city of Winnipeg and vicinity was put into effect last week. The prices show an advance of fifty cents per thousand feet on nearly all grades. The terms applicable to these prices are 60 days or 2 per cent. off for cash in 20 days from date of invoice. These prices are on a delivered basis. The new list is given below:

TIMBER AND DIMENSION—Timber, 4x10 and 12, 6x10 and 12, 8x8 to 12x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $19; timber, 6x6 to 6x8, 4x4 to 4x8 and 3x6 to 3x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $17.50; dimension, 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $17; 2x10, 2x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $17.50; 2x4, 10 feet long, $18; 2x8 to 2x12, 10 feet long, $16.50; 2x6, 10 feet long, $15.50; 2x4 to 2x12, 6 and 8 feet, $14; cull planks, all widths, $11; cull planks, re-sawn, $11. $1 per M advance on each inch over 12 inches in depth and width. $1 per M advance on each two feet over 16 feet.

BOARDS — First common boards, red pine, 10 to 18 feet, $23; second do., 10 to 18, $17.50; third do., 10 to 18, $16.50; fourth do., 10 to 18, $14 50; fifth do., 10 to 18, $10.50; ¼ in. sheathing, S.I.S., 10 to 18, $14.50; second common stock, 12 in., 10 to 18, $19; do., 8 to 10 in., 10 to 18, $18; No. 1 wide box boards, 10 to 18, $27.50; No. 2 wide box boards, 10 to 18, $20. $2 per M less for 6 and 8 feet. Resawing boards, $1 per M extra.

SHIPLAP—Shiplap, 8 to 10 in., $18.50; 6 in., $17.50; culls, 8 to 10 in., $16; do., 6 in., $13. $2 per M less for 8 feet and under.

FLOORING, SIDING AND CEILING—Flooring and siding, 8 and 10 in., $19.50; do., 8 and 10 in. culls, $16; flooring, siding and ceiling, 4, 5 and 6 in., first white pine, $36.50; do., second white pine, $33.50; do., third white pine, $26.50; do., 5 and 6 in. first and second red pine, $29; do., 4 in. first and second red pine, $26.50; do., 5 and 6 in. third red pine, $24; do., 4 in. third red pine, $22; do., 5 and 6 in. fourth red and white pine, $20; do., 4 in. fourth red and white pine, $18; do., 4, 5 and 6 in. culls, $16; first and second red pine ceiling, ½x4 in., $20.50; do., ⅜x4, $17.50; third red pine ceiling, ½x4, $16.50; do., ⅜x4, $13.50; $2 per M less for 8 feet and under. $1 per M advance for dressing two sides. 1¼ and 1½ in. flooring $1 per M advance over 1 inch. Bevel siding, No. 1, ½x6 in., $22; No. 2, ½x6, $19.

FINISHING—1¼, 1½ and 2 in. first, second and third clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $47; do., 12 in. and wider, $49; do., select white pine, under 12 in. wide, $37; do., 12 in. and wider, $39; do., shop, under 12 in. wide, $32; do., shop, 12 in. and wider, $34. $5 per M advance on 2½ in. and thicker. 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. clear red pine, under 12 in. wide, $33; do., 12 in. and wider, $35; do., select red pine, under 12 in. wide, $28.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $30.50; 1 in. first and second clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $49.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $51.50; 1 in. third clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $38.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $40.50; 1 in. B select white pine, under 12 in. wide, $32; do., B, 12 in. and wider, $34; 1 in. C select white pine, under 12 in. wide, $27; do., 12 in. and wider, $29; 1 in. clear red pine, under 12 in. wide, $33; do., 12 in. and wider, $35; 1 in. select red pine, under 12 in. wide, $28; do., 12 in. and wider, $30.

MOULDINGS—Parting strips, per 100 lineal feet, 40c.; window stops, 50c.; door stops, 75c., quarter round and cove, 50c.; 4 in. casing, $1.75; 5 in. casing, $2.25; 6 in. casing, $2.65; 8 in. base, $3.50; 10 in. base, $4.40. All other mouldings, 50 per cent. discount off universal moulding list.

LATH—Per M, $3.75.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber prices at Boston are firm at the advance, which amounts to fully $1 per M over the prices of a month or two ago. Still, the trade is scarcely fair, the stronger prices having helped to discourage building. Indeed, the present demand is rather limited, owing, doubtless, to strikes and labor troubles.

Spruce quotations are nominally firm: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20 to $22; 9-inch and under, $19 to $20; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $18 50; 5-inch and up merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $19 to $20; out spruce boards, $13.50 to $14; bundle furring, $17 to $18.

Hemlock lumber is very firm, with the supply small: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 to $15.50 for good eastern; Vermont $14 to $14.50; random, eastern, $14 to $14.50; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17.50; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

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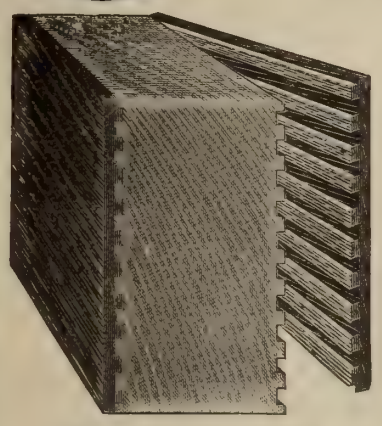

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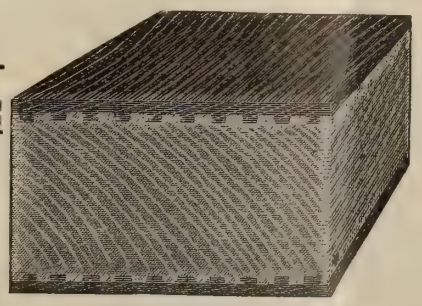

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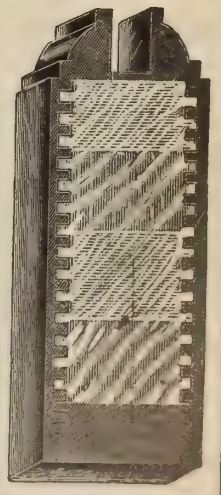

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From St. John, N. B. : Str. Ranmoor, for London, 145,132 ft. deals, 21,324 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay ; 1,112 bundles pulp, by William Thomson & Co. Schr. Maggie Miller, for Cohassett, 8,028 ft. boards, 4,074 ft. scantling, 22,114 ft. plank, 3,000 spruce pickets, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Ina, for Salem, 60,982 ft. boards, 85,952 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Hattie Muriel, for Boston, 41,959 ft. plank, 49,386 ft. boards, 33,116 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Valetta, for Bristol, R. I., 31,483 ft. plank, 26,968 ft. scantling, 75,722 ft. boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.; 175,000 cedar shingles, by Charles Miller.

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1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1 inch clear and picks	28 00	30 00
1 x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 00
2x10 common		17 00
2x12 common		17 50
3x10 common		17 00
3x12 common		17 50
1x10 and 12 common	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding mill run	16 50	17 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	16 50	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 00
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1 inch siding mill culls	13 50	14 00
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1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		19 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 00
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		12 50

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Birch, M. R. 1 in.		18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	1	22 00	24 00
1½ to 2	2	20 00	22 00
" m. r.	1 " 1¼	17 00	18 00
Butternut	1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
"	2 " 3	25 00	28 00
Chestnut	1 " 2	24 00	26 00
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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	3 23 00	25 00
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Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 "	4 20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1½ 31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4 34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1½ 32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4 35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	2 60 00	65 00
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Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	2 24 00	28 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	38 00	42 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	40 00	45 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	29 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	34 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b. m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better sto k	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00	
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00	
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles: XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

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	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
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Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	1
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in		68 00	1¼, 1½ and in		65 00
2½ and 3 in.		70 00	2½ and 3 in		65 00
4 in		75 00	4 in		70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide		52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide		60 00
1¼ and 1½ in		54 00	4 in		65 00
2in		54 00			

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide		36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide		51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.		48 00	4 in		55 00
2in		5000			

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		43 00
1¼x6 in. wide		47 00	6 in. wide		47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide		43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide		43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide		47 00	in., 6 in. wide		47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in		29 00	No. 2, 9 in		21 00
10 in		23 00	8 and 7 in		21 00
9 in		21 00	No. 3, 12 in		19 50
8 and 7 in		22 00	10 in		18 50
No. 2, 12 in		25 00	9 in		18 50
10 in		21 00	8 in		18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide		$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide		$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide		17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide		19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up		17 00			

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide		30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide		30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide		30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide		30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX		4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in		3 50
Clear Butts		3 00	Clear Butts		2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine		3 75	No. 2. White Pine		3 25
			Hemlock		2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up		$74	$76	1x12 inch shippers	$21	$23
2½ in.		74	76	4/4 inch 13" & up	23	24
1 to 2 in.		68	70	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers		74	76	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up		68	70	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in		60	61	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up		47	52	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in		35	45	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	28
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch		32	42	1x10	24	25
No. 2		25	30	1x8	22	23
No. 3		21	26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in		40	45	1x10	22	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in		28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps		25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	27	30
Bracket plank		30	35	" " 2 inch	30	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up		35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow			23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers		20	21			

LATH.

Pine		$	$3 50	Spruce	$	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

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WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Up rs, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		70 00	1¼x10 and 12		35
2½ and 3 in		75 00	1½ in		34 50
4 in		75 00	2 in		36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in	62 00	63 0	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in		38 50
2½ and 3 in		65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	40 00	42 00
4 in		67 00			
Fine common, 1 in.		5 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in	30 00	32 00
1¼ and 2½ in		55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in		28 00
2 in		56 00	6, 8 and 10 in		24 00
3 in		65 00	No. 2, 10 in		22 00
4 in		65 00	No. 2, 12 in		24 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		40 00	No. 3, 10 in		19 00
1¼ and 1½ in		50 00	No. 3, 12 in		21 00
No. 2, 1 in		23 00	Box, 1 x 4		15 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	1 x 6 to 12 in	17 00	17 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		25 00	1 x 13 in and up		18 00
Dressing 1¼ in		34 00	1¼ and 1½ in		18 00
			Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

			1st &2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries.

WOODS AND FORESTS.

Quebec, 19th April, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that, conformably to Sections 1334, 1335 and 1336 of the Consolidated statutes of the province of Quebec, the timber limits hereinafter mentioned, at their estimated area, more or less, and in their present state, will be offered for sale, at public auction, in the Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, in this city, on TUESDAY, the THIRD day of JUNE, 1902, at ELEVEN o'clock A.M.

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	Area Square Miles.
River du Lievre, N. W. Branch 3	50
River du Lievre, N. W. Branch 4	50

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Range 1, North of Lake Saint John, 3	20
Range 2, North of Lake Saint John, 3	18
Range 2, North of Lake Saint John, 4	25
Range 3, North of Lake Saint John, 4	28
River Mistassini, 4	13½
Little River Peribonki	20
River au Saumon, 1	40
River au Saumon, 2	40
River au Saumon, 3	41½

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River a la Chasse et aux Anglais	34
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" Mistassini & Sheldrake, 1	32½
" St. Nicholas West	25½
" St. Nicholas No. 2 East	7½
" St. John 7	12
" St. John 8	12
" St. John East Branch 1	22
" St. John East Branch 2	18
" St. John East Branch 3	30
River au Saumon 1	34
" Manicouagan 3	24
" Manicouagan 4	27
" Manicouagan 6	58
" Manicouagan, Nos. 7 to 28, each	50

Saguenay West 1 A	10
Part of Saguenay 3 West and 4 West	49
Part of Saguenay East A	7
River Magpie 3	82
" " 4	32
" " 5	32
" " 6	32
" " 7	32
" " 8	32
Escoumains 5 East	34
Sault au Mouton 3	36
River Malbaie 8 A	40
" Malbaie 9 A	53
" Malbaie 10	60
" Malbaie 11	57
" Malbaie 12	54
" Malbaie 13	49
" Malbaie 14	26
" Malbaie 15	45
" Malbaie 16	32
Townships Callieres	15
Sault au Cochon 1 East	30
River Portneuf, N.E. Branch	50
" Marguerite 1 West	25
" " 2 West	20
" " 3 West	20
" " 4 West	20
" " 5 West	15
" " 1 East	25
" " 2 East	20
" " 3 East	20
" " 4 East	20
" " 5 East	15
Township, Albert, No. 88	20¾

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Township Matalik 1	18
Township Matalik 2	18½

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Rear Mistigougeche	35
Township Macpes 5	3¾
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RIMOUSKI EAST.

Township Matane 4	2

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River Escuminac North 3	12
River Nouvelle 1	50
River Nouvelle 4	16
Grand Cascapedia 1	14½
Grand Cascapedia 2	21
Grand Cascapedia 3	31
Grand Cascapedia 4	18
Grand Cascapedia 7	18
Turner's Brook	32
Joshua Brook	27
Little Cascapedia 1	15
Little Cascapedia 2	28
Clark's Brook 2	4
Flatland's Brook 2	2
Township Ristigouche	2
River Andre, West Branch 2	3⅜
River Assemetquagan	10
Stuart Brook 1	3½
Stuart Brook 2	10½
River Skimenac West Branch	3½
River Skimenac South Branch	9¼
Township Angers 2	8
Mann Brook East	7
Township Carleton 5	3⅜
Township Carleton 3	4
River Andre, West Branch, Township Ristigouche	4

GASPE WEST.

River Cap-Chat 1	47½
" Cap-Chat 2	45
" Magdalen 2 North	50
" Magdalen 3 "	29
" Magdalen 4 "	58
" Magdalen 5 "	31
" Magdalen 6 "	40
" Magdalen 1 South	50
" Magdalen 2 "	50
" Magdalen 3 "	54
Township Denoue	19
Township Taschereau	48
River a Pierre and Claude	32

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Gaspe Bay North 1	14⅓
Township Fox 4	7
Township Sydenham North	10

NDITIONS OF SALE.

No limit will be adjudged at less than the minimum price fixed by the department.

The limits will be adjudged to the highest bidder on payment of the purchase price, in cash or by cheque accepted by a duly incorporated bank. Failing payment they will be immediately re-offered for sale.

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Plans of limits offered for sale are open for inspection in the Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, in this city, and at the office of the Crown lands and timber agents in the different agencies in which said limits are situated, up to the day of sale.

N.B.—No account for publication of this notice will be recognized, if such publication has not been expressly authorized by the department.

S. N. PARENT,
Minister of Lands,
Mines and Fisheries.

No. 1 pine lath are selling in the Tonawanda market at $4.

Messrs. Churchill & Sim, wood brokers, London, England, announce that in order to give closer attention to American shipments which pass through Liverpool, they have decided to open a branch office at Albert Buildings, 12 Presson's road, Liverpool, which will be under the direction of Mr. Walter J. Sharp.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Recognizing the fact that prices for lumber cannot go much higher without curtailing the demand, some manufacturers are endeavoring to prevent prices from advancing. If prices should advance much above ruling quotations, it is altogether probable that a sharp reaction would occur, and that the market would be unsettled thereby. It would not be a difficult matter for manufacturers, by concerted effort, to advance prices, as buyers recognize the great scarcity of white pine lumber. There are few water mills on the Georgian Bay that have not sold most of their stock. We have seen letters from wholesale dealers almost pleading for stock and admitting the difficulty of securing sufficient for a cargo. The present is distinctly a millman's market. Retail trade in Toronto is not picking up as might be expected. Dealers are filling orders as far as possible from old stock and are not buying heavily of the new cut, as it is claimed that prices are too high to leave a fair margin of profit. It may be, however, that they will be compelled to stock up at present prices and to advance retail quotations accordingly. The supply of lath is more plentiful, with prices slightly easier. There is a famine in shingles in Toronto. It is impossible to secure any dry pine shingles at the mills, and it is claimed that the production this year will be unusually light. British Columbia shingles are also out of the market, and dealers who have placed orders with the mills have been advised that it will be impossible to make shipment earlier than from one month to six weeks, on account of the advance orders.

Hemlock lumber is very strong. The retail price in Toronto is about $14.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Manufacturers are in good spirits owing to the improved outlook for spruce lumber. The shippers have succeeded in placing the bulk of the deals that will be manufactured for the British market. Several spruce cuts which are usually secured by London buyers have this year gone to Liverpool and Manchester. The Joly cut, for instance, has been divided between two London firms and buyers at Manchester. Reports from the New Brunswick drives are not favorable. Water in the St. John river and tributaries has fallen rapidly and several million feet are hung up.

The cedar shingle market is decidedly strong. The lowest quotations are $3.50 for extras and $3 for clears, on Boston rate of freight. Some manufacturers are said to be making sales at $3.60 and predicting that $3.70 will be reached at an early date.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Salesmen report no difficulty in selling lumber throughout Manitoba and the Territories. Retail dealers are stocking up liberally on the belief that the demand will gradually expand as the season advances. Prices of all grades are strong, with finishing lumber leading. The lumber business of British Columbia continues most prosperous, the volume of trade being limited only by the ability of manufacturers to supply the lumber. The saw mill owners of the Boundary district have entered into an agreement to advance the price of lumber to $14 per thousand, delivered. The activity in the shingle industry is almost unprecedented.

UNITED STATES.

In some quarters there has been a slight falling off in the demand for lumber. Retail dealers are not buying as freely as two weeks ago, probably on account of the decreased building operations in New York and the New England States. Conditions are favorable, however, for a satisfactory summer trade and for the maintenance of lumber prices generally. Wholesale buying has absorbed all the dry stock, and manufacturers have been unable to meet the demand. Heavy rains in the Lake Superior district have relieved the logging situation and assured an ample supply of logs for the mills. Albany sends higher quotations for uppers, of which the supply has become almost exhausted. Box lumber and mill culls are among the best sellers of the lower grades, at the highest prices that have been reached for years. It is reported from Buffalo and Tonawanda that the proportion of uppers and high grades that are received is growing less each year, which accounts for the fancy prices which are now being paid for these grades. There is a large amount of hardwoods moving and stocks have become somewhat depleted.

In spite of efforts to advance the price of maple, sales are still being made at a low figure. At a meeting of the Maple Flooring Manufacturers' Association held in Chicago recently, prices of clear and common flooring were advanced two dollars and factory grades one dollar. Spruce lumber is strong. In New York city random lengths, 6 and 8-inch, are quoted at $19 to $19.50, and spruce lath at $3.25 to $3.50.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There is a more cheerful tone to the reports of the British timber market. Buyers are realizing that those who bought early in the season followed the wisest course, as prices are gradually hardening, and those who have not supplied their requirements will be under the necessity of paying higher prices. This applies not only to retail trade, but also to cargo lots. The possibility of securing cheaper lumber later in the year becomes more remote as time goes on. The higher prices appear to be firmly established. Shippers are now asking £9 10s c. i. f. London for 3 x 9 second quality Quebec spruce, and £9 for thirds. It is understood that 1,500 standards of New Brunswick spruce, with 50 per cent. 7 and 8-inch, have been placed at £7 10s c. i. f. London, and that three small cargoes have been sold to the Mersey on the basis of £7 7s 6d. At Glasgow white pine deals of all grades are out of first hands, and the first arrivals will doubtless meet a ready market. Birch, elm, ash, oak, and white pine timber have all improved slightly in about the order named.

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The A. C. Dutton Lumber Company, of Sayabec, Que., are turning out 400,000 shingles daily.

In Chicago No. 1 white pine and Norway mixed lath are bringing $3.50 and No. 2 $2.75 to $3.

E. H. Heaps & Company, of Vancouver, B. C., are reported to have purchased a large timber limit at Wharnock.

Stevens & Milton, of Riverside, N. B., are shipping 1,000,000 feet of deals to Cape Tormentine, to load on steamer for export.

The "Manchester City" sailed from Montreal last week for Manchester with a general cargo, consisting principally of deals and grain.

The Collins Inlet Lumber Company have sold their entire pine cut of this season, receiving an advance over last year's prices for every grade.

W. H. McAuliffe, of Ottawa, has purchased the 1902 spruce cut of the St. Anthony Company at Whitney and McLachclin Bros. at Arnprior.

It is estimated that there are 8,000,000 ft. of new logs in the Douglas boom at Fredericton, N. B., and 12,000,000 feet in the Sugar Island boom. Rafting at the Douglas boom commenced last week.

The steamers Excalona, Westphalia, Jessie H. Farwell, and Ionia are loading timber cargoes at the Louise Basin, Quebec, the Dunmore Head at Indian Cove and the Aquilla at the Sillery Cove.

The tender of S. G. Parkin has been accepted for supply of lumber for the corporation of Lindsay, Ont., at the following prices: Hemlock plank, $10 per thousand; pine, $15; tamarac and cedar, $12.

Mr. Peter Ryan will offer for sale at Orillia, Ont., on June 12th, 23¾ square miles of timber lands in the township of Proudfoot. The limit is estimated to contain 1,500,000 feet of pine, 3,500,000 feet of birch and 250,000 feet of hemlock, besides a large quantity of maple and beech cordwood.

The Sutherland Innes Co., Chatham, Ont., write: "There is very little to say in regard to the condition of the cooperage

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TO THE LUMBER TRADE

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stock market. It is just about in the same condition as it was a month ago. Both the coopers and manufacturers are waiting to see what the future will bring forth in the way of an apple crop. If there is a good apple crop it will affect prices considerably, especially towards the end of the season after the accumulation of the apple barrel staves and No. 2 stock on hand now have been worked off. Most of the mill men in Canada have already contracted their stock for the season. We expect that trade will open up next month, or just as soon as it is settled one way or the other whether the frost has hurt the fruit crop or not."

THE NEW BRUNSWICK DRIVES.

Advices from the Upper St. John and tributaries are not of an encouraging nature. Robert Aiken, of Fredericton, reports that after getting his drive of 8,000,000 feet across the Machais Lake, there was not sufficient water to enable him to proceed any further and he had to abandon the drive. Alfred Grafton, who operates on the Aroostook, has his logs hung up. He was taking out 8,000,000 feet for the Ashland Lumber Company.

The Tobique drives are in the limits of the corporation. F. H. Hale is holding his Gulquac drive in the mouth of that stream and will run it to its mill as soon as the corporation drive is out of the way.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue :

From Vancouver, B. C.: Barque Prince Louis, for England, 940,090 ft. rough fir, value $14,660, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Str. Moana, for Fiji, 18,050 ft. rough fir, 10,222 ft. flooring, value $500, by Spicer Mill Co.; for New South Wales, 16,211 ft. rough fir, value $300, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co.

From Halifax, N. S.: Barque Padosa, for Garston, England, 546,939 ft. deals, etc., value $6,033. Schr. Regina B., for St. Pierre, 54,000 ft. lumber, value $648. Str. Aureola, for Liverpool, 1,971,000 ft. deals, value $19,710. Str. Ulanda, for Liverpool, 294,803 ft. deals, value $2,969. Schr. J. W. Hill, for New York, 95,486 ft. lumber, value $1,050.

From Montreal, Que. : Str. Montcalm for Avonmouth, 290 pcs. lumber by W. & J. Sharples ; 951 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 15,562 pcs. lumber. by Watson & Todd ; 24,669 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Cervons, for England, 5,780 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 1,083 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Co. Str Lake Manitoba, for Liverpool, 16,591 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 19,434 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 8,885 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 14,105 pcs. lumber, by McLaurin Bros.; 2,082 doors, 1,176 bundles lumber, 3,465 maple blocks, by C.P.R. Str. Forest Holme, for London, 21 pcs. oak lumber, 30 pcs. elm lumber, 24,088 pcs. spruce deals, 2,835 pcs. spruce ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; cargo completed at Pierreville.

From St. John, N.B.: Schr. G. H. Perry, for Bridgeport, 103,629 ft. plank, 10,509 ft. scantling, 172,400 laths, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Sirocco, for Bridgeport, 1,050 pcs. piling, by J. E. Moore. Schr. Eastern Light, for Lubec, 25,000 ft. deals, by Charles Miller. Schr. Adelene, for City Island, 251,036 ft. deals, by Dunn Bros. Schr. Lyra, for Providence, 600,000 laths, by A. Cushing & Co. Str. Simonside, for Manchester, England, 2,377,343 ft. deals, 85,573 ft. scantling, 102,267 ft. ends, 236,521 ft. boards, by A. Gibson Railway & Mfg. Co. Schr. Beaver, for Queen City Island, 222,489 ft. planks, 42,579 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Walter Miller, for City Island, 34,010, ft. deals, 149,184 ft. boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. P. C. Thompson, for Washington, 908,000 laths, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Frank L. P., for Salem, 161,983 ft. plank, 19,992 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Georgie, for Neponsett, 100,064 ft. boards, 25,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.; 275,000 shingles, by Charles Miller.

Owing to the death of Hon. R. R. Dobell, the lumber firm of Dobell, Beckett & Company, Quebec, has been reorganized and is now comprised of the following: R. M. Beckett, Ottawa ; W. M. Dobell and Lorenzo Evans, Quebec ; Thomas Stevenson, London, England.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber continues firm, though the demand is not very active. The mills have a moderate supply of logs and generally want orders, though they all seem to expect strong prices. Quotations are fully sustained : Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20 to $22 ; 9-inch and under, $19 to $20; 10 and 12-inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17.50 ; all other randoms, 9 - inch and under, 10 feet and up, $18.50; 5-inch and up merchantable boards, $17 ; matched boards, $19 to $20 ; out spruce boards, $13.50 to $14 ; bundle furring, $17 to $18.

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Hardwood lumber is steady: Quartered oak, $64 to $66; plain oak, $41 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; whitewood, $42 to $43; saps and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Shingles are in limited supply and very firm for immediate delivery. Extra cedar to arrive, May and June, $3.50; clear, $3; second clear, $2.50; extra No. 1, $1.90 to $2.00; British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards are scarce, with no new stock yet at hand. Prices are firm, and at a premium where they must be had: Extra spruce, $38 to $40; clear, $36 to $38; second clear, $33 to $35; extra No 1, $24 to $26.

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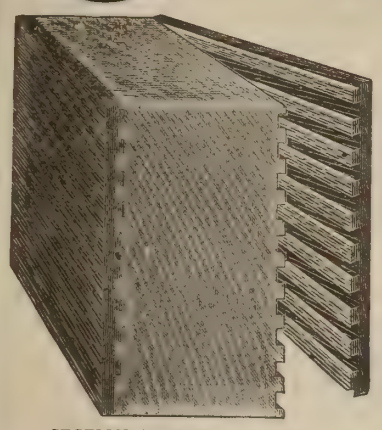

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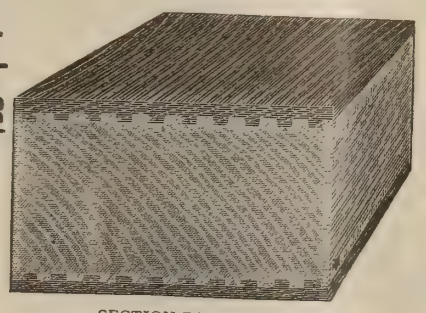

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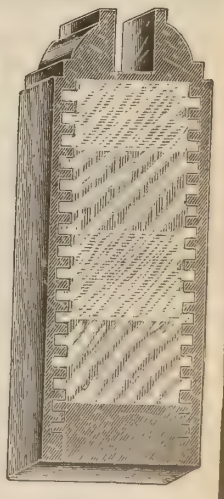

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" 2 " 3	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½ 50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 18 00	19 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	38 00	42 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	40 00	45 00
Pine, good strips : 1 in.	29 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	34 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, good shorts : 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b. m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M : No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles : Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
xxx	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles : xx	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
xxx	2 50	3 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	45	55

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	1
16 " "	22	24
17 " "	26	28
18 " "		32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$63 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$64 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	61 00
2½ and 3 in.	7 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	54 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
		Hemlock	2 75

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$76	$78	1x12 inch shippers $21	$22
2½ in.	76	78	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	23
1 to 2 in.	72	74	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	18
4 inch uppers	78	80	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in.	65	70	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	68	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	55	57	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	28
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	52	1x10	24	25
No. 2	30	42	1x8	22	23
No. 3	32	38	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	1x10	22	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	27	30
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	30	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	$3 25	Spruce $	$3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 00	1¼x10 and 12	35
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 50
4 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	62 00	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	40 00	42 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	30 00	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	5 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	28 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in.	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	22 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda :

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in.	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.	18 00	20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	17 00	19 00

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WANTED—PRICE ON LARGE TRACT OF Balm of Gilead timber; must be near the waters of Lake Ontario and not too far from the mouth of the Niagara river, with waterway if possible; name price per acre; give exact situation, rail and water facilities. Address "W", Lewiston, N. Y., Box 51.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries.

WOODS AND FORESTS.

Quebec, 19th April, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that, conformably to Sections 1334, 1335 and 1336 of the Consolidated statutes of the province of Quebec, the timber limits hereinafter mentioned, at their estimated area, more or less, and in their present state, will be offered for sale, at public auction, in the Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, in this city, on TUESDAY, the THIRD day of JUNE, 1902, at ELEVEN o'clock A.M.

	Area Square Miles.
UPPER OTTAWA.	
River du Lievre, N. W. Branch 3	50
River du Lievre, N. W. Branch 4	50
LOWER OTTAWA.	
Harrington East River Rouge.	6 1-5
Harrington West River Rouge.	2¾
SAINT MAURICE.	
Manouan 1 North	50
Manouan 2 North	24
Manouan 3 North	35
Manouan 1 South	50
Manouan 2 South	50
Manouan 3 South	45
Manouan 8 South	30
Manouan 9 South	21
Rear Manouan 3 North	30
Rear Manouan A. North	40
Rear Manouan B. North	49
Rear Manouan C. North	50
Rear Manouan D. North	50
Bostonnais Island	10
Bostonnais 3 North	40
Upper Saint Maurice, Nos. 1 to 40, each	50
SAINT CHARLES.	
River a Mars 3	20
River du Moulin 4	12
River Jacques Cartier N.W Branch 2	37
River Jacques Cartier 2 West	42
River Jacques Cartier 2 East	38
River Jacques Cartier 3	30
River Jacques Cartier N E. Branch, 1 West.	42
River Jacques Cartier N E Branch, 1 East.	31
River Jacques Cartier N E. Branch, 2 East.	50
LAKE SAINT JOHN, CENTRE.	
Township Dequen, range 4	1
Township Metabetchouan, 1	1½
River Ouiatchouan, 141	19½
River Ouiatchouan, 142	25
LAKE SAINT JOHN, WEST.	
Township Charlevoix, 2	1¾
LALE SAINT JOHN, NORTHWEST.	
Range 1, North of Lake Saint John, 2	31
Range 1, North of Lake Saint John, 3	29
Range 2, North of Lake Saint John, 3	18
Range 2, North of Lake Saint John, 4	25
Range 3, North of Lake Saint John, 4	28
River Mistassini, 4	13½
Little River Peribonki	29
River au Saumon, 1	46
River au Saumon, 2	49
River au Saumon, 3	41½

SAGUENAY.

River a la Chasse et aux Anglais	34
" Saint Lawrence, West	30
" Mistassini & Sheldrake, 1	32¾
" St Nicholas West	25½
" St. Nicholas No. 2 East	7½
" St. John 7	12
" St. John 8	12
" St John East Branch 1	22
" St. John East Branch 2	18
" St. John East Branch 3	30
River au Saumon 1	34
" Manicouagan 3	24
" Manicouagan 4	27
" Manicouagan 6	58
" Manicouagan, Nos. 7 to 28, each	50
Saguenay West 1 A	10
Part of Saguenay 3 West and 4 West	49
Part of Saguenay East A	7
River Magpie 3	82
" " 4	32
" " 5	32
" " 6	32
" " 7	32
" " 8	32
Escoumains 5 East	34
Sault au Mouton 3	36
River Malbaie 8 A	40
" Malbaie 9 A	53
" Malbaie 10	60
" Malbaie 11	57
" Malbaie 12	54
" Malbaie 13	49
" Malbaie 14	26
" Malbaie 15	45
" Malbaie 16	32
Townships Callieres	15
Sault au Cochon 1 East	30
River Portneuf, N E. Branch	50
" Marguerite 1 West	25
" " 2 West	20
" " 3 West	20
" " 4 West	20
" " 5 West	15
" " 1 East	25
" " 2 East	20
" " 3 East	20
" " 4 East	20
" " 5 East	15
Township, Albert, No. 88	2¾

MATAPEDIA VALLEY.

Township Matalik 1	18
Township Matalik 2	18½

RIMOUSKI WEST.

Township Neigette 2	3
Rear Mistigougeche	35
Township Macpes 5	3¾
Township Fleuriault	1

RIMOUSKI EAST.

Township Matane 4	2

BONAVENTURE WEST.

River Escuminac North 3	12
River Nouvelle 1	50
River Nouvelle 4	16
Grand Cascapedia 1	14½
Grand Cascapedia 2	21
Grand Cascapedia 3	31
Grand Cascapedia 4	18
Grand Cascapedia 7	18
Turner's Brook	32
Joshua Brook	27
Little Cascapedia 1	15
Little Cascapedia 2	28
Clark's Brook 2	4
Flatland's Brook 2	2
Township Ristigouche	2
River Andre, West Branch 2	3⅜
River Assemetquagan	10
Stuart Brook 1	3½
Stuart Brook 2	10½
River Skimenac West Branch	3½
River Skimenac South Branch	9¼
Township Angers 2	8
Mann Brook East	7
Township Carleton 5	3⅜
Township Carleton 3	4
River Andre, West Branch, Township Ristigouche	4

GASPE WEST.

River Cap-Chat 1	47½
" Cap-Chat 2	45
" Magdalen 2 North	50
" Magdalen 3 "	29
" Magdalen 4 "	58
" Magdalen 5 "	31
" Magdalen 6 "	40
" Magdalen 1 South	50
" Magdalen 2 "	50
" Magdalen 3 "	54
Township Denoue	19
Township Taschereau	48
River a Pierre and Claude	32

GASPE CENTRE.

Gaspe Bay South 3	10
Gaspe Bay North 1	14⅓
Township Fox 4	7
Township Sydenham North	10

NDITIONS OF SALE.

No limit will be adjudged at less than the minimum price fixed by the department.

The limits will be adjudged to the highest bidder on payment of the purchase price, in cash or by cheque accepted by a duly incorporated bank. Failing payment they will be immediately re-offered for sale.

The annual ground rent of three dollars per mile, with fire tax, is also payable immediately.

Those timber limits, when adjudged, will be subject to the provisions of all timber regulations now in force or which may be enacted hereafter

Plans of limits offered for sale are open for inspection in the Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, in this city, and at the office of the Crown lands and timber agents in the different agencies in which said limits are situated, up to the day of sale.

N B.—No account for publication of this notice will be recognized, if such publication has not been expressly authorized by the department.

S. N. PARENT,
Minister of Lands,
Mines and Fisheries.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The conditions in the lumber trade are almost the same as at last writing. Lumber sells very readily and is sought after by buyers. The movement during the month of May was quite heavy, water mills especially showing an increase in business over the corresponding month last year. Buyers for wholesale dealers in the Eastern States are constantly travelling through the white pine territories in search of suitable stock. In the face of such conditions prices are not likely to weaken. In the Ottawa valley good pine strips and sidings have been marked up about $2 a thousand. While the price lists of manufacturers do not show a general advance, certain grades for which there is an exceptionally good demand are quoted at higher figures than one month ago. Hemlock lumber and timber is in strong demand and owing to the limited supply an advance of about fifty cents has been made. For 2 x 4 hemlock in 12-foot lengths $10 is asked at the mill, and for 1 x 13 inch and wider $11 is the current quotation. For such small lots of dry No. 1 lath as can be found $3 is willingly paid, f.o.b. cars at the mill. Sales of 32-inch lath have been made at $1.50 at the mill. The stock of dry hardwood lumber is being steadily absorbed, although prices have shown little disposition of late to advance. On the other hand, the prospects of a decline are considered very remote, owing to the certainty of a light production this season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

A large quantity of the early cut of the spruce mills has been contracted for. The demand is improving and it would seem that manufacturers are in a position to advance prices for later shipments very easily. Should the quantity of logs hung up be as great as predicted, it will doubtless result in higher prices towards the fall. Clapboards are very scarce and bring $40 for best quality, Boston delivery. There is no perceptible weakening of the cedar shingle market. Dealers are experiencing much difficulty in filling orders, nothwithstanding that as high as $3.60 for extras on Boston rate of freight has been offered in some instances. Laths are also firm.

Reports from the Upper St. John river state that 40,000,000 feet of logs are hung up. Of this quantity 12,000,000 feet are for Cushing & Company and 13,000,000 feet for W. H. Murray. Crews are being kept on hand in the hope that the water may rise.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The weather throughout Manitoba and the Territories has not been favorable for building operations, but still a large quantity of lumber has gone into consumption. The demand for the better grades has caused another slight advance in prices. British Columbia spruce lumber has been marked up $1.50 per thousand and is very scarce. Conditions in British Columbia, while satisfactory from the standpoint of demand, are not altogether favorable to manufacturers. It is almost impossible to secure labor for the mills and logging camps, and it is probable that some of the mills will be compelled to close down for this reason. While there is a strong demand for Canadian shingles, it is reported that the shingle market in Washington is somewhat depressed and that several of the largest manufacturers have decided to close down their mills in order to sustain prices. The Puget Sound Timbermen's Association recently advanced the price of fir logs fifty cents per thousand.

Vancouver mills have just figured on a contract for 1,000,000 feet of lumber for the building of twenty barges to be operated on the Yukon river.

UNITED STATES.

Reports from the Eastern States say that the lumber market is somewhat quiet on account of strikes and consequent checking of building operations. In the Lake Superior district and in Michigan the situation seems to be fully as strong as one week ago. A Bay City firm last week purchased 12,000,000 feet of lumber in the Georgian Bay at a reported consideration of $18 for log run. Buyers generally are showing a disposition to purchase at current prices whenever the desired stock can be found. It is evident that the supply of the upper grades of pine will be inadequate to meet the demands. The Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association have issued a new list making a substantial advance in the upper grades. Two-inch dimension in all widths and lengths was advanced 50 cents; 8 and 10-inch No. 1 rough and their products 50 cents and $1, according to length; rough lumber, 13-inch and up wide, $1; and shop lumber, selects and finishing $1.50 to $2.50. Hardwoods continue to make a gain. Basswood is scarce and higher, and maple is firm, although the supply is comparatively large. There is some difference in the prices of lath. Recently it has been retailed in Buffalo and Tonawanda at $4.25, but a correspondent states that it is now selling as low as $3.75. As lath prices have been abnormal, it would not be surprising if lower prices should rule.

GREAT BRITAIN.

A healthier tone pervades the British timber market. The peace negotiations have stimulated buying and restored in some degree confidence to the trade. Prices are being well sustained and indications point to higher values in the near future. Spruce deals have shown exceptional strength, 3x9 and 3x11 being very scarce and wanted. There is a fair stock stock in first hands of 3x9 of long average width, but they are scant in thickness. It is understood that shippers some time ago refused £8 5s c.i.f. for such stocks and are holding them for £9. Spruce deals of the best quality have advanced 7s 6d a standard within the past three months. Pine deals are meeting with favor, but the stock of the poorer grades has prevented any noticeable advance in price. Red pine deals have not sold well at recent auction sales, but they will no doubt recover with the general market.

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STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Holmea is completing her cargo at Quebec for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Pydna left the Miramichi last week for Manchester, England, with a cargo of deals.

The Tobique Manufacturing Company, of Plaster Rock, N.B., expect to cut 6,000,000 feet of deals this season for the British market.

Graham & Horne, of Fort William, Ont., have secured the contract for piles for the new Canadian Northern Railway elevator at Port Arthur.

It is reported that Chew Bros., of Midlane, Ont., have purchased timber limits and a saw mill on Wilson Creek in British Columbia, from Hill Bros.

Recent shipments of pulp wood from Quebec included the following: 245 cords for Ticonderoga, by Auger & Son; 85 cords for Ticonderogo, by John Breakey.

An auction sale of unmarked logs was held at St. John, N.B., last week. The spruce was purchased by N. H. Murchie for $11.20 per thousand, the hemlock by J. F. Gregory for $4 per thousand, the cedar by Hilyard Bros. for $9 per thousand, and the pine by the same firm at $6 per thousand.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, say of the Barbados market: We have only one arrival of white pine to report, the "Rachael H. Boyd," from Liverpool, N.S., with 85,000 feet, which has sold at $24.36 for shipping and $19.36 for second quality. The market having been suddenly strengthened and a large demand created by the information that another batch of Boer prisoners would be sent here, for which building to a considerable extent must be undertaken, several cargoes could be placed at the above figures or a little better. No receipts of spruce have taken place, and we think one or two cargoes could be placed at about $18 to $19. The "Boyd" brought 23,000 feet of hemlock, which sold at $16.06 for shipping and $12.06 for second quality. Gaspe shingles would bring $3.50 to $4 and laying $2 or over."

Mr. W. J. Raynham, representing Walcot, Limited, London, England, is now in this country visiting the different firms whose English and Continental wood business is handled by Messrs. Walcot. Any letters sent to the CANADA LUMBERMAN for him will be forwarded.

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The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue :

From Chatham, N. B.: May 21, barque Aureola, for Manchester, 733,963 ft. deals, scantling, etc., by F.E. Neale.

From Ship Harbor, N.S.; Str. Aureola, for Liverpool, spruce deals, etc., value $23,000.

From Hopewell Cape, N.B.: Str. Peerless, for Manchester, 3,105,663 ft. deals, value $34,030, by J. Nelson Smith. Schr. R. Emmerson, for Boston, 118,647 ft. scantling, value $1,186, by John M. Hicks. Str. Derota, for Bristol, Eng., 2,715,156 ft. deals, value $26,584, by W. Malcolm Mackay.

From Parrsboro, N. S.: May 19, Str. Gena, for Cardiff, Wales, 2,058,839 ft. deals, 260,451 ft. ends, value $22,322, by George McKean.

From Vancouver, B.C.: May 16, barque Challenger, for Delagoa Bay, South Africa, 1,090,233 ft. rough fir, value $12-000, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co.

From Halifax, N. S.: May 22, barque Globus, for Sharpness, Eng., 840,590 ft. lumber, value $9,734. Str. Bratsburg, for British West Indies, 73,326 ft. lumber, value $1,079.

From St. John, N.B.: Ship Honolulu, for Bristol, Eng , 1,095,792 ft. deals, 100,-170 ft. scantling, 33,944 ft. ends, 37,942 ft. boards, 117,865 ft. plank, 20,000 ft. birch ends and scantling, by George McKean.

From Montreal: Str. Frisia, for Hamburg, 11,771 pieces pine boards, 10 pieces pine timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; Str. Livonian, for Glasgow, 902 pieces deals by C.P.R., 234 bundles boards by D. Cream & Co; 4,283 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 321 pieces logs, 19,254 pieces deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 2,602 pieces deals by E. H. Lemay. Str. Anatolia, for Antwerp, 42,925 pieces deals, etc., by Watson & Todd; 39,726 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Dunmore Head, for Dublin, 4,617 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Dominion, for Liverpool, 23,220 pieces deals and boards by Watson & Todd; 858 pieces oak lumber by C. P. R. Str. Pretorian, for Liverpool, 3,195 pieces boards by E. H. Lemay. Str. Lakonia, for Glasgow, 13,476 pieces deals, ends and boards by Robert Cox & Co.; 6,774 pieces deals, ends and planks, 277 pieces timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Bellonia, for Leith, 10,204 pieces deals and ends by Robert Cox & Co.; 6,672 pieces deals and ends, by Watson & Todd; 78 pieces timber by G. T. R. Str. Montfort, for Bristol, 3,732 pieces lumber, by R. Cox & Co.; 1,020 pieces lumber, by McArthur Export Co.; 9,311 pieces lumber by J. Burstall & Co.; 6,499 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd. Str. Lycia, for London, 3,184 pieces ends, by McArthur Export Co.; 9,663 pieces lumber, by Watson & Todd; 6,594 pieces lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 22,314 pieces lumber by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 209 pieces lumber by McLaurin Bros.; Str. Loughrigg Holme, for London, 54,465 pieces deals and ends, by Watson & Todd. Str. Sardinian, for Glasgow, 564 pieces elm lumber by C. P. R.; 494 pieces deals by D. Cream & Co.; 4,312 pieces deals, 100 pieces logs, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Tiger, for Rotterdam, 105 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 300 pieces deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 216 pieces deals by McArthur Export Co.

The saw and shingle mills of W. Porter & Sons at Minesing, Ont., were destroyed by fire last week, at a loss of $5,000.

A shingle mill at Pike Bay, Ont., belonging to L. Mouke, was burned recently. No insurance.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

[Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.]

Lumber prices, as predicted, have advanced on account of the increased spring and early summer demand. These prices will hold until the present season's cut is available, which will not be for several weeks. The present prices are as follows : Good pine sidings, 1¼ in. and 1½ in., 8 in. and up, $42 to $48 per M ; 2x8 in. and up, $48 to $52 ; good strips, one in., $30 to $32 ; strips, 1¼ and 1½ in., $32 to $36 ; strips, 2 in., $34 to $38. These prices were paid for stock in small quantities. Holders are not soliciting trade and can afford to quote stiff prices, as the stock must be had, and it is not at all plentiful. No changes are reported in other lines of lumber, but the maximum figure in nearly every case represents the actual selling price.

While building operations in Hull and Ottawa are only fairly active, the outside demand for good lumber is such as to make the prediction of a strong market almoct a certainty.

Bush fires during the past week did considerable damage in the vicinity of Ottawa, but fortunately the efforts of the rangers and the assistance of Nature in the way of heavy rains, combined to check the threatened ruin of valuable limits. Ex.-Ald. R. J. Davidson, of the firm of Davidson & Thackray, returned today from the firm's mill and limits on the Coulonge. He states that fully six miles

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Reports from the drives now go to show that many logs will be hung up if frequent rains do not keep the water in the creeks at a good level. On the Coulonge river Gillies Bros., of Braeside, W. C. Edwards & Co., Rockland, McLaurin & McLaren, East Templeton, and other firms have large numbers of logs waiting movement to the mills. What applies to the Coulonge applies to the other lumbering streams tributary to the Otta-

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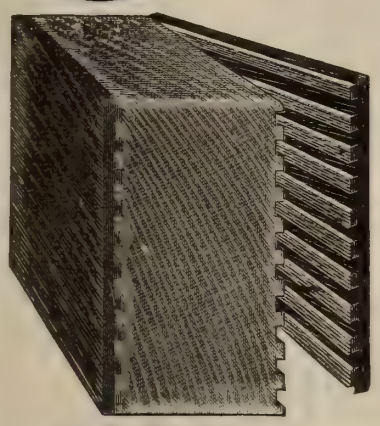

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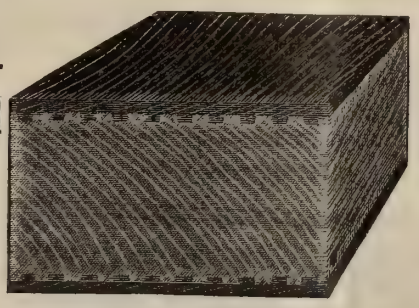

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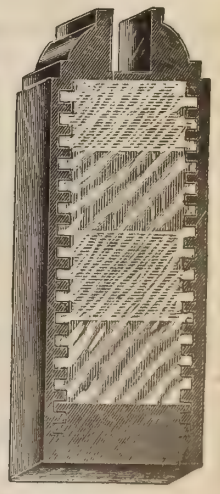

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Mr. George Fowler, lumber agent of the C. P. R., reports a brisk movement from all the mills between Biscotasing and Montreal. Shipments to the United Kingdom via Montreal and to the States are better than they were during the same period last year. Pennsylvania and Ohio points are receiving Canadian lath in considerable quantities. Mr. Fowler has been appointed railway lumber agent for the Ottawa Northern and Western Railway and the Pontiac and Pacific Junction Railway recently acquired by the C.P.Ry. He will be in a position to give shippers and manufacturers better facilities in the way of car accommodation and time service than were possible under the old order of things. Mr. Fowler is conversant with every detail of the lumber business, and will be able to satisfy to the limit the requirements of each particular case.

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It is the purpose of this advertisement to try and convince the Lumber Trade of Canada that we are the only company in British Columbia manufacturing and shipping shingles in large quantities, or that we "know it all." We recognize that "there are others" and that we are not the only "pebble on the beach." To try and make you believe that we are the only people who can supply you **promptly** and in **large quantities** with a **high-grade** shingle would not only be a **fish** and a **bear** story combined, but it would be gall of the bitterest kind.

Our competitors in the shingle business in B. C. are nice people, and we presume that they know their business ; but we are nice people too, and as we have been in the trade as long as any of them, and a **great deal longer** than the most of them, we know that we know our business, and that our competitors are not in the possession of any points of value regarding the manufacture of shingles which has not come to **our knowledge**.

Our old mill was burned down in May last, and in its place we have built what is at the present time the **Largest** Shingle Mill in B. C.

Our new Mill has 7 of the latest improved type of Dunbar machine, which we run night and day—giving us a capacity of about **100 Million** a year.

Competent judges who have seen our new mill, tell us that it is one of the most **substantial**, carefully **constructed**, and best **planned** mills in this province. We ourselves think it is **the very best** shingle mill in B. C. ; and we know that it is **equipped** with all the very latest improved Shingle Machinery.

Will the trade please note that our contract with the Pacific Coast Lumber Co. closed on December 31, 1901. Orders sent to us by letter or telegraph shall have our best attention.

We want our share of your shingle business, and can **guarantee** you satisfaction in **every particular.**

Spicer Shingle Mill Co., Limited,
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With all our past experience in the shingle business, of which we make a specialty, and with all the latest and best improvements in machinery and mill construction, we expect it to be the most complete and up-to-date mill in North America, where shingles can be made better than in the ordinary mill

The above plant will be in operation about the first of June, and although this mill will have a daily (24 hours) capacity of 1,250,000 shingles, the dealers and consumers need not be afraid of any particular surplus, but can rest assured that there will be one firm on the coast manufacturing red cedar shingles from whom they can get their wants supplied in a hurry with that old reliable "Hastings Brand" so much talked about.

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1x10	24	25
1x8	22	23
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1x10	22	23
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3 in.	65	00
4 in.	65	00
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1¼ and 1½ in.	50	00
No. 2, 1 in.	23	00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38	00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34	00
1¼x10 and 12		35
1½ in.		34 50
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LARGE TIMBER LIMIT PURCHASE.

Kilgour Shives, of Campbellton, N. B., is reported to have purchased from the Muskoka Lumber Company, of Toronto, all their Crown timber limits in the Provinces of Quebec and New Brunswick, amounting to about 100 square miles in Quebec and 470 square miles in New Brunswick. Mr. Shives formerly owned 387 square miles in these provinces, and this purchase makes him the largest holder of Crown lands in New Brunswick.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Varying opinions are expressed regarding the lumber market. Manufacturers are perfectly satisfied with the volume of business, while dealers frequently express some disappointment. Those who expected and depended upon a heavy local demand have not witnessed a realization of their anticipations, but it is probableth at the activity in the lumber business for the past year led them to expect too much. In any case, retail dealers state that they could handle a larger volume of trade without increasing their facilities.

vast quantity of white pine that has been bought for export has placed manufacturers in a position somewhat independent of local trade so far as the better grades are concerned, but they must still look to the home market to consume a large proportion of the lower quality. Almost every pine manufacturer has sold all the lumber that he can manufacture within the next sixty days, and several have contracted for their entire output. So long as the demand from the United States continues in its present volume, there is not likely to be a perceptible weakening of prices. Dry hardwood stocks are low. The necessity of providing piling ground for the new cut has resulted in forced sales at lower prices in one or two cases, but the market generally is strong and likely to advance as the light production of this year becomes more generally recognized. Buyers are in the market for shingles of all kinds and those having a stock in shipping condition can realize very readily. Hemlock is being bought as vigorously as ever, in some cases as a substitute for white pine.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The improvement in the demand for spruce lumber has been encouraging to manufacturers and shippers. It has been difficult to convince buyers in Great Britain that the quantity of stock available for that market this year will be comparatively small, but the recent advance in prices seems to indicate a recognition, at last, of the conditions existing in the eastern provinces. The log supply is still uncertain. One week ago it was reported that 30,000,000 feet of logs were hung up on the St. John river. Since that time some rain has fallen, which has improved the prospects of getting the logs to the mills, but even if the log supply is sufficient for a full season's operations, there will not be an abnormal quantity manufactured for the British market, as the Eastern States is taking spruce clapboards and other lumber very freely,

and considerable shipments are being made to the West Indies, South America and other countries. Manufacturers report many inquiries for stock and expect to have no difficuty in disposing of their output. Waney pine timber is strong. Sales have been made at Quebec at 56 cents per cubic foot for best quality.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber is moving quite actively throughout Manitoba and the North-West Territories. The excellent crop prospects are an incentive to dealers to increase their stocks in anticipation of a heavy fall trade. The tendency of prices is upwards. The mills in British Columbia continue busy, and are behind with orders for local and eastern account. Export business, however, shows no improvement over last year. The prices now quoted for B. C. shingles delivered in Ontario are as follows: XXX, 6 to 2″, $2.90; XXXX, 6 to 2 3-16″, $3.05; XXXXX, 5 to 2″, $3.30; No. 2 shingles, 6 to 2″ and 6 to 2 3-16″, $2.40; No. 2, 5 to 2″, $2.55.

UNITED STATES.

The demand for lumber during the past week has been a little slow, partly on account of the strike of coal miners. Prices, however, have been easily sustained, as there has been the usual amount of buying by wholesale houses. It is this buying rather than the actual retail trade that is sustaining prices. The time is near at hand for prices to yield as the result of the marketing of new stock, but as yet there are no indications of any price recessions in white pine unless it might be in ordinary short piece stuff. The purchase is reported of a large quantity of Norway log run at $15 at Duluth. This is a high price and in line with recent sales. The buying of manufacturers and railroad companies was a feature of the month of May. The outlook for crops is good, and railroads are preparing for heavy traffic during the summer and fall months. Several railroads will materially increase their rolling stock.

Spruce clapboards are readily marketable, and while the fancy prices now being paid may stimulate production, the present scarcity cannot be relieved for some time. Spruce lath meets with a quick sale, the price at Boston being $3.25 for 1⅝ inch. Extra cedar shingles are selling between $3.50 and $3.60, with the more important manufacturers holding for the latter price. Shingles are moving steadily. At Buffalo best white pine brings about $4.15, but it is impossible for dealers to secure a steady supply. In the Saginaw valley XXXX pine shingles are held at $4 and clear butts at $3 for 18 inch. For 16 inch $3.05 is quoted for *A* and $2.45 for clear butt stocks. White cedar shingles are in active request there at $3.90 for 18 inch. Birch leads the hardwoods in point of demand, followed by ash, basswood and elm. There has been no change in prices, as small mills have placed considerable stock on the market at prices below the actual ruling quotations. As stocks are not large, there is likely to be an improvement in the near future.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The declaration of peace is expected to have an important and reassuring effect upon the timber market. There is much speculation as to the volume of shipments that will be made to South Africa, but the concensus of opinion seems to be that a brisk revival of trade cannot be expected for a year or two. Nevertheless, there will doubtless be some immediate improvement in business, as it is known that several orders were placed for execution upon the termination of the war. It is thought the cessation of the war will materially assist in bringing about higher prices. The first arrivals from the St. Lawrence are reported to have met with a ready demand, as the stock of the standard sizes of pine and spruce deals had become limited. First quality pine is particularly wanted, as the stock in the yards is practically nil. The prospects for spruce are good. Importers are meeting the shippers more willingly and apparently do not expect that lower prices will rule this season. A report from Dublin says: "The first steamer from the St. Lawrence has arrived, and the various consignments of deals will find a good market, as all the stocks of second and third quality Quebec spruce, 12 feet x9x3 inches, have been cleared long since. Good waney pine timber is scarce and prices are high. It is said to be impossible to buy any quantity of first grade".

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The mill of W. Burgess at Grand Falls, N.B., will likely cut about 8,000,000 feet of lumber this year.

The steamer Manchester Shipper is about to load a cargo of deals at Halifax, N.S., for a French port.

Last week 2,500,000 feet of logs on skids near Sudbury, Ont., and valued at $10.50 a thousand, were destroyed by fire.

At Manistee, Mich., green hemlock piece stuff, 10 to 16 feet, is being sold at $9.50 and the 18-foot lengths at $12. Pine stuff is selling at $14.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company have just finished shipping by rail from Georgian Bay to Quebec 140,000 cubic feet of square timber, for export trade.

Chicago dealers are paying from $13 to $14 for No. 1 short dry hemlock delivered by rail, and from $11 to $11.50 for No. 2 hemlock. Piece stuff is quoted at $15 by rail.

The steamer Scarp is loading a cargo of deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom. The steamer Fashoda is about to load timber and deals at Montreal for the same destination.

The steamer Huntcliffe sailed from Montreal last week for London with a cargo of timber and deals. The steamer Forest Brook also sailed for London with deals only.

It is reported that Andrew Haslam, of Nanaimo, B. C., has been awarded the contract to furnish 1,000,000 feet of lumber for the building of a saw mill at Vancouver for T. Ludgate.

A report received last week stated that by the breaking of the boom at Grandes Piles, St. Maurice river, 300,000 logs are on their way to the St. Lawrence river. The water is so high at Three Rivers that the logs are in great danger.

A large raft of hemlock logs for Toner & Gregory reached Collingwood last week. The second raft of the season for the Charlton Saw Mill Company, of Collingwood, has also arrived. It contained about 2,000,000 feet and was made at Little Current.

The agreement of the Washington manufacturers to shut down the red cedar shingle mills is the most generally observed of any movement the western shingle men have made. The manufacturers are quoted as being determined to keep the shingle market up, for they cannot see a living in lower prices while logs cost as much as at present. If necessary, they say they will extend the period for remaining inactive until the market is sure of being steady.

Henry Atkinson, of Etchemin, Que., who last winter got out a very choice lot of spruce logs (about 7½ million feet) on the upper reaches of the St. John river, has been successful in delivering same inside the corporation limits. This is good work considering the small quantity of rain there has been to assist the drives.

The Edward S. Hartwell Lumber Company, of Chicago, have established Canadian headquarters at Parry Sound, Ont. They have recently purchased the cut of logs of Ferguson & McFadden, of Sudbury, Ont., amounting to about 15,000,000 feet, and have contracted for the cut of the Conger Lumber Company, of Parry Sound. Of the latter cut the bulk will be shipped to eastern points. About 30 per cent. will be shipped to Chicago, consisting mostly of 4, 5 and 6-inch strips.

LUMBERING IN THE MARITIME PROVINCES.

The following estimate has been made of last winter's lumbering operations in the Maritime Provinces:

NEW BRUNSWICK.

In New Brunswick the cut of logs the past winter is estimated at 450,000,000 feet, of which 400,000,000 are saw logs and 50,000,000 pulp wood. On the Upper St. John the provincial lumbering operations are as follows: H. Atkinson, 5,000,000; Kilburn, old and new, 9,000,000; Flavius Chinouard, 2,250,000; Holmes Morrison, old and new, 2,800,000; Oliver Gurrett, old and new, 1,500,000; Gilbert Gurrett, 250,000; Fraser & Lowe, 1,000,000; Thos. Clair, 3,000,000; Purvis & Murchie, 3,000,000; R. A. Estey, 2,000,000; Hale & Murchie Mfg. Co., 12,000,000; Baird, 1,500,000; Hilyard Bros., 4,000,000; Randolph & Baker, 4,000,000; James Scotts, 4,000,000; D. Fraser & Lowe, 4,000,000; John Morse, 2,000,000; St. John River bank logs, 2,000,000; hemlock for Esty, 4,000,000; and to the above add 23,000,000 old logs on St. John River.

The past winter the Miramichi was the scene of very extensive operations and the cut aggregates 125,000,000 feet. The Snowball Lumber Company at Chatham are extensive operators and their cut reaches a large figure. Wm. Richards & Company, of Chatham, are also extensive, operators in the woods as well as manufacturers, and Ernest Hutchinson, of Douglasstown, is also a large lumber operator. Allan Ritchie, at Newcastle, manufactures about 10,000,000 feet annually. Burchill & Sons manufacture about 10,000,000 feet at Nelson. On the Richibucto lumbering operations have been light, but on the Restigouche a fair amount has been secured.

The Tracadie Lumber Company, on the Tracadie river, Gloucester county, cut the past winter about 10,000,000 feet, largely pine.

NOVA SCOTIA.

The cut in Nova Scotia last winter aggregated about 365,000,000 feet, of which 300,000,000 are saw logs, 50,000,000 pulpwood and 25,000,000 piling. The most extensive operator is Alfred Dickie, of Lower Stewiacke. His operations will be slightly less than last year, but will amount to about 50,000,000 feet in all.

The Dominion Lumber Company, successors to Young Brothers, cut the past winter about 10,000,000 feet of logs in the vicinity of Margaret's Bay, twenty-five miles from Halifax. The Shulee Lumber Company carry on an extensive business and cut about 10,000,000 feet. The Newville Lumber Company, in Cumberland County, cut about 6,000,000. The Nova Scotia Lumber Company carried on extensive operations on St. Mary's River, Guysboro County. Mr. McMullen, on the St. Croix River near Windsor, will manufacture in the vicinity of 50,000,000. Below is appended a list of the operations in the western part of Cumberland county: B. B. Barnhill, Two Rivers, 1,000,000 superficial ft. spruce logs, 7,000 piling; Newton Pugsley, River Hebert, 2,500,000; Kelley Brothers, River Hebert, 2,500,000; Rufus Chester, River Hebert, 500,000 s. ft. spruce logs, 1,000 piling; R. A. E. Chester, Two Rivers, 500,000 s. ft., spruce logs, 1,000 piling; Prescott, Gillespie & Co., Shulee, 3,000,000 s. ft. spruce logs, 6,000 piling; Shulee Lumber Co., Shulee, 8,000 piling; E. I. White & Sons, Sand River, 600,000 s. ft., spruce logs, 20,000 piling; C. T. White, Apple River, 2,000,000 s. ft. spruce logs, 18,000 piling; John Leslie, Apple River, 3,000 piling.

LARGE TIMBER DEAL.

The Newville Lumber Company, of Newville, N.S., are reported to have sold their steam saw mill and other property at that place, as well as their timber lands, to Percy E. Spencer, of Spencer's Island, and J.W. Kirkpatrick, of Dilligent River. The price is said to be in the neighborhood of $60,000.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SHINGLES.

Editor CANADA LUMBERMAN:

DEAR SIR:—Referring to your issue of the "CANADA LUMBERMAN" of June, would say that on page 7 in the article on Shingle Conditions in British Columbia, in the paragraph near the end of the article, the following statement is made:

"Notwithstanding the increased cost of lumber, prices on red cedar shingles are 15c. per thousand lower in Ontario than they were last year."

I beg to call your attention to the fact that while B. C. shingles were 15c. lower at the beginning of this season than they were at the close of last season, the price was, on April 1st, advanced to $2.90, which is the highest price they were sold at last year, and they are at present 15c. higher than they were for the corresponding month last year.

Yours truly,
ONE INTERESTED.

BRITISH COLUMBIA CONDITIONS.

There is still a great scarcity of logs in British Columbia, both cedar and fir, and although there are numerous booms on their way from up the coast, the mills will not be adequately supplied. Mr. McNair, the biggest operator at Vancouver, is said to have offered $11 a thousand for logs.

A point in connection with the taking of timber limits which is unique in the history of the province has just been raised and has been referred to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for a decision. A man operating under a hand loggers' license on the coast recently found that the limits on which he was working had been staked by another party and an application for the right to cut timber on the lands forwarded to the Department of Lands and Works at Victoria. The hand logger says that for the past seven years he has been operating under a hand loggers' license. Such a license allows the holder to move his camp from time to time, as circumstances dictate, and the license holder has not been required to stake the limits on which he has worked. The question now raised by the hand logger is whether any person has the legal right to stake upon the land which he is working under his license.

Special permits that have been granted to cut and carry away timber on Crown lands of the province have a new condition added to them. The latest permits issued contain a clause reading as follows: "This permit is granted on the special condition that no Chinese or Japanese shall be employed in working the said limits mentioned in this permit." All permits are issued from Victoria, the capital of British Columbia, but applications are received through the Vancouver office. For the past month permits arriving from Victoria have included this ominous clause. The principal effect of the new condition will be that permits taken out from now on will prevent Japanese and Chinese working in shingle bolt camps. This will be another serious set-back for the shingle mills, who are compelled to employ Japs owing to the scarcity of white labor.

HARDWOODS IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Canadian hardwoods brought the following prices at an auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, on May 14th:

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A quantity of spruce slating battens, from Quebec, sold from 12½d to 1s. 3d. per 144 ft. run.

The Timber Trades Journal reports the following charters: Steamer "Ester," Miramichi, N.B., to Liverpool, deals, 4cs., 6d., June, extra boards and scantlings; "Semantha," Miramichi to approved ports, 1,500 standard deals, 38s., 6d., June-July; boat, 1,700 standards, St. John to picked ports, 35s., June; 800 tons reg., Campbellton to Mersey, mixed cargo, 43s. 9d., August; 250 standards, Bathurst to Troon, 39s.; 240 stds., Bay Chaleur to Preston, 45s.

Among the charters reported are the following: Steamer Shellagsam, St. John, N. B., to w. c. England, deals, 37s 6d; Steamer Powhatan, St. John to Liverpool, 36s 3d; str. Veritans, St. John to U. K., deals, 37s 6d, June loading: str. Hackney, 2,606 tons, St. John to w. c. England, deals, 35s, June.

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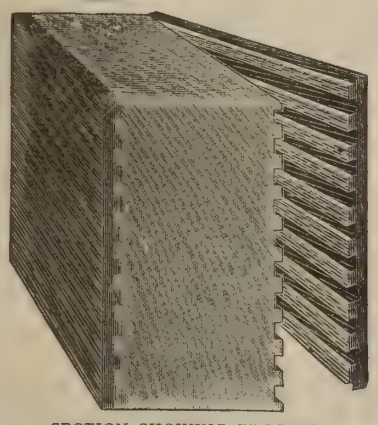

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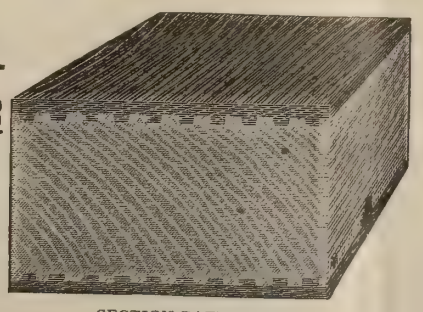

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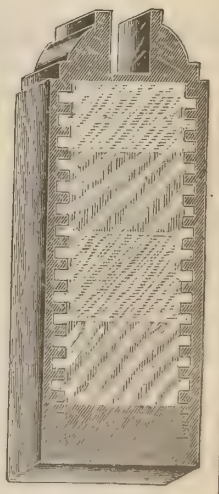

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2 in. x 8 in. and up.	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
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Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
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Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Soruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
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No. 2	30 42	1x8	22 23
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2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00 45 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	30 00 32 00
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1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
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3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00 24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00 14

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Some dissatisfaction is expressed with the volume of business in Western Ontario, but on the whole the demand for lumber is heavy, as any falling off in the local trade is offset by increased shipments to the Eastern States. It is understood that Ottawa dealers are receiving orders for lumber faster than they can be filled. The new cut, however, will relieve the scarcity in certain grades that has prevailed for some time. Prices for the new stock, as furnished by the manufacturers' lists, are only slightly changed from the recent selling prices of the old stock. In a few cases a slight advance is being asked. One or two manufacturers are shading the price of certain lines which are not at any time very marketable, preferring to clear off the old stock at a sacrifice rather than carry it over and probably be obliged to re-pile it. For inch mill cull sidings $11 is asked at the mill, with one dollar more for the 10 and 12-inch stock. Inch dead Cull sidings are offered at $6.50, and 1½ inch at $7. Box and common ranges from $15 to $16, the latter for 1x12 inch in 14 and 16 feet lengths. Hemlock lumber, which has been in large demand for some time, is a little quieter, with a slight weakening in prices. It is expected that this will be only temporary; in fact, some of the largest dealers in this class of timber contend that prices are as strong as ever. Hardwoods are unchanged, with prices steady. For inch mill run birch $16 at the mill is being asked.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The prices realized at the Government sale of timber limits last week show that lumbermen anticipate still higher prices for spruce timber, whether it is manufactured into pulp wood or into deals and other lumber. The present outlook is towards a gradual advance in the price of spruce stocks, this being evidenced by the number of buyers that are prepared to contract for mill cuts. A few shipments of clapboards are being made to the Eastern States, but the supply of dry stock is almost exhausted. Cedar shingles continue firm on the basis of $3.50 for extras, Boston delivery.

Waney pine timber leads all other classes in point of strength. British buyers apparently realize that no large supply is obtainable and that Canadian lumbermen prefer to manufacture their logs into lumber rather than into board timber. The wintering stock of waney pine at Quebec last spring was only 361,488 cubic feet, as compared with 506,001 feet the previous year and 1,324,384 feet as the average stock for the past five years.

From New Brunswick comes the report that satisfactory progress is being made with the drives, although Stetson, Cutler & Company have 4,000,000 feet of logs hung up on the St. John river.

UNITED STATES.

Less activity is reported in the movement of white pine lumber for building purposes. In the New England States the teamsters' strikes in all the larger cities have interfered with business. West of the Mississippi river, however, there has been heavy buying by dealers in anticipation of a heavy trade as soon as the farmers enter the market, as the wheat production promises to be large. Prices of pine lumber are unchanged, though there is talk of an advance by wholesalers in everything from No. 2 up. Failing to secure lower prices from the producers, dealers are apparently endeavoring to advance their selling prices to a point which will give a fair margin of profit. Box lumber is showing less strength than the other grades, as the supply is more in keeping with the demand. There is still a scarcity of the better grades, especially cutting up lumber. At Buffalo mill culls are selling at $15, 1x12 No. 1 barn at $30, and inch No. 1 cuts at $40.

Hardwoods are showing exceptional strength. Large quantities of hardwood lumber are finding a market in the west, thus placing manufacturers less dependent on the eastern trade. Michigan firms are asking $14 to $14.50 for maple, $20 for long run basswood, and $25 for black ash that will not run more than 25 to 30 per cent. firsts and seconds. By many in the trade a material advance in the price of birch lumber is predicted. It is being bought heavily by furniture manufacturers.

Eastern shingles are strong and selling more briskly than at any other time since

the building season opened. The supply is not equal to the demand. While reports come from the Pacific coast that red cedar shingle prices are uncertain, dealers at Buffalo and Tonawanda are finding no difficulty in obtaining $4 for Perfections. No. 1 pine lath are scarce and selling at $4 wholesale in the Eastern States. Although the mills are producing lath, they are moving off as fast as manufactured.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British timber market has made a showing of strength during the past week. The trade is coming to the opinion that lumber will be dearer after the summer, when the limitation of the production shows itself. The demand is steadily expanding, and but for the supply of low grade stock, a sharp advance in prices would probably take place. Stocks in first hands are almost entirely cleared out. High figures have been paid for broad first quality pine deals, of which the supply is especially light. Quotations range from £31 12s to £34 7s, which is an advance upon the prices of one month ago. Broad second quality pine deals bring about £22, third quality £14, and fourth quality £11. Spruce deals continue in good request, especially 7 and 8-inch, which range from £6 10s to £7 10s per standard. While transactions in red pine have been limited, contracts have been closed at £10 10s c. i. f. Glasgow for 9 and 11 inches, and the prospect for this class of lumber is somewhat better. At recent auction sales slating battens have shown improvement, while plasterers' laths sold at the same prices as for some time past. The market for waney pine timber is strong. It is reported that sales have been made at 3s 3d per cubic foot c. i. f. London, the higher prices being due in part to the smaller wintering stock at Quebec. Sales of square timber have been made at 2s 8d c. i. f. London, with a rather light inquiry except for the larger dimensions.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

At Philadelphia hemlock is selling on the basis of $16.

The steamer Skarp sailed from Montreal last week for Hull, England, with a cargo of deals.

The City Council of Victoria, B. C., has just taken tenders on the supply of 430,000 fir paving blocks.

The tug Hudson arrived at Quebec last week with a raft of timber for Dobell, Beckett & Company.

The steamer Avona sailed from Montreal last week for the United Kingdom with a cargo of deals.

George Lewis has a contract to take out 5,000,000 feet of logs for the Cowichan Lumber Company, of Cowichan, B.C.

Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company have recently bought several million feet more lumber in the Georgian Bay district.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., have sold considerable stock to the M. G. Browne Lumber Company, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Martin & McKinnon have successfully brought their drives to the mouth of La Vallee river. It consists of 22,000 ties for the Rat Portage Lumber Company.

At Buffalo coiled hoops are quoted at $10 for 6-foot ; first-class elm flour barrel staves $7.50 and $7.75 ; basswood heading 5¼ to 5½ cents, and tierce staves $28.

Joseph Dobson held an auction sale of timber at Hull on May 29th, at which the following prices were obtained for spruce : 9-16 ft. 3x11 in. Quebec, unassorted, £8 7s 6d ; 11-14 ft. 2x11 in. £8 7s 6d ; 9-16 ft. 1¼x11 in. £8 10s; 10-13 ft. 1½x11 in. £8 7s 6d.

A quick drive has just been completed on the St. Marguerite river, Province of Quebec, by Price Bros. & Company, who made 100,000 spruce logs at St. Catharines Bay. Within four days the entire quantity was safely landed in the boom at the mouth of the river. On two occasions, in the course of three hours each, 20,000 logs came into the boom.

Munro & Company's first raft of timber reached Ottawa last week. It contained 150,000 feet. Two other rafts are following containing 150,000 and 100,000 feet. The Munro Company took out over 800,000 feet of square timber last winter. They shipped 150,000 feet by the C.P.R. from points west of Sudbury and are shipping 200,000 feet by boat from Sault Ste. Marie. The saw logs that were taken out, 10,000,000 feet, were sold to the Moulthrop Lumber Company and will be manufactured at John's Island.

Messrs. S P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of May 24th, say of the Barbadoes lumber market : "There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce during the fortnight, but a small cargo of 40,000 feet shipping and 60,000 feet second quality white pine, offered to arrive shortly, was placed at $25.50 and $20.50 ; a cargo has also been contracted for at $25 and $20 for shipping and second quality respectively, delivered terms. In spruce we can only repeat our last advices and valuation of $18 to $19. There have have been no arrivals of shingles, and we maintain our valuation of Long Gaspe. A lot of 500,000 feet of Laying Cedar, second clears, is on the way by steamer for a dealer "

A report from Chicago says: The scarcity of lumber all over the country is confined largely to No. 1 common and better. Dry piece stuff is almost phenomenally scarce, and in a few items, as in 2x12s and 3x12s, it is found that the scarcity is verging on a famine. Prices on 2x12s range from $21 for 14, 16 and 18-foot to $22 and $21.50 for 12 and 20-foot respectively. In joists 3x12—12s are quoted at $23, 14s at $22, 16s at $21, 18s at $22 and 20s at $22.50. In 12-inch boards the same preference is shown, No. 1, 10 and 12 feet long, selling at $26; No. 2, 10 to 16 feet long, selling at $22 to $23 and No. 3 at $17.50. No. 1 4-inch fencing sells at from $18 to $21.50 according to length and No. 1 6-inch fencing at from $20 to $24.50 according to length. No. 1 hemlock piece stuff is selling from the yards at $13.50 for 2x4s and 2x10s and $14.50 to $15 for 2x12s.

TIMBER STATEMENT.

Following is a comparative statement for three years of the timber, etc., measured and culled at the port of Quebec up to 10th June, 1902, as reported by the Supervisor of Cullers :

	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
W'n'y w'te pine	90,202	257,924	1,008,101
White pine....	89,642	57,948	140,060
Red pine.....	6,926	861	11,337
Oak.....	196,408	144,481	54,662
Elm	204,441	169,837	297,023
Ash.....	27,601	52,331	10,450
Butternut.....	92	462	.....
Birch & Maple	247,154	251,218	75,486

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The demand for spruce lumber at Boston is scarcely more than normal, with prices about steady. The mills generally have logs and are ready for orders : Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20 to $22 ; 9-inch and under, $19 to $20; 10 and 12-inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17.50 ; all other randoms, 9 - inch and under, 10 feet and up, $18 50; 5-inch and up merchantable boards, $17 ; matched boards, $19 to $20 ; out spruce boards, $13.50 to $14 ; bundle furring, $17 to $18.

Hemlock is in fair demand with the market firm, by reason of the small supply : Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 to $15.50 for good eastern ; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17.50 ; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

Western pine is in small supply, with the market very firm. The demand is only fair : Uppers, 1-in. $75 to $80 ; 2½ and 3 in. $80 to $85 ; 4-in. $85 to $88 ; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68 ; 2-in. $69 to $70 ; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76 ; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $60 to $63; 1¼ to 1½ in. $64 to $66 ; 2-in. $68 to $70 ; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71 ; 4-in. $80 ; barn boards, $23 to $33 ; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is not much changed, with the request moderate : Quartered oak,$64 to $66; plain oak, $41 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, no maket; whitewood, $42 to $43; saps and common, $30 to $35 ; brown ash, $41 to $44 ; white ash, $43 to $46 ; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42 ; birch, $27 to $30 ; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Extra cedar shingles are still in very moderate supply, and sell at a premium. Quotations are firm on all grades : Extra cedar to arrive, May and June, $3.50 ; clear, $3 ; second clear, $2.50 ; extra No. 1, $1.90 to $2.00; British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80 ; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Clapboards continue scarce and firm : Extra spruce, $38 to $40; clear, $36 to $38; second clear $33 to $35 ; extra No. 1, $24 to 26.

Laths continue very firm at $3.20 to $3.30 for 1⅝-inch ; 1½-inch $3.

GLASGOW PRICES.

Messrs. Wright, Graham & Company, Glasgow, Scotland, quote the following prices on pine and spruce deals, etc:

WANEY BOARDWOOD. — The demand holds strong and stocks have been still further depleted. Prices are much the same as before, prime wood being quoted at 2s 10d to 3s 6d per cubic foot, according to the average length ; second-class stock at 2s 6d to 2s 9d per cubic foot.

OAK LOGS.—There is some demand for long logs of prime quality to sell at about 3s. per cubic foot. Logs of inferior quality are quoted at about 2s 3d per cubic foot.

ELM.—The demand continues light, but the price for prime quality logs of good average length remains firm at 3s to 3s 3d per cubic foot. Parcels of poor specification and inferior quality are difficult to sell.

ASH.—The bulk of the stock is held by consumers. Prices are quoted at about 22d per cubic foot for 14 in. average, and 2s to 2s 2d per cubic foot for 15 in. average.

BIRCH.—Since our last report the position has not undergone any change of importance. Logs continue to be quoted at about 1s 6d for 16 in. average. Planks of ordinary quality are a drug in the market ; only prime quality are saleable at 15d to 16d per cubic foot.

QUEBEC WHITE PINE DEALS.—There has been no weakening in the demand for broad first quality deals, and prices have stiffened. Quotations are as follows : 1st quality, broad, £31 12s 6d to £34 7s 6d per standard ; 11 inch, £24 10s to £27; 7 inch to 10 inch, £21 to £22 7s 6d. 2nd quality, broad, £20 12s 6d to £22 13s 9d ; 11 inch, £19 12s 6d to £20 12s 6d ; 7 inch to 10 inch, £15 2s 6d to £16 10s. 3rd quality, broad, £13 15s to £14 8s 9d ; 11 inch, £12 7s 6d to £13 1s 3d ; 7 inch to 10 inch, £10 to £11. 4th quality, broad, £10 6s 3d to £11 ; 11 inch, £9 12s 6d to £10 6s 3d ; narrows, £8 to £9.

QUEBEC WHITE PINE SIDINGS.—There is still an active demand for first quality 1½ and 2 in., and parcels arriving meet with ready sale.

RED PINE DEALS.—There is very little enquiry, and few sales are reported. The following prices are quoted: 9 and 11 in. by 3 and 4 in., £10 6s 3d to £12 7s 6d, per St. Pet. Std.; 7 to 10 in. by 3 in., £7 15s to £8 11s 10d.

SPRUCE DEALS.—A moderate amount of business has been done this month, and prices keep firm. Prices quoted are: 9 in. and up by 3 in. at £9 2s 6d to £9 12s 6d, per St. Pet. Std.; 7 and 8 in. by 3 in. at £6 10s to £7 10s.

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CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue :

From Chatham, N. B.: June 6, schr. Palma, for New York, 214 tons pulp, by Estate Maritime Sulphite Fibre Co.; 545,000 laths, by E. Hutchison. June 2, schr. Raeburn, for New York, 500,000 laths, by A. F. Bentley. June 3, brig. Hamlet, for Clarecastle, Ireland, 256,639 ft. deals and ends, by F. E. Neale. June 7, barque Vemira, for Manchester, England, 744,000 ft. deals, boards and ends, by J. B. Snowball Co.

From Chemainus, B.C.: May 7, barque Sononea, for Sydney, Australia, 562,000 ft. lumber, 456,000 laths, 93,000 staves, value $6,168, by Victoria Lumber & Mfg. Co. May 9, ship Ostari, for Port Natal, 1,696,000 ft. lumber, value $15,014, by Victoria Lumber & Mfg. Co. May 28, schr. Kingleyras, for Sydney, Aus., 679,000 ft. lumber, 418,000 laths, 100,000 staves, value $7,504, by Victoria Lumber & Mfg. Co. Bargue Star of Bengal, for Adelaide, Aus., 1,468,000 ft. lumber, 120,000 laths, 20,000 ft. pickets, value $12,542, by Victoria Lumber & Mfg. Co.

From St. John, N. B.: Barque Austria, for Queenstown, 14,714 ft. birch deals, 727 ft. birch scantling, 16,693 ft. birch ends, 1,257 ft. boards, 831,488 ft. spruce deals 68,555 ft. spruce scantling, 23,712 ft. spruce ends, 3,562 ft. spruce boards. Str. Sarham, for Manchester, 2,464,987 ft. deals, and battens, 72,139 ft. scantling, 64,161 ft. ends, 12,483 ft. boards, by W. M. Mackay.

From Montreal: Str. Pomeranian, sailed May 26th, for Glasgow, 5 pieces timber by G. T. R. ; 4,664 pieces deals and 20 pieces logs by W. & J. Sharples; 1,251 pieces deals by D. Cream & Co; 18,110 pieces deals by Watson & Todd. Str. Romore Head, sailed May 27th, for Belfast, 3,131 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 1,169 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 8,270 pieces deals and boards by Watson & Todd; 8,256 pieces sidings and boards by Robert Cox & Co.; 5,393 pieces deals and boards by Charlemagne Lumber Co; 9,926 pieces deals, boards and ends by J. Burstall and Co.; 948 pieces lumber by C.P.R. Str. Lake Ontario, for Liverpool, sailed May 26th, 8,708 pieces lumber, by Watson & Todd; 132 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co; 116 pieces maple lumber, 1,344 maple blocks, 550 maple squares, 2,814 doors, 2,542 pieces oak lumber, 1,484 bundles flooring, by C.P.R. Str. Alcides, sailed May 29th, for Glasgow, 3,415 pieces deals and boards by Robert Cox & Co.; 8,341 pieces deals and ends by Watson & Todd; 4,812 pieces deals and ends by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 3,386 pieces deals by McLaurin Bros; 197 pieces fir lumber by C.P.R. Str. Belgian, sailed May 30th, for London, 6,919 pieces ends by W. & J. Sharples; 3,314 pieces deals by Watson & Todd; 35,934 pieces deals and boards by McArthur Export Co; 169 pieces timber by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Roman, for Liverpool, sailed May 31st, 22,091 pieces deals, boards and ends by Watson & Todd; 165 pieces oak lumber by C.P.R. Str. Yola, sailed May 26th, for Bristol, 1,478 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd; 4,292 pieces lumber by W. & J. Sharples; 26,038 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Forestbrook, sailed May 31st, for London, 80,983 pieces deals, ends, etc., by Robert Cox & Co. Str. Hurona, sailed June 1st, for London, 4,848 pieces deals by Cox, Long & Co ; 3,530 pieces deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co. Str. Norwegian, for Glasgow, 356 pieces deals and boards by D. Cream & Co; 4,414 pieces deals by E. H. Lemay; 6,600 pieces deals and boards by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Langford, sailed June 6th, for Rotterdam, 2,159 pieces pine deals, 1,357 pieces pine deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Manchester Importer, sailed June 4th, for Manchester, 106 rolls pulp boards, 1,144 bundles pulp board by Laurentide Pulp Co; 938 packages planed boards, 1,866 pieces deals, 15 pieces ends by Charlemagne Lumber Co; 3,866 pieces deals and ends, 984 pieces boards by W. & J. Sharples; 4,377 pieces deals by McArthur Export Co; 3,385 pieces deals and boards by Robert Cox & Co; 5,665 pieces deals, boards and ends by Watson & Todd; 569 pieces deals by Imperial Lumber Co.

From Ship Harbor, N.S.: Barque Gamma, for St. Nazairre, France, deals, value $61,000, by Alfred Dickie. Barque Freenad, for Menia Bridge, Wales, deals, value $3,800, by Alfred Dickie.

From Parrsboro, N. S.: June 7, str. Farnham, for Manchester, Eng., 2,849,332 ft. deals, 339,276 ft. ends and scantling, value $37,419, by W. M. Mackay.

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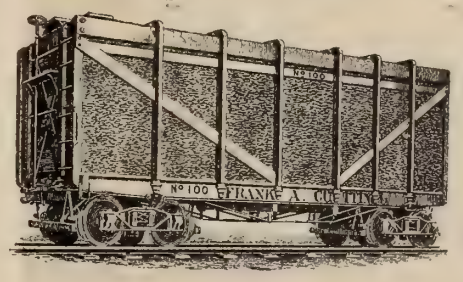

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Upper Ottawa—Riv. du Lievre, N.W. branch 3, and branch 4, 100 miles at $55, McLaren Estate, total $5,500.

Lower Ottawa—Harrington East, River Rouge, 6 miles at $150, Geo. Dansereau, total $900 ; Harrington West, River Rouge, 3¾ miles at $1,780, R. Deschambault, total $4895.

Saint Charles—River Jacques Cartier, N.W. branch 2, 37 miles, at $40, J. P. Lazure, total $1,480 ; River Jacques Cartier, 2 west, 42 miles at $201, J. P. Lazure, total $8,442.

River Jacques Cartier, N.E. branch 1 w., 42 miles at $116, J. P. Lazure, total $4,872.

Lake St. John Centre—Tp. Dequen, range 4, and Tp. Metabetchouan 1, 2½ miles at $51, Metabetchouan Pulp Co., total $127.

Lake St. John N.W.—Range 1 north of Lake St. John, 3, 29 miles at $61, B.A. Scott, total $1,769 ; Range 2 north of L. St. John, 25 miles at $61, Peribona Pulp Co., total $1525 ; Range 3 north of L. St. John, 4, 18 miles at $61, Peribona Pulp Co., total $1,098 ; Range 3, north of L. St. John, 29 miles, at $61, B. A. Scott, total $1,769; Little Riv. Peribonka, 10 miles at $61, B. A. Scott, total $610.

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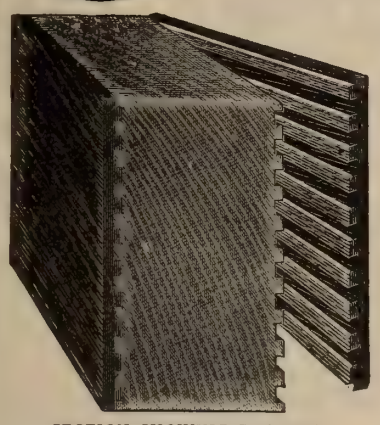

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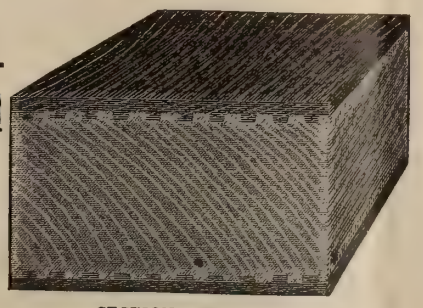

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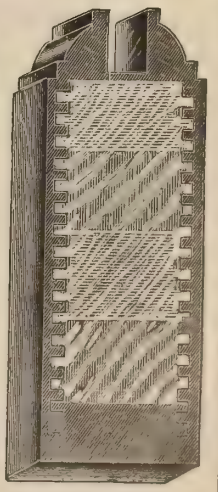

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By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	1
16 " "	22	2
17 " "	26	2
18 " "		3

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$68 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$64 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	64 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	54 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 0
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$76	78	
2½ in.	76	78	
1 to 2 in.	72	74	
4 inch uppers	78	80	
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	
1 to 2 in.	65	70	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	
1 to 2 in.	55	60	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	
No. 2	30	42	
No. 3	32	38	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	
Stained saps	25	30	
Bracket plank	30	35	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow		23	
1x10 inch shippers	20	21	
1x12 inch shippers	$21	$22	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		23	
4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18	
10-in. dressing and better	28	30	
10-in. common	18	19	
12-in. dressing and better	35	37	
Common, 1x12		19	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	28	
1x10	24	25	
1x8	22	23	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25	
1x10	22	23	
1x8	20	21	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	27	30	
" " 2 inch	30	32	
Dressing	26	32	
Common		20	

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 75	No. 2. White Pine	3 25
		Hemlock	2 75

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	$3 25	Spruce $ $3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

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4 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	42 00 45 00
4 in.	67 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	52 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	30 00 32 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	28 00
2 in.	56 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 10 in.	22 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in.	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock	& up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00 22 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard, 6 in.		18 00	20 00	1st & 2d, soft 6in & up,	17 00 19 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market is decidedly firm. While it may be that prices of white pine lumber have reached their height, there are no indications of an early decline, and if the outlook for crops should continue good, there seems little doubt as to the maintenance of present values for some time to come. It would not be strange, however, if temporary weakness should develop during the summer season, to be followed by a strong market during the fall months. The yard dealers of Saginaw and Bay City are still in the market for stock whenever they can find anything which meets their requirements. Evidently they can purchase to advantage on this side of the border even in the face of a two-dollar duty. Log run is held at $17 to $19 at the mills on the Georgian Bay, and mill culls range from $9 to $10. Some inquiries have been received from Great Britain for red pine, the production of which last winter was very light. A revival of the demand for this timber might possibly result in a sharp advance in price. The manufacturers of hardwood lumber are making no concessions in the matter of price, but on the other hand there is a disposition to advance certain grades. The buying of hardwoods by furniture manufacturers and other consumers is quite active, and it would not be surprising to witness higher prices in the near future.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prices of spruce lumber have shown wider fluctuations during the past week than for some time. Recent rains have so far improved driving conditions that there is a good prospect of a sufficient quantity of logs reaching the mills to permit of continuous sawing throughout the season. This, coupled with unfavorable reports as to the markets of the Eastern States, has caused one or two manufacturers to reduce their asking prices on certain lines. One exception to this is clapboards, which are in short supply and firm. There are no signs, however, of a general break in prices, as the largest manufacturers are more inclined to advance quotations than reduce them. Cedar shingles are still selling on the basis of $3.50 for extras, Boston delivery. The strength of waney pine and birch is a feature of the timber market. At Quebec the quotations range from 18 cents per cubic foot for 14-inch average to 30 cents for 18-inch average.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The demand for lumber throughout Manitoba and the Territories is quite insistent. A heavy yield of wheat is promised, and another year of prosperity is looked for. A large quantity of lumber is being consumed in building operations, and manufacturers are finding difficulty in keeping up with their orders. Complaint is heard that British Columbia shingles cannot be had fast enough to supply the demand. Maple flooring has been advanced $2 per thousand at Winnipeg, making the present price $47. Whitewood is also $2 higher at $53. The activity of the lumber and shingle business of British Columbia continues. Railroads are being built in order to increase the available supply of logs. The lumber concerns are working more in harmony with each other than usual.

UNITED STATES.

The strike of the coal miners has had a depressing effect upon the lumber demand in the Eastern States. Retailers are placing orders for small lots only, declining to enter into contract for future requirements until business becomes more settled. A report comes from Philadelphia that prices are a little weak, hemlock, for instance, selling on the basis of $15 to $15.50. Contrary advice is to hand, however, from Buffalo and Tonawanda, where inch cutting-up stock has been advanced to $42, 12-inch No. 1 barn to $30, 10-inch No. 2 to $24, and 12-inch No. 2 to $26. It is said that the demand at these points is more uniform than it usually is. Some of the lower grades, such as No. 3 barn, are decidedly scarce, and it is believed that with the settlement of the coal strike there would be a rush of orders and a con-

tinuation of an active demand until the end of the year. The strength of piece stuff is a feature of the market. Hardwood lumber is doing well. Dry stocks are scarce and advancing. Basswood in particular is scarce. The Buffalo list this week shows a slight advance in the price of maple. It is the opinion of the trade that this lumber should on its merits sell somewhat higher. White pine shingles are a little off on account of weakness in the quotations for red cedar shingles. The demand at the present time is chiefly for 18-inch. Some 32-inch lath has been offered at Buffalo at $2, and it is said that it has been well received.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The business done in Great Britain in wood goods during the past fortnight shows a considerable expansion, and points to the early recovery of that market. The cessation of hostilities in South Africa has been followed by easiness in money, and accounts are being met with greater promptitude than usuul. The trade is disposed to regard the outlook as favorable. The timber requirement for Coronation purposes has made inroads upon the London stocks, which are now generally less than at the corresponding period last year. The stock of red and white pine is a little heavier, but the decrease in the stock of rough boards is 1,314,000 pieces and of prepared boards 4,180,000 pieces. The stock of oak and elm timber is considerably less, but ash is held in larger supply. The Liverpool stock makes a somewhat similar showing, with a decrease in New Brunswick spruce and pine deals, square and waney timber, birch logs and planks and oak timber. Quebec pine deals are in slightly heavier supply, but it is understood that the stock is chiefly low grade. Canadian oak is in brisk request and promises to advance in price. There has also been heavy buying of rock elm, the supply of which has become almost exhausted. The quotations for that timber are 2s 9d to 3s 3d per cubic foot. Quebec birch is held at 1s 6d to 2s and birch planks at 10d to 11d per cubic foot.

Canadian timber is apparently proving satisfactory for paving purposes. The city of Cardiff has used Canadian wood extensively for street paving, and it is learned that the Corporation of Gravesend has accepted a tender for the supply of 7,000 yards of spruce blocks at 11s 4d per yard, including the laying.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Bengor Head sailed from Miramichi, N. B., last week for Belfast, with deals.

About 4,000,000 feet of deals were towed from Gibson to St. John, N. B., last week for shipment to England.

The steamer Whitefield has just sailed from Yarmouth, N. S., for West Hartlepool, England, with a cargo of deals.

Twenty thousand shingles, owned by Nathan Eaton, of Canning, N. S., were carried to sea by a high tide last week.

The ship Rouce arrived at Sydney, Aus., last week from the Hastings mill, Vancouver, with a cargo of 1,251,030 feet of lumber.

The ship J. D. Everett sailed last week from the Hastings mill, Vancouver, B. C., for Cork, Ireland, with a cargo of lumber.

The Standard Lumber Company, of Buffalo, have recently bought a considerable quantity of birch lumber in Ontario.

Up to June 1 of this year receipts of lumber at Buffalo were 41,000,000 feet, compared with 12,000,000 feet for same period last year.

Recent rains have greatly assisted log driving in New Brunswick. All the logs for the Mispec pulp mill at St. John are expected to reach the mill.

R. A. Brown is driving 4,000,000 feet of logs down the north fork of Kettle river, in British Columbia. The logs will be sawn by Lequime & Powers, of Grand Forks.

During a storm on June 10th a raft of 86 cribs of square timber belonging to Munro & Co., of Pembroke, went to pieces at Britannia. Several days were required to put the raft together again.

In the Saginaw valley white pine shingles are quoted at $4.05 for 4 x 18-inch stock, and $3 for clear butts. For 16-inch stock $3.05 and $2.45 are the quotations. Eighteen-inch cedar shingles are selling at $3.90 for XXXX and $2.90 for clear butts.

The Central Lumber Company, of Saginaw, Mich., has just received a raft of 5,000,000 logs from Parry Sound. This is the only raft of Ontario logs that will cross the lake this season, the logs being cut from deeded lands.

By the breaking of a boom at Hanbury's saw mills at Brandon, Man., a large number of logs were swept away. It is reported that it is proposed to intercept the logs at Winnipeg and manufacture them there.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the Canada Lumberman).

The lumber business this month in Ottawa presents a series of contradictions. While some shippers report dullness in trade, others express inability to keep up with the orders. The strikes across the line have had a reflex action on the local market, business with the States of Connecticut, New York and Massachusetts suffering to the greatest extent. However, there's "something doing" in a superlative degree and prospects are such as to keep everyone in good spirits.

A careful scrutiny of the Ottawa market quotations made by a couple of leading operators failed to establish any change. The first of this year's cut in the shape of lath is on the market, and no trouble is experienced placing it in the hands of outside parties looking to Ottawa for their supply. None of the lumber, however, will be ready for some weeks. Continued rains have kept the stock on the piles wet and heavy, whereas with bright, breezy weather it would have been ready for transportation. A shortage is reported in the supply of factory lumber, short ends used principally in the sash and door business. Dealers are averse to paying the rather fancy price asked for this line of stock. The presence of this season's cut of lath has relieved the stringency felt a month ago in this quarter.

The Ottawa Transporation Company's fleet of barges is busily employed moving seasoned stock from the Chaudiere mill yards. It is stated, however, that this branch of the transportation business is not as brisk as it was in former years, owing to the increased attention paid to it by the railways. Through rates are now given from Ottawa to Boston, New York, Quebec and other seaport points, which makes it more advantageous to ship by rail than it was a few years ago. Considerable lumber was also shipped by American barges from Ottawa last week, but owing to the coal strike few of these boats have reached the local port this season.

A well known river man stated yesterday that the drives are a month in advance of those of former years. The continued rains kept the creeks high and made the "running" comparatively easy work. For the past month the Ottawa river below the city has been full of logs of last year's output. This year's cut of logs will soon be replacing them in large numbers. Rivermen are arriving daily by scorces and the Lower town hotels are humming with life.

Last week the W. C. Edwards Company was fined for piling lumber within the area forbidden by the city by-law. The case was taken up on complaint of residents in the neighborhood. The lumber was piled in a railway yard leased for the purpose.

The towering burner at the Booth mill at the Chaudiere has been completed. It is one of the largest in the district, and will be utilized to consume the sawdust, the presence of which in the river created considerable dissatisfaction.

OTTAWA, June 16th, 1902.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue:

From Halifax, N.S.: June 12, str. Damara, for Liverpool, 294,144 ft. deals, value $4,009. Schr. Bolf, for Wales, 254,299 ft. deals, value $2,984. June 13, str. Florence, for London, England, 190,780 ft. deals, value $1,706. June 7, str. Hong Hanken, for Preston, England, 1,725,471 ft. deals, etc., value $20,093.

From Sorel, Que.: Str. Forest Holme, for London, England, 366 standard hundreds pine and spruce deals, value $14,317, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co. Barque Rose Allore, for United States, 137,000 ft. hemlock scantling, value $1374, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co. Barque W.J. Eaton, for United States, 143,000 ft. hemlock scantlings, value $1,573, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co.

From Chatham, N. B.: June 10, Str. Phoenix, for Sharpness, Eng., 1,732,622 ft. deals, etc., by F. E. Neale. June 11, str. Trunkley, for Manchester, England, 22,076,-432 ft. deals, by F. E. Neale; 546 bales pulp, by Estate Maritime Sulphite Fibre Co. June 11, schr. Carrie, for New York, 486,000 laths, by A. F. Bentley.

From Vancouver, B. C.: June 2, str. Dauntless, for United States, 212,000 ft. cedar logs, value $954, by Malloy & Larkin; 155,000 ft. cedar logs, value $697, by F. McRae. June 6, ship Invemay, for Melbourne, Aus., 1,035,866 ft. rough fir, 50,000 pickets, 50,040 laths, value $9,350, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co.

From St. John, N. B. : Str. Trebla, for Liverpool, 2,667,004 ft. deals, 62,565 ft. scantling, 14,063 ft. ends, 256,658 ft. boards, by A. Gibson Railway & Mfg. Co. Schr. Edythe, for Barbadoes, 1,450,000 cedar shingles, 21,000 ft. pine boards, by L. G. Crosby. Barque Ashlow, for Bilboa, 534,040 ft. deals and battens, 20,644 ft. ends. Str. Briardene, for Mersey, 1,511,521 ft. deals, 167,825 ft scantlings, 77,594 ft. ends, 77,186 ft. boards, 17,020 ft. birch planks, 1,333 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay. Str. Hackney, for Barrow, England, 2,931,488 ft. deals, 90,800 ft. scantling, 133,800 ft ends, 200,600 ft. boards, 74,832 ft. birch plank, 11,020 ft. birch ends by W. M. Mackay.

From Montreal: Str. Lake Simcoe, sailed June 2nd, for Liverpool, 8,591 pieces lumber, by Watson & Todd; 4,672 pieces lumber by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 693 bundles lumber by Elder, Dempster & Co.; 1,879 bundles maple strips, 24,400 feet lumber, by C. P. R. Str. Iona, sailed June 5th, for London, 4,648 pieces deals by Charlemagne Lumber Co. Str. Tritonia, sailed June 6th, for Glasgow, 7,430 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 5,236 pieces deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 7,332 pieces deals by Watson & Todd; 165 bundles pulp board by Laurentide Pulp Co.; 4,067 pieces deals by McLaurin Bros. Str. Sarmatian, sailed June 9th, for Glasgow, 1,706 pieces boards, 1,140 bundles lumber, by G. T. R.; 1,611 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 4,195 pieces deals by Robert Cox & Co.; 7,901 pieces deals by Watson & Todd; 1,547 pieces boards by Imperial Lumber Co. Str. Rodney, sailed June 10th, for Rotterdam, 21,630 pieces deals by McArthur Export Co.; 21,971 pieces deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 732 pieces deals by E.H. Lemay; 4,258 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 2,407 pieces deals by Robert Cox & Co. Str. Potomac, sailed June 11th, for Antwerp, 5,767 pieces boards by Watson & Todd.

DOORS AND MOULDINGS.

A large buyer of Canadian white pine doors and mouldings is open to contract with a mill for their entire ontput of No. 3 and 4 qualities of doors and all their mouldings during 1902. Write in first instance to Empire, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

The attention of spruce manufacturers is called to the advertisement in this issue of Mr. C. L. Jones, of London, England, inviting shipments of spruce boards.

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Done in any quantity. We guarantee satisfaction. Write for prices. Address,

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TO THE LUMBER TRADE

Our mill No. 2, erected for the purpose of manufacturing special bill timber, is fast nearing completion. After June 15th we will be in a position to furnish special bills in White Pine, Red Pine or Fir, in any length up to sixty feet. Specialties: White Pine Ship Timber and Decking, Bridge and Car Timber.

Send us your inquiries.

The Cleveland-Sarnia Saw Mills Co., Limited

SARNIA, ONT.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

In their last report, Messrs. Farnworth & Jardine review the Liverpool market as follows:

The arrivals from British North America during the past month have been 18,587 tons register, against 12,605 tons register during the corresponding month last year, and the aggregate tonnage to this date from all places during the years 1900, 1901, and 1902 has been 119,404,117,416, and 137,121 tons respectively.

The business during the past month has on the whole been of a satisfactory character, the deliveries have realized expectation, and values have been well maintained; stocks, with the exception of pitch pine, are within a moderate compass.

CANADIAN WOODS. — Pine Timber — There have been no importations of either waney or square pine during the past month, the consumption has been small, but the stock is very light; values are firm. RED PINE.—There has been little enquiry; stocks are small. OAK has not been imported during the past month; there has been a fair enquiry for 1st class wood, the stock of which is now considerably reduced, and prices are firm. ELM.—Rock elm is in fair demand; the stock of this wood is moderate. ASH is in limited demand, and the stock is sufficient. QUEBEC PINE DEALS have arrived freely, consumption has been satisfactory, but stocks are still too large; values remain practically unchanged. RED PINE DEALS are not in good demand; stocks are sufficient.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA SPRUCE AND PINE DEALS.—The import amounting to 8,870 standards, is considerably in excess of the quantity imported during the corresponding month last year. The deliveries, however, have been satisfactory, and the present stock, amounting to 9,450 standards,is light; values are well maintained. PINE DEALS continue in fair request, stocks are moderate; prices firm.

BIRCH.—Logs have been imported on a moderate scale; the consumption has been satisfactory, and the stock is not excessive; values remain unchanged. PLANKS have been imported more moderately; there has been a good consumption, but the stock is still heavy.

BRITISH COLUMBIAN AND OREGON PINE. —One cargo has arrived containing 71,000 cubic feet; there has been a satisfactory consumption, and stocks are not excessive.

The following table shows the stock on hand May 31st:

	1901.	1902.
	Cubic Feet.	
Quebec Square Pine	62,000	29,000
" Waney "	59,000	24,000
Red Pine	12,000	2,000
Oak, Canadian and American	130,000	66,000
" Plank	153,000	98,000
Elm	30,000	33,000
Birch, Logs	96,000	69,000
" Planks	186,000	165,000
Ash	27,000	50,000
Quebec Pine Deals, Ptg. stg	9,810	10,890
" Spruce "	1,120	1,370
N.B.,N.S., &c., Spruce & Pine Deals	16,500	9,450

Current quotations at Liverpool are as follows:

	Per cubic foot.					
Pine Timber—	£	s.	d	£	s	d
Quebec square wood		1	3 to		2	9
Waney Board do		2	3		3	0
St. John..18 in. average		2	0		2	11
Dalhousie, &c		1	3		1	8
Red pine		1	7		1	10
Oak—1st quality		2	9		3	3
2nd quality		1	6		2	6
Elm		2	9		3	0
Ash		1	5		2	3
Whitewood		1	4		1	10
Birch—St. John		1	5			18
Quebec		1	5			20
Nova Scotia, &c		1	2		1	-
Birch planks			9			1 -
Masts, Calliper Measure,						
Red		1	9		2	0
Yellow		1	9		2	3
Spars, spruce			10		1	0
Deals—Quebec, white pine	per standard					
1st Quality	22	0	0	28	0	0
2nd quality	17	0	0	20	0	0
3rd quality	11	10	0	12	10	0
Deals, spruce—						
St. John, Miramichi, &c	7	7	6	7	12	6
Nova Scotia, &c	7	0	0	7	10	0
Boards, spruce, &c	6	10	0	7	0	0
Oars, ash, per running foot	0	0	3	0	0	5

The planing mill at corner of Sheridan avenue and Dundas street, Toronto, occupied by Rankin & Company, was burned a few days ago.

The steam saw mill of the Parsboro Lumber Company at Notre Dame Junction, N.S., was destroyed by fire last week. The loss is about $5,000.

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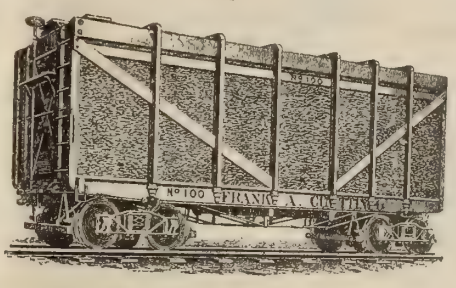

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Harold Kennedy, of Quebec, is reported to have purchased the Atkinson saw mills at St. Raymond and Lake Long, on the line of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway, together with about 190 miles of timber limits.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

The following is the result of a timber sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, on June 5th:

PINE—Ex. Huelva, from Quebec—12-16 ft. 3x12-24in. first quality, £16. Ex. Vera, from Montreal—17-20 ft. 3x11 in. 10 5s. Ex. Ovidia, from Quebec—12-19 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted red, £11; 14-18 ft. 3x11, £10, 15s; 10-18 ft. 3x11, £10 15.

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Fenderson & Company's shingle and rotary mill at Campbellton, N.B., was burned on June 9th. The loss is about $5,000, and it is said there is no insurance.

The assignment is announced of T. H. Buck & Company, retail dealers, of Chelsea, Mass., one of the oldest concerns in the lumber business. A number of firms are interested in the failure. The Sheppard & Morse Lumber Company have been appointed assignees.

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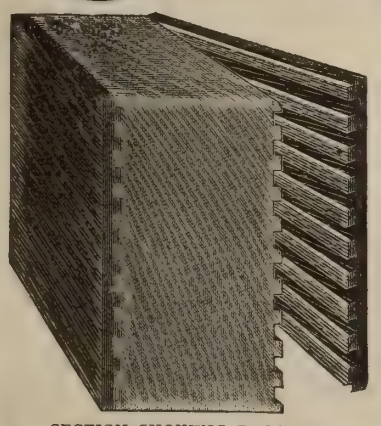

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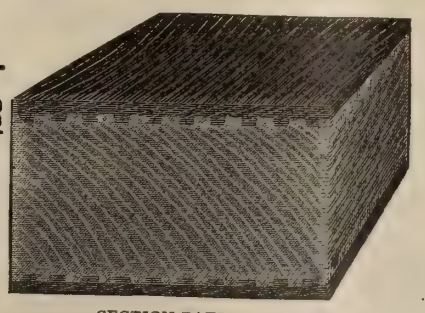

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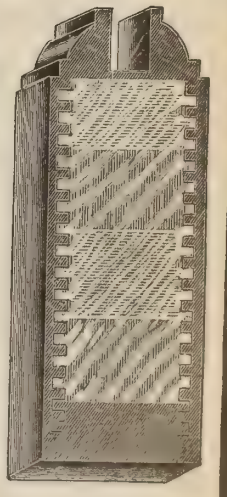

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Western pine is very firm indeed, with the mills demanding still higher prices: Uppers, 1-in., $75 to $80; 2½ and 3 in. $80 to $85; 4-in. $85 to $88; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68; 2-in. $69 to $70; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $60 to $63; 1¼ to 1½ in. $64 to $66; 2-in. $68 to $70; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71; 4-in. $80; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

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Shingles are very firm, with the demand better than anticipated. It looks as though the market might be higher from the fact that manufacturers are full of orders: Extra cedar to arrive, June and July, $3.50 to $3.60; clear, $3; second clear, $2.50; extra No. 1, $1.90 to $2; British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The demand for white pine lumber has been so great as to prevent any accumulation of stock at the mills. Buyers report that it is impossible to place orders for immediate shipment. Manufacturers are asking $18 for log run, which figure is being readily paid by some United States buyers. The mill man has this season been relieved of anxiety as regards the selling of his lumber, as the mills have been visited regularly by dealers anxious to contract for stock. There is on the market a quantity of the coarse grades of Norway pine, but it is anticipated that this will be taken later in the year, when the buying for fall and winter trade is under way. Hardwood prices are stiffening. The cut this year will be unusually light, and it is probable that a scarcity of certain kinds will be encountered in the fall. Large shipments of birch have been made to the Eastern States, for which satisfactory prices were received. Shingles are in brisk demand, although the new production has had a weakening influence on prices. In Toronto XXX white pine, 16-inch, are selling at $3.50, and cedar shingles at $2.75. The scarcity which has prevailed for some time in the supply of the standard sizes of lath has brought 32-inch lath into some prominence. These are now being held by mill men at $1.40 to $1.50, whereas last year the quotation was $1.00.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The volume of the spruce lumber business this season has been quite up to the average, although smaller shipments have been made to Great Britain. The Eastern States are buying quite largely of clap boards. A considerable quantity of lumber has also been exported to South America, and it is expected that the exports of lumber to that conntry will show an increase in future on account of a rearrangement of the lumber duties. The duty on pitch pine has been increased to $11 per thousand, whereas the former duty was 15 per cent. ad valorem, equal to about $4 per thousand. Thus Canadian lumber will have a material preference over pitch pine in the South African market.

Everything points to higher prices for cedar shingles. A few sales are still being made on the basis of $3.50 for extras and $3.00 for clears, Boston delivery, but the largest manufacturers are obtaining $3.60 without difficulty. The mills are behind with orders, and the situation seems to warrant at least $3.60 for extras. The market for white cedar shingles is gradually widening, and they are now looked upon as a strong competitor to the white pine variety.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Continued rains throughout Manitoba and the Territories for the past week have had a depressing effect upon general business. Little damage, however, has been done to crops, and present prospects are for an abundant yield. A general advance of $1 per thousand on white pine lumber has been made, the increase being due to a heavy demand, coupled with excessive cost of logs and labor. Favorable reports continue to be received regarding the lumber industry of British Columbia. The declaration of peace in South Africa is regarded as very favorable to the export trade, and will no doubt result in the resumption of shipments to that country.

UNITED STATES.

It was expected that by midsummer the white pine mills in the Lake Superior district would have accumulated considerable stock. This period is now reached and finds the mills with very little stock that has not already been contracted for. The demand has consumed the production, with the result that prices have been maintained with ease. There is an easier feeling in low grade boards than in anything else, but even these are not expected to decline in the face of the existing demand. The situation in the east is to a large extent dominated by the coal strike, which may extend to the entire coal mining industry of the country. In this event all branches of industry, including lumber, would be at least temporarily influenced. Chicago dealers are receiving quotations of $15 on pine piece stuff at Lake Superior mills, which would make it about $17.50 Chicago delivery. The last sales that have been made of No. 4 boards were effected at $12.50 to $13. Buffalo reports

a scarcity of 10-inch box lumber and barn grades. The spruce market continues firm, with the larger dimensions very strong. It is believed that no lower prices will rule on spruce during the summer. Prices of hemlock have been well maintained on the basis of $16 at New York. In Chicago sales of green hemlock are being made around $11 delivered by water, the dry selling 50 cents higher. Hardwoods are holding their own, with dry birch and basswood scarce and strong. Black ash is also in good demand. Orders are being placed quite freely for lath and shingles. Spruce lath is a little weaker and is selling in the Albany market at $3. At Buffalo there is a tendency to use the 32-inch length, which sells at $2 per thousand.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The outlook for lumber in Great Britain is steadily improving. Prices are higher than they were one year ago, while the Board of Trade returns show that for the five months ending May 31st the import of sawn lumber was about 200,000 loads less than in the corresponding period last year. In view of these conditions, lumber is likely to seek a higher price level before the end of the year. A favorable feature is the information received from Sweden that the log production last winter was over 600,000,000 feet less than during the previous winter. Baltic shippers believe that the turning point has been reached, and in some cases they have withdrawn their stocks from the market. According to the dock returns the consumption in London has been especially lively, the last week under review showing an increase of some 1000 standards of deals, battens and flooring. The c.i.f. market for spruce is distinctly firmer. Of the Quebec timber which has reached Liverpool deliveries have been on a very satisfactory scale, large quantities having been sent direct into consumption ex quay. The demand for lumber for shipment to South Africa has as yet been of small volume, but it is believed that eventually an extensive market will be developed there.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Laura is loading deals at St. John, N.B., for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Magda is loading a cargo of deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom.

Receipts of shingles at Buffalo for the week ending June 14th were 6,462,000, and of lumber only 1,919,000 feet.

J. R. Edger, of the Interior Lumber Company, Pittsburg, Pa., has recently been in the Ottawa district in search of pine lumber and lath.

The council of Fort William, Ont., are this week taking tenders on the supply of one hundred cedar poles, 45 feet long, fifty 40 feet long and fifty 35 feet long.

The timber limits of Alger, Smith & Company, on Pigeon River, west from Lake Superior, will probably be sold to the Pigeon River Lumber Company, of Port Arthur, Ont.

In the Saginaw valley 18-inch white pine shingles are bringing $4 for No. 1 and $3 for No. 2, and 16-inch stocks $3.05 and $2.45. Cedar shingles are held at $3.90 and $2.90 for 18-inch and $2.85 and $2.25 for 16-inch.

Lewis, Miller & Company, of Millerton, Nfld., are prepared to let contracts to log one million to five or ten million feet of pine and spruce per annum on the Red India Lake, Nfld. Contracts will be given for one or several years.

Tenders are invited by the Department of Public Works, at Ottawa, up to July 8th, for the supply of poles for the construction of about 125 miles of telegraph lines in Nova Scotia and Cape Breton. Particulars may be obtained from F. Gelinas, Secretary of the Department.

E. R. Tobin, M.P., of Brompton Falls, and F. M. McCrae, of Sherbrooke, Que., are reported to have purchased the Lotbiniere county lumbering interests of King Bros., Limited, of Quebec. The property comprises about 100 square miles of timber limits and 30 miles of railroad, with equipment. The price is said to have been $250,000.

The following quantities of timber of the past winter's cut have reached Ottawa en route to Quebec: Hurdman & Company, 75 cribs, 90,000 cub. ft; Gillies Bros., 95 cribs, 110,000 cub. ft; Munro Lumber Co., 308 cribs, 390,000 cub. ft. The following will arrive very shortly: Rideau Lumber Co. 90 cribs, 110,000 cub. ft; Hurdman & Co., 125 cribs, 150,000 cub. ft.

The Manchester Timber trade Association furnishes the following particulars of the stocks of timber at Manchester:

Description.		May 1st, 1902.	June 1st, 1902.
Hewn pitchpine	logs,	269	249
Sawn pitchpine	"	10,543	19,341
Quebec Pine	"	194	177
Birch	"	339	398
Pitchpine planks,&c.	stds.	380	438
Birch planks	"	393	738
Spruce deals	"	5,251	7,884
Pine deals	"	444	840
Baltic redwood deals	"	900	692
Baltic whitewood deals	"	53	54
Baltic flooring boards,&c.	"	2,269	2,211

At Buffalo there is some stir in slack cooperage stock on account of the promise of a good apple crop, while the flour barrel trade is better than it usually is. Hoops are scarce and the price promises to be higher before long. Elm staves are stronger. Coiled hoops are quoted at $9.50 to $10.00 for 6-foot and $9 to $9.50 5½-foot. Elm flour barrel staves bring $7.75 to $8 for first-class and $4.25 to $4.50 for second-class. Basswood heading is unchanged at 5½ cents for first-class and 3¾ cents for second-class.

White cedar shingles are selling in Chicago at $2.75 to $2.80 by water and $2.85 to $2.90 by rail. Recent sales of car load lots of lath have been made there at $3 50 for No. 1 mixed delivered.

Alfred Dobell & Co., Liverpool, refer to the market for Canadian woods as follows: The stock of prime waney board and square pine is practically exhausted, and new arrivals will meet a good market. First quality oak continues to diminish, and improved values are current. The stock of prime rock elm is exhausted, and fresh wood is wanted. Arrivals of birch logs have been liberal and the consumption fair. Planks are still excessively stocked, and no improvement in prices can be reported. The market is over-stocked with lower grades of pine deals and boards, but the supply of the best quality is short. Considerable sales of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce deals for forward delivery are reported. The market is firm and stocks moderate, standard sizes being very scarce.

Cerning the Barbadoes market Messrs. S.P. Musson,Son & Company say: "The only arrival to note in lumber is the "Ophelia," from Shelburne, N.S., on the 2nd inst., with 114,000 feet of white pine, which was placed at $26.22 for shipping and about $20.70 for second quality. In spruce no arrival has taken place, but we have sold a cargo on c. i. f. terms, for shipment this month. The conclusion of the war in South Africa may result in the abandonment of work for Boer prisoners, in which case there will, no doubt, be an almost total cessation of demand for all kinds of lumber. The only receipts of shingles are a lot of Laying Cedar, 500,000, by the "Bratsburg," in fulfilment of contract; 12,000 Long Gaspe, which have been sold at $4.95, and 50,000 dimension, which brought $4.55 for 4-inch, $6.75 for 5-inch, $7.75 for 6 and 7-inch, and $8.35 for 8-inch."

About 10,000,000 feet of lumber is being cut in the Georgian Bay district for the Eastern Lumber Company at Tonawanda. The Skillings, Whitney & Barnes Lumber Company have also contracted for a large block to be shipped to their yard at Ogdensburg, N. Y.

BRITISH TIMBER IMPORTS.

The Board of Trade returns show that the imports of timber into the United Kingdom for the first five months of the year were considerably less than during the same period in 1901. The official figures are as follows:

Timber (hewn)	1901 Loads	1902 Loads
Russia	76,908	85,878
Sweden	193,156	167,316
Norway	154,536	135,706
Germany	107,795	78,974
United States	66,951	67,075
British E. Indies	16,854	20,104
Canada	6,740	6,248
Other countries	366,345	404,894
Total	1,019,285	966,225
Timber sawn or split, planed or dressed.		
Russia	150,777	97,955
Sweden	283,446	165,080
Norway	233,380	243,349
United States	228,431	209,884
Canada	168,113	181,063
Other countries	59,224	50,518
Total	1,123,371	947,849
Total of hewn and sawn.	2,142,656	1,914,074
Staves (all sizes)	36,436	35,338
Mahogany (tons)	27,656	26,204
Other sorts	97,646	89,687

The following table shows the decrease in imports of timber for the first five months of 1902, as compared with the similar period in 1901:—

Timber	Decrease loads.
Hewn	53,060
Sawn	175,522
Staves (all sizes)	1,098
Mahogany (tons)	1,452
Other sorts	7,959

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

The following is the result of a timber sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on June 11th:

PINE.—Ex. Scottish King, from Montreal—14-18 ft. 3 x 11 in. red, £18 15s per std. Ex. Everingham, from Miramichi, N. B.—11 ft. 3x11 in. third quality, £8 10s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Riplingham, from Chatham, N.B.—15-16 ft. 2½x7 in. unassorted, £7 5s. Ex. Annie M. Smull, from Rimouski, Que.—6-16 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, £11 10s; 7-16 ft. 3x9, £11 5s; 14-16 ft. 3x7, £11. Ex. Evangeline, from St. John, N. B.—19-23 ft. 3x7 in. first, second and third quality, £7 5s. Ex. Anna Camp, from Quebec—10-19 ft. 2x9 in. unassorted, £8 15s; 10-20 ft. 2x8, £8 10s; 10-22 ft. 2x6, £6 15s; 6-8 ft. 2x4-9, £6. Ex. Simonside, from Quebec—1014 ft. 2x6 in. third quality, £6 10s and £6 15s; 11-14 ft. 2x5, £6 5s; 10-13 ft. 2x5, £6 5s. Ex. Courant, from Pentecost, 12 ft. 2x6 in. unassorted, £7. Ex. Coringa, from Quebec, 12-14 ft. 3x9 in. fourth quality, £9 5s; 10-14 ft. 3x7, £7 5s and £7 10s. Ex. Nyanga, from Quebec—10-13 ft. 3x10 in. third quality, £9 5s; 10-16 ft. 3x6, £7 and £7 5s; 10-16 ft. 3x5, £6 10s. Ex. Yoruba,from Quebec—13 ft. 3x9 in. fourth quality, £9 and £9 5s. Ex. Iberian, from Quebec, 10-16 ft. 2x4 in. unassorted, £6 15s; 7-16 ft. 2x4, £7.

BIRCH.—6-18 ft. 3x13-16 in., 9d per cub. ft.; 3-18 ft. 3x12, 8½d.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following cargoes of lumber were shipped from British Columbia to foreign countries during the five months ending May 31st, 1902:

From	For	Cargo—Ft.
Chemainus	South Africa	1,300,011
Chemainus	Melbourne	1,137,861
Hastings	China and Japan	142,516
Hastings	Yokohama	25,404
Hastings	Shanghai	653,509
Hastings	Wilmington, Del.	875,843
Hastings	Ostend, Belgium	956,449
Chemainus	Sydney	1,166,082
Hastings	Sydney	1,251,030
Hastings	Freemantle	595,669
Hastings	Iquiqui	879,020
Hastings	Sydney	1,087,562
Hastings	Taku	1,380,414
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,378,381
Hastings	U.K	1,080,573
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	1,090,233
Chemainus	South Africa	1,665,061
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,508,402
Chemainus	Sydney	731,419
Chemainus	Sydney	849,427

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	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine	457,074	278,537	1,1 6,417
White pine	165,312	58,153	199,854
Red pine	6,926	361	41,565
Oak	210,181	179,421	169,529
Elm	330,458	321,412	359,465
Ash	55,749	77,923	33,858
Basswood		332	
Butternut	92	462	
Tamarac		22	
Birch and Maple	284,065	285,322	83,898

WHITE PINE IN LAKE SUPERIOR DISTRICT.

Reviewing the lumber situation on the upper lakes the Mississippi Valley Lumberman says:

"The past week has seen an increase in the demand for white pine lumber and if the succeeding weeks show like gains a substantial volume of business will characterize the July market. All the manufacturers report that the number of inquiries has grown greatly, doubtless caused by the curtailed stocks in retail hands and the knowledge that lumber is becoming more plentiful on this market. The present demand is of normal proportions, but a shortage in many items prevents its total volume being shown in the local shipments. Crop conditions in the country are most promising and visiting retailers on this market in most cases predict a large trade. The last government summary of crop conditions states that corn has made rapid growth and in most sections a good crop is promised. Winter wheat has made generally favorable progress. Spring wheat has been damaged in flooded valleys of Iowa, but in the dry portions of the state and through the rest of the wheat region, is in excellent shape. The oat crop has advanced favorably and with the exception of a few localities, promises good returns.

"With the current normal demand and the excellent prospects for a large trade the remainder of the year, added to the short stocks, it is not surprising that white pine prices should remain firm with no prospects for a decline soon. Not even rumors of concessions have been heard of, which in itself would indicate great strength. Buyers admit the situation could hardly be stronger and are more concerned in getting orders filled than in prices. The higher grades, as finish, siding, etc., are in small supply, as are also long dimension."

THE BOSTON MARKET.

For schedules the spruce lumber market at Boston is all right. The big mills have a good many orders, and continue to take orders at quotations. Spruce sidings, planed one side, are scarce and very firm. But small randoms are easy, and have to be sold low. It is known that the high prices of spruce have induced manufacturers to saw small pulp logs into lumber, and such lumber is easy; in fact, dull and easy on all small randoms: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, $20 to $22; 9-inch and under, $19 to $20; 10 and 12 inch, random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $16.50 to $18; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $19 to $20; out spruce boards, $13.50 to $14; bundle furring, $17 to $18.

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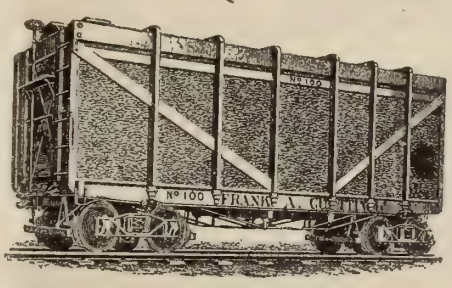
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White pine is very firm, with a good demand. Still stronger reports come from the west. Dealers say that the supply is growing less very rapidly: Uppers, 1-in., $75 to $80; 2½ and 3 in. $80 to $85; 4-in. $85 to $88; selects, 1 to 1½ in. $68; 2-in. $69 to $70; 2½ to 3 in. $74 to $76; 4-in. $79 to $80; fine common, 1-in. $60 to $63; 1¼ to 1½ in. $64 to $66; 2-in. $68 to $70; 2½ and 3 in. $69 to $71; 4-in. $80; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $27 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is in very good demand, with the market strong: Quartered oak, $64 to $66; plain oak, $41 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; whitewood, $42 to $43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Shingles are firm for the present at least, with lots of orders not yet caught up with. Considerable losses of shingle logs are reported, on the recent high water: Extra cedar, $3.50 to $3.60; clear, $3 to $3.10; second clear, $2.50; extra No. 1, $1.90 to $2; Washington and British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $3.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50; California redwood, $3.70 to $3.75.

Clapboards continue in very small supply and remarkably firm: Clear, $36 to $38; second clear, $33 to $35; extra No. 1, $24 to $26; California redwood clear, $42.50 to $45; second grade, $40 to $42.

Laths are about steady at $3.15 to $3.20 for 1⅝-inch; 1½-inch $2.95.

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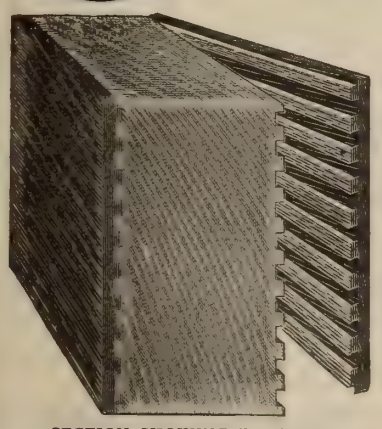

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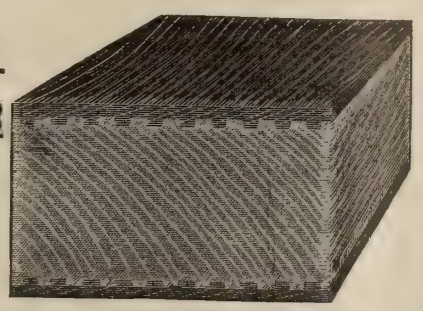

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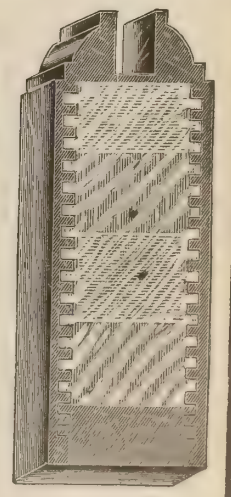

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From Vancouver, B.C.: June 10, ship J. D. Everett, for England, 1,413,560 ft. rough fir, value $24,225, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Tug Dauntless, for United States, 350,000 feet cedar logs, value $2,100, by J.S. Emerson.

From Hillsboro, N. B.: June 12, barque Enterprise, for Preston, England, 550,388 ft. spruce deals, value $6,000, 35,536 ft. scantling, value $300, 16,700 ft. deal ends, value $150, 15,389 ft. spruce boards, value $120, by John L. Peck.

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1 inch clear and picks	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.		16 00
2x10 common		17 00
2x12 common		17 50
3x10 common		17 00
3x12 common		17 50
1x10 and 12 common.	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch siding mill run	16 50	17 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	16 50	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 50	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		18 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		19 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 50
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toro to		12 50

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Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$26 00	$28 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2	20 00	22 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	17 00	18 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	20 00	22 00
Elm rock, mill run 1¼"	23 00	25 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 18 00	19 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4 20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 60 00	65 00
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OTTAWA, ONT.

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1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	21 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles: XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	1
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	68 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	64 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	65 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	52 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	54 00	4 in.	65 00
2in.	54 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 65	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$76	78	1x12 inch shippers	$	$22
2½ in.	78	80	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		23
1 to 2 in.	73	7	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	78	80	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in.	65	70	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	55	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	28
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	1x10	24	25
No. 2	30	42	1x8	22	23
No. 3	32	38	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	1x10	22	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	27	30
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	30	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21			

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	$3 25	Spruce	$	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 00	1¼x10 and 12	35
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 50
4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00
4 in.	67 00		4 00
Fine common, 1 in.	54 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 0
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
2 in	56 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 10 in.	2 00
4 in	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 0
			Com. & good culls	12 0	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

July and August are usually quiet months in the lumber business. Consumers have by that time supplied their nearby requirements, and dealers are content to relax their efforts to sell lumber and prepare for fall trade. Consequently it is often a period of temporary weakness in prices. It remains to be seen what the coming two months will bring forth. If prices are to recede, there should be some indications at the present time of such a movement. But, on the contrary, everything points towards higher prices. Our Toronto price list this week shows an advance of about one dollar on common, mill run and flooring. This is owing to the fact that no old stock is now coming in and the value of the new cut has been advanced by the heavy buying that has taken place.

The condition of the crops in Ontario is good and should do much towards maintaining the degree of general prosperity now prevailing, in which case lumber will continue to be in active demand.

Hardwood lumber is showing exceptional strength. The light production this season is apparently recognized by buyers, who are in almost every case meeting the manufacturer's price. Basswood is a very scarce article, and any manufacturer having a quantity which he desires to market should make the fact known. Dealers are meeting great difficulty in finding a supply to fill orders. In Toronto 1½ and 2 inch basswood has sold as high as $26 per thousand. White ash is also wanted at higher prices, and elm is in good enquiry.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market is gradually strengthening. Clapboards have been bought up as fast as manufactured, and if the demand continues there will be very little stock available for the late fall and winter trade and a further appreciation in price may take place. Manufacturers report numerous inquiries for British deals, which bring about $14 per thousand alongside vessel for a cargo of about 50 per cent. 7 and 8-inch, 15 per cent. 11-inch, and balance 9-inch x 3-inch. SouthAmerican lumber is worth $14.50 per thousand with 15 per cent. 12-inch and 50 per cent. 6-inch. Some sales of deals for shipment to France have been made recently. Nova Scotia spruce scantlings and boards are finding a ready market at $8 to $9. It is estimated that the production in Nova Scotia is sold up to September, and as the mills usually cease operations about October 1st, there will be very little stock to be carried over the winter by manufacturers. The tendency of prices is higher, owing to the greater cost of production, but it is probable that they will remain at about the present level, as a further advance of any account might curtail the demand. Spruce prices are now higher than pitch pine at points of production. Cedar shingle prices have not weakened in the least. Extras are being being sold at $3.50 to $3.60, clears at $3 to $3.10, and second clears and saps at $2.40 to $2.50, Boston delivery.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The outlook for crops in the North-West could scarcely be better. The wet weather of a fortnight ago has given place to favorable harvesting weather, and busi-

ness generally has improved in response to better conditions. There is much building in progress and lumber is going into consumption actively. Several advances in prices have been made. Under the new white pine list, first common pine boards are quoted at $25 for 12-inch and $24 for 8 and 10-inch, while the corresponding prices for second grade are $20 and $19. There has also been an advance of $1 per thousand in the wholesale price of British Columbia fir lumber, and of $2 per thousand in the price of cedar. The higher price of British Columbia cedar shingles which went into effect two months ago have been maintained without difficulty. The movement is quite brisk and the mills are behind with orders.

UNITED STATES.

Farmers are now busily engaged with their crops, and for that reason are not purchasing lumber in any quantity. The consumption for building purposes in the cities is as heavy as ever, the record of building operations for May showing a substantial gain over the corresponding month of the previous year. The movement of lumber, taken as a whole, is entirely satisfactory. The eastern requirement is large, and notwithstanding the labor troubles in the anthracite mining district, a considerable quantity of lumber is finding a market there. A report just received from Pittsburg states that the outlook is for an early advance in the price of lath. Stock is more plentiful in eastern wholesale centres than it has been for months, but there is still a scarcity of some grades owing to the fact that dealers have not yet been able to get their lumber shipped from the mills. At Buffalo and Tonawanda slight advances have been made on some of the better grades within the past week. No. 1 and No. 2 barn in 12-inch has been advanced 50 cents. In Chicago dealers are experiencing greater competition than earlier in the year, in consequence of which prices have been shaded in one or two instances. A cargo of common inch pine, practically No. 2, but with 10 per cent. of No. 1 and 15 per cent. of No. 3, was sold last week from $17.50 to $18. Piece stuff is reasonably firm at $15.50 for short and $17.50 for long. Spruce lumber is strong with the exception of small randoms, the demand for which has been curtailed by the recent strikes in the New England States, which have interfered with the class of building in which they are used.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The lumber market of Great Britain remains steady. The volume of business is not unusnally large, but it is encouraging to learn that Canadian spruce and pine lumber has held stronger than almost any other class. Cargoes of spruce have been sold at £7 10s to £7 12s 6d c. i. f. Liverpool for New Brunswick stock. The former price is for inferior specifications and the latter for the usual proportion of 10 per cent. 3 x 11. At recent auction sales high prices were obtained for spruce, third quality bringing £9 10s and fourth quality £9. What effect the postponement of the Coronation celebration will have upon the lumber market is yet unknown, but it has involved considerable loss to persons who had invested heavily in undertakings of various kinds.

Accurate figures have been compiled showing the reduction in the log production in Sweden last winter. The total number of logs taken cut by one hunured of the leading firms was 18,930,430, as compared with 31,735,503 in the previous winter. This is a reduction of about 40 per cent., which, taken in conjunction with the lessened quantity of lumber for export from Canada to Great Britain, should cause an all-round advance in prices. The fact that freight rates are so low is an indication that there is no great quantity of lumber awaiting shipment. A steamer has been chartered at 30s from St. John, N. B., to Liverpool, which is about the lowest rate on record.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Extra cedar shingles are selling at $2.80 delivered in Chicago.

Owing to the water rising at St. Francis, N.B., a number of cedar logs were carried away.

The Newville Lumber Company, of Parrsboro, N.S., shipped 171,381 feet of scantling to Vineyard Haven last week by the steamer St. Bernard.

The steamer Mechamician sailed from St. John, N. B., last week for Liverpool with 1,500 standards of deals and a quantity of box shooks and pulp.

All the logs cut on the St. John river and its tributaries are now believed to be in safe quarters except 3,000,000 feet for Stetson, Cutler and Company.

It is reported that the Cook-Lummis Company have sold their cut, estimated at over 25,000,000 feet,to Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company, of Saginaw.

The steamer Inishowen Head sailed from Montreal last Saturday for Davenport and Plymouth, England, with a cargo of timber and deals for the Imperial Government.

Eddy Bros. & Company, of Blind River, Ont., are reported to have sold the Norway lumber in their stock to Walworth & Neville, of Bay City. It is estimated at 4,000,000 feet.

The Tobique Manufacturing Company, of Plaster Rock, N.B., have shipped in the past two weeks fifty cars of lumber. Their cut this season will be about 5,000,000 of spruce and 25,000,000 shingles.

McArthur Bros. & Company, of Little Current, Ont., are operating their mill day and night, cutting their own stock and about 2,000,000 feet for the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago. The mill will cut about 30,000,000 feet this season.

L. H. Swan & Company, of North Tonawanda, have bought the balance of the stock, 750,000 feet of white pine, which was purchased by Montgomery Bros., of Buffalo,from the Clark-Swan-Jackson Company. Swan & Company have also bought the remainder of Shepherd & Morse's stock of white pine, nearly 1,000,000 feet.

N. N. Wright & Company have been cutting 5,000,000 feet of logs at Cutler, Ont., for Frank Perry, the stock being sold to E. B. Foss & Company, of Bay City. About 5,000,000 feet will be cut for Pitts & Company, which has been purchased by Prescott & Company, of Cleveland. The Spanish River Lumber Company's mill will cut 16,000,000 feet for Foss & Company, of Bay City.

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VANCOUVER, B.C., June 23, 1902.

Editor CANADA LUMBERMAN:

DEAR SIR,—I notice in your weekly issue of June 4th, that a correspondent who signs himself as "One Interested" takes objection to my letter in your monthly edition of June in relation to the price of B.C. shingles in Ontario. Your correspondent is quite correct in stating that the prices were advanced 15 cents a thousand about April 1st. Now, while this statement is quite right in this respect, at the same time it is a fact, which I have no doubt all the manufacturers in B.C. very much regret, that practically all the shingles which have been sold so far in Ontario this year have gone on the market at last year's prices, and I have very grave doubts if more than a few car loads have been sold at the advanced price. The simple reason of this is that about all the mills had contracted their shingles before the advance at the old price. This is, of course, unfortunate for the manufacturers, but it is nevertheless true.

Yours truly,

S. H.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN).

The June activity in the local lumber market was fairly well pronounced. The railway report a good movement of lumber to Montreal for export, and consignments for points in the States are numerous. While the mining and other industrial strikes across the line had a depressing effect on the lumber trade with the New England States, the demand from other States comprising new territory is quite strong.

Generally speaking, the business can be said to have a buoyant tone. The voice of the chronic kicker is heard in the land, but the majority of the mill men and operators speak well of the present and hopefully of the future. While prices have not advanced they have not declined, and it would appear as if they had reached a limit. Be this as it may, the trade does not seem to fear an early decline. Inquiries for good stock continue to roll in with every mail and there will be "doings" when the present season's cut is ready for shipment.

Mr. George H. Fowler, Lumber Agent of the C.P.R., reports a brisk movement of telephone and telegraph poles,a movement in advance of that of previous years. From points on the Pontiac and Gatineau branches and Buckingham, Araprior and Ottawa the "long fellows" are being shipped in large numbers.

Other stock that is moving freely from points in the vicinity of Ottawa is wood pulp and lath. The wood pulp is bound for mills in New York State. The lath is consigned to points in Pennsylvania and Ohio. While this year's cut of lath is being handled in large quantities, shippers are still busy with last year's cut. There is a brisk movement of lath from Rockland. The Interior Lumber Company, of Pittsburg, Pa., last fall closed a deal with the W. C. Edwards Company for two millions and a half of lath cut at the Rockland mill. This stock is being shipped now. J. R. Wheeler, a lumber operator of the same American city, closed a big deal with the Hawkesbury Lumber Company for a large stock of lath, which is now being shipped from the Hawkesbury yards.

"Everything is moving along O.K., there's no chance for a break in prices." This parting shot from a well known operator sums up the situation.

The tributaries of the Ottawa are full of logs these days, and the main stream has received several of the drives. A large quantity of pulp wood is in sight ready for the saws. The Rouge river, which enters the Ottawa on the Quebec side at Calumet village, is literally floored with logs and pulpwood. The logs belong to Mr. George H. Perley, who operates a large mill night and day at Calumet. This mill was formerly operated by the Ottawa Lumber Company. Last winter Mr. Perley overhauled it and fitted it up anew. The pulp wood on the Rouge river belongs to the Riordan Paper Company, of Hawkesbury. Mr. Thos. Mackey, M.P., who was in the city this week, reports the mills in and about Pembroke doing a rushing business. Steady rains have brought along the drives which were in the early part of the season accepted as abandoned for this year at least. The same report applies to the Coulonge, Gatineau and Black rivers.

Mr. W. A. Sheriff, slide master at Chats Rapids, states that fully two-thirds of the present season's cut of square timber has passed down the Ottawa river en route to Quebec. He figures that fully 590,000 cubic feet of square timber has passed down in cribs, with 250,000 feet to follow, making 840,000 feet to traverse the water route this summer. So far 478 cribs have been moved.

This year's movement of square timber has been the best and largest in recent years. The timber taken out by Mr. Hurdman is, according to knowing ones, of the first quality. Much of the timber is being handled by Dobell, Beckett & Company for export to England. It is there used largely in pattern making.

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The St. Anthony Lumber Company, operating at Whitney, on the Western or Parry Sound division of the Canada Atlantic Railway, is building a branch railroad 15 miles in length. It will run from Opeongo to Whitney and will be used for the purpose of conveying logs from the company's limits to the mill. The Canada Atlantic Railway Company is building 25 flat cars at its car shops in Ottawa for use on the new road. This is the second distinctive lumber road on the western division, Mr. J. R. Booth having one extending from Madawaska to his limits. He is thus able to convey logs during the winter season and the St. Anthony Lumber Company will likely follow suit.

A few days ago 111 cribs of timber belonging to Munro & McCool, of Pembroke, and valued at $150,000, were seized at a small village on the St. Lawrence river near Quebec City. The seizure was made at the instance of four river men who claimed they were dismissed at Ottawa while a balance of $85 was due them. As the firm was anxious to rush the timber to Quebec the costs of the seizure and the back bill of wages were paid and the release of the lumber thus secured.

OTTAWA, June 28th, 1902.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Shediac, N.B.: Barque Adele, for Garston Dock, England, deals, etc., value $6,389 48, by E. J. Smith. June 23, barque Olivia, for Birkenhead, Eng., deals, etc., value $3,900, by J. L. Black & Sons.

From Chatham, N. B.: June 18, str. Falco, for Dublin, 1,773,768 ft. deals and ends, by F. E. Neale. June 19, str. Ester, for Liverpool, 2,841,165 ft. deals, etc., by F. Dyke. June 21, str. Morwa, for Fleetwood, England, 878,000 ft. deals, etc., by J. B. Snowball Co; 398,520 ft. deals, by F. E. Neale. June 23, str. Semantha, for Kinsale, 2,877,000 ft. deals, etc., by J. B. Snowball Co.

From Sackville, N.B.: June 13, barque Dagney, for Garston, Eng., 386,633 ft. deals and battens, 23,339 ft. ends, 124,037 ft. scantling, 14,136 ft. boards, value $5,075, by P. G. Mahoney. June 17, barque Aurora, for Manchester, 383,047 ft. deals, 166,485 ft. scantling, 25,564 ft. ends, value $6,082, by George McKean. June 13, barque Falkvang, for Fleetwood, 379,823 ft. deals, 24,599 ft. ends, 159,371 ft. scantling, value $5,215, by M. Wood & Sons. June 25, barque Bergslein, for London, Eng., 677,790 ft. deals, 19,037 ft. ends, 180,169 ft. scantling, value $7,883, by George McKean.

From Halifax, N. S.: June 14, str. Dahome, for Barbadoes, 20,475 ft. lumber, value $300. June 18, Barque Aquila, for Wales, 39,485 ft. lumber, value $4,344, June 23, barque Salamanca, for Wales, 968,048 ft. deals, etc., value $9,797. June 16, Regina, B., for St. Pierre, 71,032 ft. lumber, value $774. June 16, str. Siberian, for Liverpool, 180,016 ft. lumber, value $1,613. June 20, str. Ulunda, for Liverpool, 312,782 ft. lumber, value $3,691. Str. Kinsale, for Sharpness, 2,788,838 ft. deals, etc., value $27,651. June 26, str. Carlylsle City, for London, 3,932 ft. lumber, value $447. Str. Bauta, for British West Indies, 52,151 ft. lumber, value $645. June 27, barque Lydia, for France, 341,647 ft. lumber, value $3,957.

From St. John, N. B: Str. Eretria, for Cape Town, 400 cases doors, by Gilmour & Co., Trenton; 337 bunches sashes, 183 bundles doors, 1,927 bundles frames, by Rathbun Co., Deseronto; 100 cases chair stock, by North American Bent Chair Co., Owen Sound. John C. Gregory, for Wilmington, 188,900 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Lena Maud, for Norwalk, 666,000 laths, by Charles Miller. Schr. Flash, for Scuitate, 1,150,000 laths, by Charles Miller. Schr. Fred H. Gibson, for City Island, 273,007 ft. deals, 166,821 ft. scantling, 58,120 ft. plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

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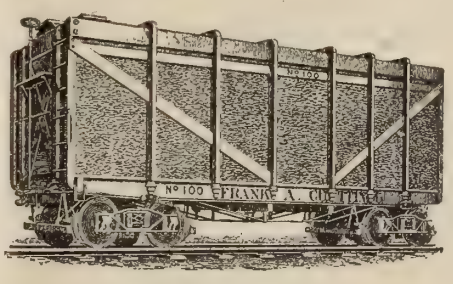

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Upper St. Maurice, limits 1 and 2, 49 and 60 square miles respectively, upset price $100 per mile, sold at $170 to the St. Maurice Lumber Co., total $18,530.

Upper St. Maurice, limits 3 and 4, 46 and 31 square miles respectively, upset price $100 per mile, sold at $101 to the St. Maurice Lumber Co., total $7,474.

Saguenay district, Mistassini and Sheldrake and St. Nicholas West, 32 3-4 and 25 1-2 miles respectively, upset price $110 a miles, sold to Lorenzo Evans at $113, total $6,582.

Escoumains No. 5 and Sault au Mouton No. 3, 50 and 49 square miles respectively, upset price $30 per mile, sold to the Saguenay Lumber Co. at $31, total $4,069.

Gaspe West, River Magdalen, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 north, 1, 2 and 3 south, Riviere a Pierre and Claude, a total of 461 square miles, upset price $150 a mile, sold to Chas. W. Mullin, of Bangor, Me. for $165 total $76,065.

Saguenay river, Manicougan 3 and 4, 51 square miles, upset price $100 per mile, sold to E. T. Burrows, of Portland, Me., at $101, total $5,151.

Bonaventure West, Little Cascapedia 1 and 2, 42 miles, upset price $40, sold to W. C. Edwards at $41, total $1,763.

St. Charlet river, Jacques Cartier 2 west, 2 east, N. E. branch 1 east and 2 east, 161 miles; upset price $50, sold to Wm. Power at $51, total $8,211.

Lake St. John, northwest range 1 and 2 north of Lake St. John and River Mistassini, a total of 62½ miles, upset price, $50, sold to B. A. Scott for $51, total $3,187.50.

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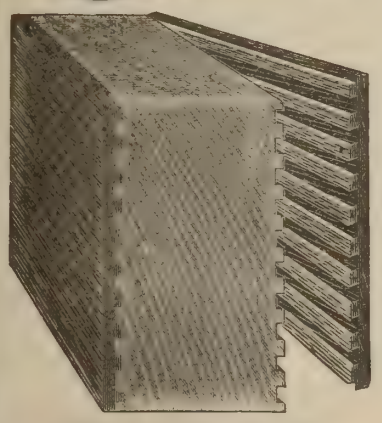

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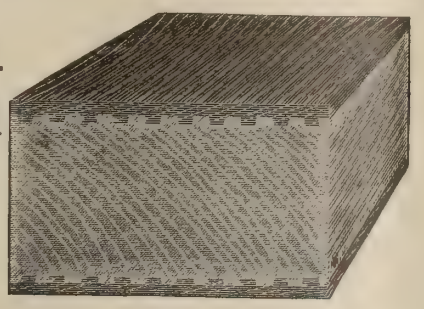

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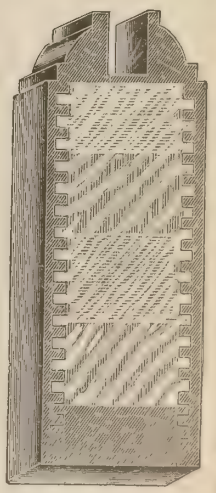

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Hardwood lumber continues in good demand, with the position firm: Quartered oak, $64 to $66; plain oak, $41 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; whitewood, $42 to $43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

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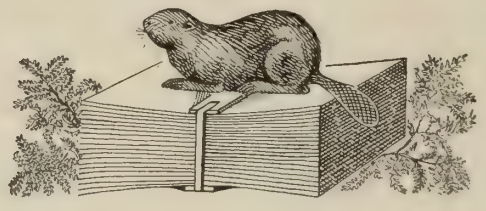

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2in.	54 00		

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1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 0
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 65	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 7

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$76	78	1x12 inch shippers	$	$22
2½ in.	78	80	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		23
1 to 2 in.	73		4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	78	80	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in.	65	70	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	55	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	28
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	1x10	24	25
No. 2	30	42	1x8	22	23
No. 3	32	38	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	45	50	1x10	22	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	27	30
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	30	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow	23		Common		20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21			

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	$3 25	Spruce	$	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
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4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 50
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2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00 45 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 0
Fine common, 1 in.	54 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	24 00
2 in.	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st &2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 0
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Everyone seems well satisfied with present conditions and with the outlook for lumber. The advances recorded last week still represent current prices. While all kinds of lumber are pointing in the direction of strength, box and common have improved more than other grades. For inch box and common from $15 to $16 at the mill is being asked, and for 2 inch wide common, 12 to 16 feet, about $16. Some of the smaller mills are quoting about $1 below these figures, but as their grading is usually not as good as in the case of the larger mills, this difference is only reasonable. Complaint is still heard that the wholesale dealers' margin of profit is too small. With 10 and 12 inch common bringing $15 to $16 at the mill and selling in Toronto at $18, there seems ground for dissatisfaction. Efforts to advance prices to the consumer so as to leave a fair margin of profit for the dealer have not always met with success. Inch mill run Norway is held at $14 at the mill for the new cut, the thicker sizes running from $14 to $18, the latter for 22 feet stock. Consumers of hardwood lumber are showing a strong disposition to contract for their requirements. The conditions seem favorable for an advance in the price of hardwoods, and this will probably take place in the fall if not before. Best quality pine shingles are selling in Toronto at $3.50, with the demand steady. Inquiries for shingles for shipment to the Eastern States are quite numerous.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The unusual quantity of rain this season has greatly facilitated the floating of timber, and as a result practically all the timber cut on the St. John and its tributaries, estimated at 135,000,000 feet, has been brought in. The mills are therefore assured of ample supply, and are in busy operation. Market conditions continue satisfactory. An order has been received by Mr. Robert Carson of St. Martins, N. B., from Shepard, Farmer & Co. of Boston, for 300 spruce poles, 35 feet long for use as spars in the United States navy. The suitability of Bay of Fundy spruce for this purpose is likely to result in further orders. At Quebec a difficulty has arisen resulting in a strike of the dock laborers. Some of the vessels have put to sea partly loaded. The matter is under consideration by the Quebec Board of Trade. At a meeting of the Board called to discuss the matter, Hon. John Sharples gave expression to the opinion that the export trade in timber and deals from the port of Quebec is drawing to a close.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The outlook for an abundant harvest in the Canadian North-West continues most promising. The danger from too much rain which has marred the prospect for some weeks has now passed away. It is estimated that the production of grain will exceed that of any previous year by at least thirty per cent. bringing the total yield close to 100,000,000 bushels. With such a crop, and the assurance of a good demand at fair prices, commercial conditions in the North-West during the coming year should be of a satisfactory character. With money plentiful it can reasonably be predicted that improvements on an extensive scale involving the consumption of large quantities of lumber, shingles, etc., will be carried out. The bulk of this trade will fall into the hands of the mills in Northern Ontario and British Columbia. In this connection Minneapolis capitalists are said to be organizing a company to erect a number of elevators in the Canadian North-West and to build a large number of houses on the line of the Canadian Northern Railway.

A certain amount of damage by bush fires is reported from British Columbia, but wet weather prevented their continuance. The usual demand for cars for shipment of grain is likely to prove an inconvenience to lumber and shingle manufacturers in the west, and may possibly have an effect upon prices of shingles. A party of lumbermen from Puget Sound are said to have recently travelled over a good portion of British Columbia with the object of securing cedar limits which might be conveniently and profitably turned into lumber. They report, however, that there is little good timber available except inland where the cost of manufacturing and shipping would be high. A test case is to be tried at an early date to determine whether timber on Crown Lands can be exported. An American syndicate is reported to have purchased timber on Government Land with the object of exporting the same to the United States.

At a meeting of the Pacific Coast Manufacturers' Association, of Washington Territory held recently in Tacoma, it was learned that the mills included in the membership of the Association had sufficient orders on hand to keep them running for two months. It was therefore decided to call in the travellers. The Loggers' As-

sociation of Washington Territory, advanced the price of logs fifty cents on the 1st inst.

It is reported from Vancouver that the Loggers' Association of British Columbia propose to test the legality of the Legislation enacted to prevent the export of timber out of the Province. The Association is said have obtained a high legal opinion to the effect that the Government cannot grant a special license to loggers to cut timber and then prevent them selling it where they may choose.

UNITED STATES.

The white pine market continues to rule strong with a large volume of trade doing. Northwestern manufacturers report a difficulty in securing required assortments; in consequence the volume of shipments is being restricted. Eastern buyers have been looking for a reduction in freights, but there is believed to be little prospect of a drop.

A steady demand is reported for doors and mill work, even in localities where dullness is reported in other lines.

The report comes from Alpena of a disposition by some members of the Hemlock Association to advance the price 50 cents per M. as the result of the brisk demand. At Philadelphia prices are somewhat erratic, varying from $15.50 to $17.50 for hemlock boards.

A gradual strengthening is reported of prices of hardwoods, advances having taken place in some of the cheaper varieties. Quartered white oak leads in demand. Maple flooring is a trifle weaker owing to the competition of yellow pine.

Prices of spruce are steady. Boston circulars quote as follows: Ten and 12-inch dimension, $20 to $22; 9-inch and under, $19 to $20; 10 and 12-inch, random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $16.50 to $18; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $13.50 to $14; bundle furring, $17 to $18.

At North Tonawanda there is a brisk demand for lath, of which stocks are very low, especially No. 1 white pine lath which is quoted as high as $4.25. Mixed pine lath are selling at $3.75. Red cedar shingles are plentiful and are reported to be selling in this market at $3.60 for 5 to 2 clears.

The use recently of 9 feet car siding instead of 8 feet as formerly, is said to be proving an obstacle in the way of the continued use of white pine for this purpose, owing to the scarcity of 18 feet stock. Other woods, the manufacturers of which are willing to cut to a greater variety of dimensions are being employed.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The timber trade, in conjunction with all other lines, has to a large extent been at a standstill by reason of public anxiety regarding the life of the King. Timber sales which had been arranged prior to the announcement of His Majesty's condition, were postponed. The recovery of the Sovereign being now assured, the trade may be expected to resume in some degree its normal activity, although conditions are likely to be more or less unsettled until after the Coronation next month. Beyond the demand created by the Coronation the requirements for building woods are small, and deliveries have consequently slackened. While the sales of timber required for street stands, etc., in connection with the Coronation, gave quite a stimulus to trade it is estimated that the demand from this source would not exceed in quantity more than one week's deliveries at London. When it is considered that all of this timber cannot be considered to have gone permanently into consumption, but that a part will find its way back to be resold for other purpoces, the gain after all is not so great as might at first sight appear.

The American Consul at Nottingham reports that there is an almost unlimited demand for material suitable for lace and hosiery boxes. He says the size generally required is 5-8 in. thick by 7 to 8 in. wide, and in lengths from 6 to 20 ft. The lumber should be planed on one side only, and edges grooved and tongued. The lumber used at present, is chiefly North Carolina pine, but white pine and poplar will do equally as well; a little sap or a few knots are not objected to, providing the timber is sound. The report states that the Nottingham case makers cannot afford to give more than £8 10s per standard for 3-4 in. c. i. f. Liverpool or Manchester. Swedish and Russian timber is bought at from £6 10s to £7, and coming into Hull or Grimsby, the inland carriage is only £1 2s per standard.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Mr. Robert Baker states that the Turner Lumber Company, of Midland, Ont., expect to cut 40,000,000 feet this summer.

Mr. J. R. McConnell is operating Messrs. Hale & Murchies' mill near Fredricton, N.B., which until recently was closed down.

Messrs. Welsh Bros., of New Westminster, are rebuilding and fitting up with new machinery the Green shingle mill on the north shore of False Creek on Vancouver Island, which was recently burned.

Mr. R. R. Drysdale is said to have purchased from William Playfair 9 square miles of timber limits, a steam saw mill and a residence in Lanark county. Mr. Drysdale will commence operations in the fall.

The Vancouver Investment Company have applied to the local Government for 500 miners' inches of water to be taken out of the east branch of the Capilano for the purpose of floating timber. The proposal is to flume the timber from the limits to high water.

The first general meeting of the Cushing Box Company, Limited, was held recently at St. John, N. B., when the following officers were elected; W. H. Murray, president; Jos. Alliston, vice-president; Geo. F. Wilson, managing director; Alex. Wilson, secretary-treasurer. The company's mill at Milford gives employment to forty men and is crowded with orders.

Mr. Thomas Southworth, director of forestry for the Ontario government, is in receipt of inquiries from Ontario manufacturers for white ash, of which there appears to be a great scarcity. The wood is largely used by carriage and saddlery manufacturers. Mr. Southworth believes that it would pay Ontario farmers to plant ash trees in their wood lands, as this timber is a fast grower and would become commercially valuable in about ten years.

Messrs. James Levallee, George Chew and W. H. Turrip, of Orillia, have been in Vuncouver recently with the object of purchasing a site and establishing a large shingle and lumber mill in that city. They recently purchased a mill and timber limit at Slocam Lake, together with other timber, and have arranged to increase the capacity of the mill to 100,000 feet daily. In addition to this, as stated, they now propose to establish a large mill at Vancouver.

A Vancouver dispatch states that the Leamy & Kyle saw mill, which was at one time known to be an important industry of that city, has been purchased, by Messrs. Hunter & Fox, of Blaine, Wash., who will at once put it in operation and manufacture red cedar shingles for shipment to eastern points. Messrs. Hunter & Fox had previously imported cedar logs from British Columbia, but ran short of material after the passing of the law prohibiting the export of British Columbia timber.

Concerning the Barbadoes market Messrs. S. P. Musson Son & Co. under date of June 21st say: There has been no arrival of W. Pine; none of the cargoes contracted for having arrived, late prices cannot be maintained for transient arrivals, as the conclusion of peace has stopped all work on the Boer camp, and entirely checked demand. In Spruce—We had the "Mercedese" on the 16th from Belliveau Cove, with 90 m. shipping boards and 30 m. plank, which we placed at $19.40 and $16.40 respectively. For a small lot of Hemlock we had to accept $13; we doubt if next arrival will bring this price, as the crop season is virtually over. In P. Pine, no arrival has taken place—market amply supplied for ordinary requirements. Shingles—no arrival of Long Gaspe. The S.S. "Oruro" brought 2,544 bdls. Laying Cedar Clears, in fulfilment of an order, and we placed a small lot of Split Cypress ex "W. F. Green" at $9.75. Two Cargoes of Cedar Shingles from Paspebiac are shortly due. Shooks, Hoops and Staves—There is as usual at this time of the year nothing to advise. Regarding the same market, Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Co. say: There has been one arrival with Lumber for the fort night. Last sale of White Pine $26.22 for merchantable and $20.65 for second quality, but we hardly think next arrivals will do as well; last sale of spruce at $19.40 for merchantable and $16.40 for second quality. Gaspe Long Cedar Shingles wanted — we value the first arrival of Large @ $4.50 to $5 per M. Cedar Laying, worth $2.00 per M. Spruce Laying, no recent sale worth $1.80 per M. Cypress, last sale, $9.40 per M. 6-in. hearts, $7 for 6-in. Saps, $5 for 5-in. and $5.30 for 6-in. sawn.

THE COOPERAGE MARKET.

The Sutherland, Innes Co., of Chatham, Ont., refer to the cooperage stock market as follows: The market for cooperage material is in a very unsettled condition at the present time. Trade is very quiet in all lines in Canada, and very little stock is being used. There is a great uncertainty yet as to how the apple crop will come out, and very few coopers are yet figuring on apple barrel material. The consequence is that prices will remain depressed, and there is no stock moving except to the United States market. It is almost impossible at the present time to fix market prices on stock. No. 2 staves remain very low, as there is no demand for them and will not be until the apple season starts in. The fact of the matter is, at the present time it is just between seasons, and until the trade brightens up it is impossible to give anything like a reasonable report of the state of the market.

RAILWAY TIMBER WANTED FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Messrs. Pecyke & Co., of Capetown, South Africa, have written to the Secretary of the Toronto Board of Trade, sending specifications of hardwood railway ties and lumber required for the Cape Government railway at Port Elizabeth. There will be no duty on the ties, and probably none on the lumber, although if there is it will have to be added to the tender, which must be in by the 15th of next month.

Any firm tendering will have to get the best rates per steamer and sailing vessel to Port Elizabeth and Cape Town, and Peycke & Co. suggest that the firm should communicate with the Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa, when advantageous terms might be arranged for having them come out by steamer from St. John, N.B. For landing charges the firm tendering would have to figure on seven shillings and sixpence per ton of 40 cubic feet measurement. This would cover the expense either at Cape Town or Port Elizabeth.

If these sleepers could be obtained in Canada, Peycke & Co. consider that there is a field for a very large export business, as hundreds of thousands of them are used, and the demand will keep on increasing. For the information of the firm tendering they say that the last Jarrah wood sleepers the department bought came from Java, and cost about five shillings each, without landing charges. There are 40,000 sleepers required to be delivered into the railway trucks at the jetty, Port Elizabeth, at contractor's risk and expense.

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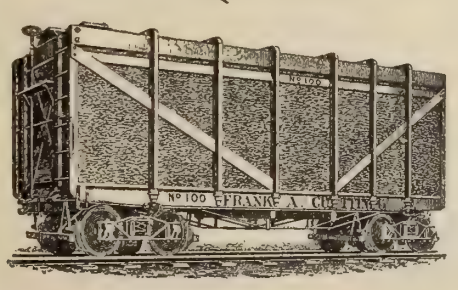

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Another factor and a very important one is the coal strike. In the first place, it has crippled the industries badly in the States, and the demand for Canadian lumber has for the moment, dropped off. Again few if any barges are loading lumber for American ports. The Ottawa Transportation Company has not a single barge on the Ottawa-Oswego route, where in previous seasons they placed quite a large fleet. Coal was the common cargo for American and Canadian barges bound for Ottawa, thus providing business for the round trip. There is now no coal to handle and the barges not being in a

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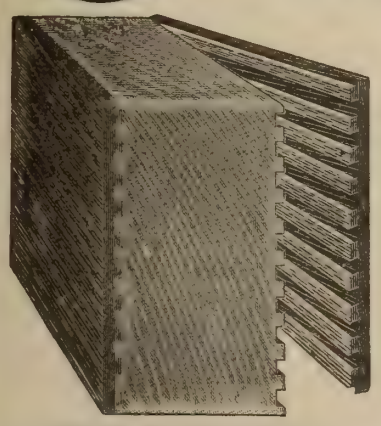

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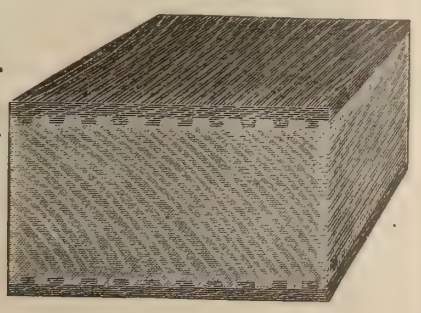

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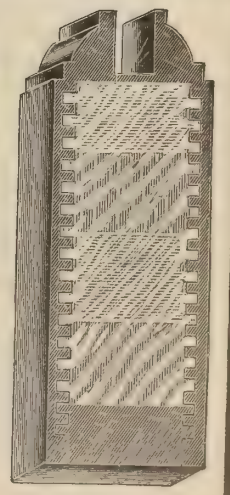

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Local firms will soon be hiring men for the limits, and operations will start thereon in about nine week's time. The constant rains hastened the work on the drives, and the men have had a few extra weeks holidays as a result. From present indications wages and provisions etc., will run about the same as last year.

The Firm of Fraser & Co. contrary to the general rule was unable to get its present season's cut of logs out to the main streams. The rains unpleasantly prevalent around Ottawa, for the past six weeks, did not strike the Upper Coulonge country, where the Fraser firm's logs are all "hung up." This firm will start shortly to cut the logs on hand at the Edwards Mill, Rockland. Next season they will manufacture square timber logs.

The Ottawa export lumber business with South America was dealt a severe blow by the recent imposition of a higher duty by the Government of the Argentine Republic. Not a stick was shipped from the port of Montreal this season where in previous years a brisk shipping was carried on. The Ottawa Valley mills supplied the white pine, while the spruce was secured from Quebec and New Brunswick.

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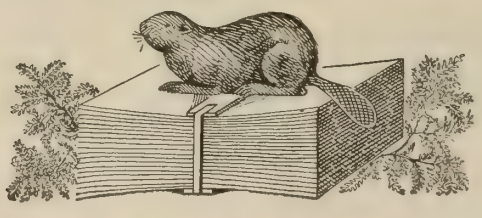

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The steel ship Orient has been fixed to load deals at St. John, N. B., for Melbourne at 60s.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The holiday season has somewhat reduced the volume of lumber transactions during the past week, yet our reports show that more activity prevails than is usual at this period. Prices continue to be firmly maintained, and are practically on the same basis as last reported. Reports from Northern Ontario state that stocks are moving actively in the following order: Better grades white pine, basswood, birch, black ash. Sales have recently been made of mill run, culls out, at $16.50. All reports agree in stating that pine stocks with the exception of mill culls are light. The same is true of hardwood with the exception, perhaps, of maple, for which the demand seems somewhat less active. The prediction is made in some quarters of a rise in the price of the higher grades of pine as well as hemlock. The demand for shingles and lath continues strong. One report sums up the situation thus: "The lumber business is in fair and healthy condition here, and the outlook is that it will remain so for this year's stock."

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The returns of the British Board of Trade show a falling off in imports of square timber from Canada for the first half of the present year to the amount of £32,000 and of sawn wood to the amount of £184,000. The increased home and United States demand is no doubt responsible for this reduction in shipments, which in view of the heavy stocks previously on hand at British ports, has assisted in bringing about the more satisfactory conditions and prices now prevailing on the other side of the Atlantic. New Brunswick manufacturers and shippers of planks would do well to restrict shipments for a time, at least, in view of the fact that there is an oversupply of these goods in the British market, and prices are very unsatisfactory. Negotiations are understood to be in progress looking to an early settlement of the strike of the ship laborers at Quebec.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber and shingle business in British Columbia is at present in a satisfactory condition. The mills are heavily stocked with orders but it is not thought that it will be impossible to fill them although some shipments may be delayed. The prospects for a good crop in Manitoba and the territories, and the large influx of settlers into that country has created an unusual demand for lumber to supply the trade there. This market, which in the past has called for the higher grades of lumber only, has this year placed orders in Coast mills for considerable quantities of the rougher grades which can be shipped at a small profit. Prices on rough grades have been advanced one dollar per thousand and on some of the better grades of fir two dollars and fifty cents, while cedar has risen in price on nearly all grades.

Logs are more plentiful than they have been for months but are firm in price, ranging in price from $5 to $7 at the mill according to quality. If the weather continues fine, large quantities of fir and cedar will be put in the water during the next few months. Foreign trade is brisk and prices are firm.

Owing to the fishing industry being now in operation labor is scarce both for mills and logging camps and good woodsmen are in good demand at from $2.75 to $4.00 per day.

UNITED STATES.

The results of the first half year's operations in the lumber trade are now known and are found to be of such a satisfactory character as to give assurance that the business for the entire year will reach a high standard. The heavy movement of white pine continues and prices remain firm. There is a scarcity of most kinds of hardwoods which accounts for the satisfactory character of prices. Basswood and birch are leaders. There is request for inch and thicker rock elm; white maple, particularly of good thickness, sells readily and is reported to have advanced in price 30 per cent. within the last six months on the Chicago market. Spruce continues in good demand in the eastern States market, with supply moderate. For No. 2 good stock $20.50 to $21 is being paid in New York. Lath is in brisk demand both east and west The closing down of the Pacific Coast mills for two weeks coupled with anticipated improved demand is expected to tone up the market for red cedar shingles. Lake freights are dull but firm, with the prospect of a rise latter on in the season.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The temporary check occasioned to business by the illness of the King has now passed away and the trade has resumed operations. The outlook from the shippers' point of view is decidedly encouraging. Notwithstanding that freights are extremely low deliveries in most lines are considerably under those of last year and much of the timber arriving is going directly into consumption. This is espec-

ially the case at Glasgow. In support of this statement we publish in another column a comparative table showing the stocks on hand at this port at 30th June 1901 and 1902. The belief that considerable quantities of timber will be required for South Africa, seems likely to assist in stiffening values in the British Market. It is stated however, that the demand from South Africa relates principally to the larger sizes of timber for mining and railway purposes. Aside from this it is believed that an advance in prices is probable later in the season, and that there will be a scarcity of deals for the opening of next season. Narrow sizes that have long been unsaleable are now bringing an advance of 10 to 15s. as compared with the prices which ruled early in the season. Importations of Quebec waney and square pine at Liverpool are very light and are mostly upon contract, while the consumption of pine deals and boards has been 1000 standards above the import. Canadian oak and birch logs are in demand. Of plank there is an oversupply. Steadiness marks the trade in hardwoods.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Moore's new steam saw mill at Pleasant Point, St. John, N.B., is being tested and will shortly go into operation.

Winnipeg lumber dealers report difficulty in securing supplies of shingle and lath and prices hold very firm for good stock.

An Order-in-Council of the Ontario Government has fixed at $300 per thousand feet cubic as the trespass penalty on red and white pine square timber and $3 per standard of 200 feet board measure upon saw logs.

J. D. McLean, secretary Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, is inviting tenders until noon of the 16th inst. for the merchantable pine, spruce and other timber on the Indian Reserves Nos. 11 Manitou Rapids and 17 A Rainy Lake, Man.

A Wisconsin Syndicate organized by Col. H. A. Framback, is said to have bought 600,000 acres of spruce lands in Newfoundland and to be about to purchase large holdings in other parts of Canada, the intention being to manufacture paper on a large scale in Newfoundland and at different points in Canada.

Regarding lumber and cooperage stocks Messrs. Gordon, Grant & Co., of Port-of-Spain, W. I., in their trade circular of the 2nd inst., say :— The Britannia is the latest arrival with Pitch Pine, the stock of which is ample for present requirements Supplies of American and Nova Scotian White Pine are reduced and both are saleable to some extent.

Messrs. Alfred Dobell & Co.'s circular, dated Liverpool, the 1st inst., states : "Although the last days of the month have been practically devoted to holiday-making and the usual half-yearly stock-taking, there has been a healthy demand for most descriptions of wood goods. Canadian Woods — Waney Board and Square Pine—The only arrivals are going into consumption from the quays. Values are very firm. Oak continues in good demand and stocks are very light. Elm — The import is going steadily into consumption at full prices. Birch logs—There has been fair consumption at unchanged prices. Planks—The stocks are still too heavy and prices remain very low. Pine Deals and Boards—The higher qualities are in demand, but lower grades are dfficult to sell at the values shippers place upon them. New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Spruce Deals—The arrivals have been moderate and values well maintained with a good consumption."

There was a good attendance at the annual sale at Fredericton, N. B., on the 10th inst., of unmarked and mixed logs, rafted by the Fredericton Boom Company. There was sharp competition and the logs sold at high prices, spruce bringing the record price. The price paid for the spruce is for the merchantable, and battens go at two-thirds that price, and condemned is thrown in free. This sale was for such lumber as had been rafted up to July 8th, and that yet to be rafted is to go to the purchasers at the same rates. The sale this year was one month earlier than last year and was held early for the purpose of giving the purchaser the logs to use and also to get them off the shores and other places where the boom company has them tied up. The sales were: Hemlock, 24,900, purchased by John E. Moore at $4.35; Cedar, 83,400 feet, purchased by T. E. Babbott & Son, at $9.15; Pine, 12,880 feet, bought by T. E. Babbott & Son, at $9.50; Spruce 305,066 feet of merchantable at $13.45; 340,681 feet of battens, at $8.97; and 79,822 feet of condemned.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Montreal : SS. L'Ontario, sailed June 27th for Liverpool, 122 pcs. lumber, by McLaurin Bros.; 17,093 pcs. lumber by Elder Dempster Co.; 1,747 pcs. lumber by R. Cox & Co. SS. Rosarian sailed June 20th for Glasgow, 2,867 pcs. boards and deals, by E. H. Lemay ; 104 pcs. logs, 3,631 pcs. deals by W. & J. Sharples , 7,271 pcs. boards and deals, by Watson & Todd ; 2,344 pcs. deals by R. Cox & Co. SS. Kastalia sailed July 3rd for Glasgow, 17,563 pcs. deals, etc., by J. Burstall & Son; 1,522 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 1,247 pcs. deals,by McLaurin Bros ; 6,132 pcs. deals by R. Cox & Co.; 18,383 pcs. deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 344 pcs. fir lumber by C.P.R. SS. Torrhead sailed July 3rd for Belfast, 2 bdls. staves, 415 pcs. elm lumber, 442 bundles beech squares by C.P.R.; 13,741 pcs. deals and boards, by J. Burstall & Son ; 5,640 pcs. deals and boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 3,011 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. SS. Lycia for Bristol, sailed June 26th, 9,983 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 1,864 pcs. lumber, by R. Cox & Co.; 2,049 pcs. lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co. SS. Milwaukee sailed June 27th for London, 35 pcs. hardwood lumber, by M. & L. Sam'l Benjamin ; 11,826 pcs. lumber by Watson & Todd ; 25,869 pcs. lumber by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 39,040 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 2,610 pcs. lumber by W. & J. Sharples, 7,674 pcs. lumber by J. Burstall & Son, 2,238 doors, by C. P. R. SS. Roman sailed July 5th for Liverpool, 13,789 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by Watson & Todd. SS. Escalona sailed July 6th for Aberdeen, 704 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Son; 1,450 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1,054 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd. SS. Kiedona sailed July 5th for London, 296 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 4,193 pcs deals by McArthur Export Co. SS. Aquila sailed July 5th for Hull, 98,790 pcs. deals, boards and ends, 100 logs lumber by W. and J. Sharples. SS. Dora, sailed July 4th for Bristol, 56,060 pcs. deals, etc., W. and J. Sharples ; SS. Alcides sailed July 9th for Glasgow, 1,601 pcs. deals and boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 3,495 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 1,823 pcs. deals and boards, by J. Burstall & Son; 7,114 pcs. deals by Watson & Todd. SS. Malinhead, sailed July 7th for Dublin, 8,614 pcs. deals and ends, by J. Burstall & Son. SS. Norwegian sailed July 7th for Glasgow, 10,609 pcs. deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples, 357 pcs. deals by E. H. Lemay; 5,110 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 734,518 ft. deals, value $7,434. Str. Manchester Skipper, for France, 2.868,619 ft. lumber, value $32,597. Str. Auroela, for Brow Head, 1,936,800 ft. lumber, value $19,441. Barque Audhild, for Preston, 406,547 ft. lumber, value $4,330.

From Hillsborough, N.B. : July 1, barque W. W. McLaughlin, for Preston, England, 495,772 sup. ft. spruce deals, value $5,453, 38,497 sup. ft. spruce scantling, value $307, 55,411 ft.spruce boards, value $443, 12,734 sup. ft. spruce ends, value $95, by J. Nelson Smith. July 8, barque, Carrie L. Smith, for Preston, 593,945 sup. ft. spruce deals, value $6,533, 28,672 sup. ft. scantling, value $229, 25,402 sup. ft. boards, value $177, 42,316 sup. ft. ends, value $338, by J. Nelson Smith.

From Hopewell Cape, N. B.: July 2, ship Monravia, for River Mersey, spruce and birch deals, value $12,700, by J. Nelson Smith. Schr. H. R. Emerson, for Boston, spruce boards, value $946, by John M. Hicks.

From Vancouver, B.C.: Str. Pentaur, for Germany, 38,284 ft. rough fir, value $766, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Ship Antigua, for Australia, 1,087,994 ft. rough fir, 152,820 laths, value $11,200, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Str. Athenian, for Japan, 2,000 feet dressed fir, value $37, by Vancouver Sash and Door Factory. Str. Amur, for Alaska, 682 ft. dressed fir, value $24, by Columbia Co. Str. Aorangi, for Sydney, 699,750 laths, value $1,642, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Str. Aorangi, for Melbourne, 299,000 laths, value $896, by Victoria Lumber Co, Tug St. Clair, for United States, 539,717 ft. cedar logs, value $3,510, by J. G. Woods.

Among recent deliveries of Canadian timber at Glasgow are the following : The "Concordia," from Montreal, 207 standards for R. Sheriff, Calder, Hendersen & Livingston, and F. A. Lightbody & Co.; the "Arcadian" from Montreal, 240 standards besides several parcels timber, for Cant & Kemp, R. Sheriff, Allison, Cousland & Co., and Edmiston & Mitchells ; and the "Marina" from same port, 600 standards consigned to Calder, Henderson & Livingston.

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Following is the new wholesale list of white pine lumber prices for Winnipeg and the Northwest. The terms applicable to these prices are 60 days or 2 per cent. off for cash in 20 days from date of invoice. These prices are on a delivered basis, but the freight is cash.

TIMBER AND DIMENSION—Timber 4x10 and 12, 6x10 and 12 and 8x8 to 12x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $20 ; 6x6, to 6x8, 4x4 to 4x8 and 3x6 to 3x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $18.50 ; dimension, 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $18 ; 2x10, 2x12, 12, 14and 16 feet long, 18.50 ; 2x4 10 feet long, $19 ; 2x8 to 2x12, 10 feet long $17.50; 2x6 10 feet long, $16.50 ; 2x8, 2x10, 2x12, 6 and 8 feet long, $18.50 ; 2x4 and 2x6, 6 and 8 feet long, $15 ; 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet, spruce, $17 ; 2x10 to 2x12 12, 14 and 16 feet, spruce, $17.50 ; No. 2. dimensions, 12 to 16 feet $1.50 less than No. 1. $1 per M advance on each inch over 12 in. in depth and width. $1 per M advance on each 2 feet over 16 feet.

BOARDS—1st common stock pine, 12 in. $25 ; do., 8 and 10 inch, $24 ; second common stock, 12 inch, 10 to 18 feet, $20 ; do., 8 to 10 in., 10 to 18 feet, $19 ; second common boards, all widths, 10 to 18 feet, $18.50 ; third do., 10 to 18 feet, $17.50 ; fourth do., 10 to 18 feet, 15.50 ; fifth do., 10 to 18 feet, $11.50 ; ½ inch sheathing, S.I.S., 10 to 18 feet, $15.50 ; No. 1. wide box boards, 10 to 18 feet, $28.50 ; No. 2. wide box boards, 10 to 18 feet, $21. $2 per M less for 6 and 8 feet. Re-sawing boards $1 per M extra.

SHIPLAP—8 to 10 in., $19.50; 6 in., $18.50 ; culls 8 to 10 in., $17 ; 6 in., $14. $52 per M less for 8 feet and under.

FLOORING, SIDING AND CEILING—Flooring and siding, 8 and 10 in., $20.50 ; do., 8 and 10 in. culls, $17 ; flooring, siding and ceiling, 4, 5 and 6 in., 1st and 2nd white pine, $35.50 ; do., 3rd white pine,

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FINISHING—1¼, 1½ and 2 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $52; do., 12 in. and wider, $54; do., select white pine, under 12 in. wide $42; do., 12 in. and wider, $44; do., shop, under 12 in. wide, $37; do., shop 12 in. and wider, $39; $5 per M advance on 2½ in and thicker. 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. clear red pine, under 12 in. wide, $34; do., 12 in. and wider, $36; do., select red pine, under 12 in. wide, $29.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $31.50; 1 in. 1st and 2nd clear white pine, under 12 in. $54.50; do., 12 in. and wider $56.50; 1 in. 3rd clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $43.50; do 12 in. and wider, $45.50; 1 in. B select white pine, under 12 in. wide $37; do., 12 in. and wider, $39; 1 in. C select white pine, under 12 in. wide, $32; do., 12 in. and wider $34; 1 in. clear red pine, under 12 inches, wide $34; do., 12 in. and wider $36; 1 in. select red pine, under 12 in. wide, $29; do., 12 in. and wider, $31.

MOULDINGS—Parting strips, per 100 lineal feet, 40c.; windows stops, 50c.; door stops, 75c,; quarter round and cove, 50c.; 4 inch casing, $1.75; 5 in. casing, $2.25; 6 in. casing, $2.65; 8 in. base, $3.50; 10 in. base $4.40. All other mouldings 50 per cent. discount off universal moulding list. Lath, per M, $3.75.

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TIMBER STATEMENT.

Following is a comparative statement for three years of the timber, etc., measured and culled at the port of Quebec up to 15th July, 1902, as reported by the Supervisor of Cullers:

	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine	617,842	655,214	1,293,370
White pine	190,794	241,58	258,295
Red pine	7,233	39,419	4 ,231
Oak	311,425	227,734	397,150
Elm	438,916	540,205	487,272
Ash	69,435	91,649	65,837
Basswood		332	
Butternut	92	642	
Tamarac	71	22	
Birch and Maple	292,551	295,641	86,540

SHIPPING MATTERS.

At Belfast the following deliveries of Canadian wood goods have recently been made: Str. "Ranmore Head" from Quebec, 23 loads hewn wood logs, 300 loads hewn wood fir, and 300 loads sawn fir deals; from Montreal, 8 loads oak staves and headings, 29 loads sawn wood elm planks, 1,234 loads sawn fir deals, and 365 loads sawn wood boards; from Riviere du Loup, 1,775 loads sawn fir deals, for T. Dickson & Sons; "Glen Head," from Miramichi, 2,114 loads sawn fir for P. J. Corry & Sons Co., Ltd.

Recent shipments of Canadian woods at Manchester include: Full cargoes of spruce by the "Farnham," from West Bay, and the "Trunkby," from Miramichi, for Crossfield & Co. From Quebec, the "Birmingham" a large cargo, which, with the exception of about 100 standards of spruce for Geo. Evans & Sons, is to the account of J. H. Holme & Co. The last mentioned firm's lot consists of about 3,000 waney pine logs, about 1,000 birch logs, and 150 standards spruce deals. The "Manchester Commerce," from Montreal has spruce deals for J. & W. Bellhouse and Southern & Nephew; pine deals for J. H. Holme & Co., May & Hassell, Ltd., and Watson & Todd; pine boards for Imperial Lumber Co. and maple flooring for Hollis Bros.

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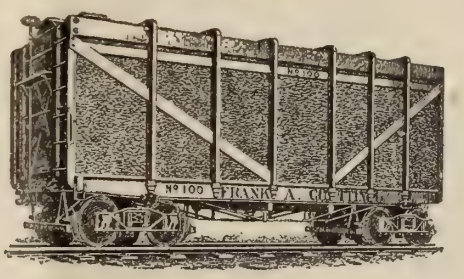

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TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 4th April, 1902, The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A North of England firm inquire for names of Canadian manufacturers of wood chimney pieces, or overmantels.

A Hamburg firm ask to be referred to Canadian wood pulp manufacturers desiring representation on the Continent.

A commission house established for some years in London are open to do business with Canadian exporters of wood pulp, pulp wood, food and dairy products such as cheese, butter, eggs, etc., and fruit pulp.

Messrs. Mitchell & Blair have succeeded to the lumber business of John Mitchell at River John, Nova Scotia.

THE MARKET FOR LUMBER IN JAPAN.

A correspondent of The CANADA LUMBERMAN writing from Japan, promises to send for publication shortly some particulars regarding the lumber trade of that country and the methods of shipping and marketing there. "At this writing," he says, "I have not much time to cover the question of prospects of foreign lumber in Japan, but may say that sales can be effected if the business is entrusted to some one directly in the business who will introduce the lumber in various ways. Advertising alone will not do that in this country so far as my experience goes. Lumber in Japan, is as a rule sold on consignment, and merchants get their lumber which, when sold, rice is sent generally in return—therefore the price of rice affects the quotations on lumber.".

Jas. W. Johnstone has purchased W. F. Puffer's lumber business, at Lacombe, Alberta.

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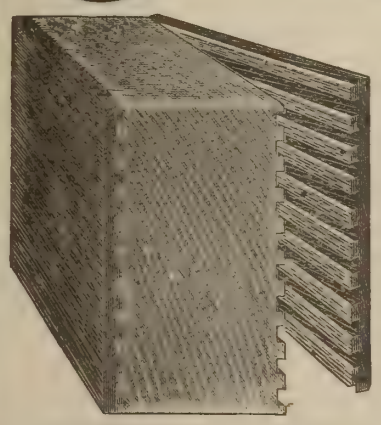

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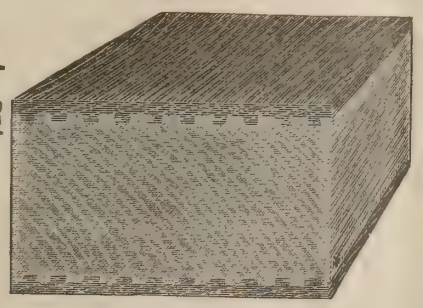

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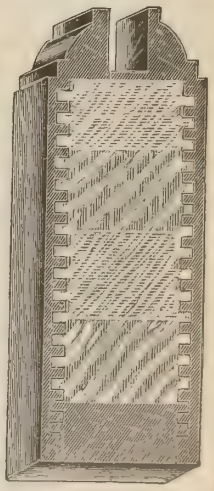

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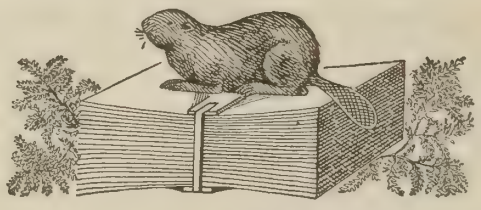

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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼, 1½ and 2 inch picks and uppers	36 00	38 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No. 2 cuts & better	$32 00	$34 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1 inch clear and picks	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	17 00	18 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		19 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		20 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 50
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		12 50

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2	23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	28 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	2 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	12 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles: XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	18
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	2
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. battea

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$69 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$66 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	69 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	66 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	70 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	55 00	4 in.	65 00
2 in.	55 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2 in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$76	78	1x12 inch shippers $	$22
2½ in.	78	80	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	28
1 to 2 in.	73		4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	13
4 inch uppers	78	80	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	18 19
1 to 2 in.	65	70	12-in. dressing and better	35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in.	55	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27 2
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	1x10	24 2
No. 2	30	42	1x8	22 2
No. 3	32	38	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24 25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	45	50	1x10	22 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	28	30	1x8	20 21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	27 30
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	30 32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21		

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 65	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 00	1¼ x 10 and 12	35
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 50
4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00	45 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 0
Fine common, 1 in.	54 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	25 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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BIRCH SQUARES 5" x 5" and 6" x 6", dry or green. Liberal price on one or more cars. E. MURPHY, Hepworth Station, Ont.

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WE HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 FEET DRY PINE in 1, 2 and 3 inch common and better, prefer selling in bulk. Will quote freight rate to Buffalo, Chicago or Toronto on application. Correspondence solicited. N.B.—Would like to correspond with consumers of hardwoods. ST. JOE ISLAND LUMBER CO., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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10,000 Sound Cedar Ties. 250 Cedar Trolley Poles, 30 feet long, 7 inch small end, fairly straight, delivered at Hamilton GEO. E. WALLER, Manager Hamilton, Grimsby & Beamsville Electric Railway Company, Hamilton.

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THE ENTIRE CUT OF 190- OF SEVERAL mills on the Ottawa Valley of all number one white pine mill culls, strips and sidings, 1" to 3" thick, and also other grades. Shipments by water or rail. Write for particulars and quotations to A. F. BURY AUSTIN, Wholesale Lumber & Timber, Room 507 Merchants Bank Bldg., Montreal. Also spruce lumber of all grades.

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600 ACRES OF CHESTNUT, WHITE-WOOD, Hard and Soft Maple, Red and White Oak, Black and White Ash, Basswood, Soft Elm, Beech; a little Hickory, Butternut and Cherry; two railroads running through property; 10M per day mill, 40x100 ft., planer and matcher, shingle machine and other machinery; large dwelling house and house for men; barn and sheds; large bearing orchard; plenty of water; splendid market for wood; best lot of hardwood in this western Ontario; good investment for enterprising man. Bismarck Station, M. C. R., West Lorne, P. O. I. C. SCHLEIHAUF.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Although the dull season is at hand, lumber is moving quite actively. The inquiries that are being received forecast a heavy fall trade, with possibly a stiffening of prices. Dealers are endeavoring to ship as much stock as possible during the summer months so as to lessen the inconvenience which is likely to be experienced by the usual shortage of cars in the fall. No doubt the condition of the crops is doing much to keep up the lumber market. The agricultural community will buy lumber for new buildings and improvements which will be decided upon as a result of the good crops. Practically no stock is accumulating at the mills, and the prospect is that when the sawing season closes the yards will be carrying much less than the usual quantity. Michigan wholesale dealers have recently visited Georgian Bay points, but in most instances have not been successful in finding any quantity of dry stock to meet their requirements. There is an occasional lot of low grade pine for sale. The demand for shingles is such that manufacturers cannot supply their orders.

Among the hardwoods basswood leads in point of demand For mill run, mill culls out, $16.50 at the mill is being asked. Ash follows closely, with a heavy inquiry from local consumers and for shipment to the Eastern States.

Retail trade in Toronto is quite up to the average for the season of the year. A large amount of building is under way, consisting chiefly of the better class of dwellings, for which considerable oak and other finishing lumber is required.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The lumber business of the eastern provinces is quite active. The mills are now assured of an ample supply of logs and will likely continue in operation until late in the season, as the demand is absorbing all the available lumber. For the quarter ending June 30th the shipments of lumber to the United States from the Consular district of St. John were valued at $412,372.38, of which $128,079.57 represented Canadian lumber and $284,292.81 lumber cut from Maine logs. Shipments are being made to Australia, Spain, South America and the West Indies in considerable quantities, not to speak of the usual shipments to Great Britain. Some of the retail yards in the east complain of the difficulty in filling orders for thin lumber owing to the fact that a number of the mills manufacture only 3-inch deals for export. Extra cedar shingles are still selling on the basis of $3.60 for Boston delivery.

It is estimated that of the last winter's cut and what was hung up the year before, about 160,000,000 feet of logs have come safely into the booms on the St. John river.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber trade of the United States has assumed a still better tone. An abundant yield of wheat and corn is now almost assured and a continuance of the present commercial prosperity may be predicted. The effect of the strike of miners has also worn off to a large extent, which has been reflected by increased buying in the east. The sections where white pine and spruce are marketed have shown the greatest improvement. Buffalo, Cleveland and Saginaw all report a good volume of business, with prices firm and tending to advance. The usual midsummer falling off has scarcely been perceptible. There is a strong demand for piece stuff and a scarcity of 12 to 24 foot lengths. In Chicago $15.50 for short stock is freely paid. At Buffalo and Tonawanda certain grades of mill culls, barn and scoots are a little weaker, while other grades of these items are selling at the highest figures ever reached. Dealers there are endeavoring to come out on the right side without having to advance prices, as they fear that such a step would curtail the demand. From a few points a curtailment in the demand for hardwoods is reported, but on the whole confidence in the future of prices is strengthening. Maple in particular is strong. The product of Michigan is controlled by the Michigan Maple Company, and prices have been advanced to $8, $14 and $20, which on the first and seconds is about $5 above the low prices. White ash is none too plentiful, but there is about enough to supply the requirements. Basswood still remains scarce and is much sought for, as is also soft elm. Sales of the latter are reported to have been made in Boston at $20 for log run.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The weather in Great Britain of late has been favorable to outdoor operations and lumber has gone into consumption in satisfactory volume. The tone of the market is strong. The chief enquiry is for good deals, the supply of which is small. Some buyers are making arrangements in anticipation of a further advance

in free-on-board values for 1903 shipments. Owing to the moderate stock of Canadian lumber, the probability of a decline in prices is almost entirely removed. It claimed that floorings and spruce are likely to be advanced within the next two months, while all classes of pine deals are exhibiting strength. A correspondent at London reviews the spruce situation in the following manner: "The spruce market is really the only one which gives real evidence of brisk trading. The box-making industry is in a flourishing condition, and the demand from this quarter largely accounts for the high prices now ruling for all qualities of spruce. It is a real satisfaction to turn to a branch of the softwood trade wherein it can be said that the demand is good and orders are brisk, for from the ready way in which all the new arrivals from Canada are snapped up it is very conclusive that the spruce dealers experience no difficulty in finding a market for their importations. Second quality 3 by 9 spruce deals are unobtainable below £10 10s. landed, whilst it is difficult to find a merchant willing to accept less than £10 for his 3rds. The planks (3 by 11) are remarkably scarce."

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer "Mountfields" is loading a cargo of deals at Quebec for the United Kingdom.

The steamer "Atbara" sailed from Montreal last week for London, England, with a cargo of deals.

The "Loughrigg Holme" sailed from Montreal on Saturday last for Cardiff with a cargo of timber and deals.

The steamer "Hutcliffe" is loading deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom. The steamer "Nord Kap" is loading at Quebec for London.

The steamer "Inishowen" arrived at Plymouth, England, last month from Montreal, with a cargo of timber for the Imperial Government.

The base price of 16-foot hemlock boards in the Tonawanda market is $15. In Chicago good No. 1 hemlock piece stuff is worth $13 in car-load lots.

For the fiscal year ending June 30th the exports of forest products from the Dominion of Canada were valued at $32,119,422, as compared with $30,003,857 for the previous year.

A. F. Bury Austin, wholesale lumber and timber merchant, Montreal, has been appointed sole agent for Canada for the W. W. Herron Lumber Company, of Mobile, Ala., who are large manufacturers of long leaf yellow pine.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa is asking for bids up to August 13th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1023, on the west shore of Lake Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba. The berth contains an area of ten square miles.

Skillings, Whitneys & Barnes, who have their principal yard at Ogdensburg, N.Y., have closed their yard on Little Island, North Tonawanda. The remainder of their stock, about 1,000,000 feet of white pine, was purchased recently by Smith, Fasset & Company.

The maple flooring manufacturers of the North-West held a meeting in Chicago on July 11th. The reports presented showed the industry to be in a satisfactory condition, except that prices were too low in view of the rapid advance in the raw product. It was decided to make an advance on No. 1 maple flooring of $2 per thousand, and on the clear and factory grades of $1 per thousand.

The demand for apple barrel stock has set in quite generally and has greatly helped the cooperage stock market, for there has been a falling off in the movement of flour and other products that require barrels. There is a great scarcity of hoops. Quotations at Buffalo are about as follows: No. 1 dry elm flour barrel staves, $7.75 to $8; mill-run fruit barrel staves, $6.25 to $6.50; No. 2 staves, $4.25 to $4.50; first-class basswood heading, 5¼ to 5½ cents; mill-run staves, 4¼ cents; No. 2 heading, 3¾ to 4 cents; coiled hoops, $10.50 to $11 for 6-foot, $10 to $10.50 for 5¼ foot.

The first warning of the approach of the end of the open season, says the American Lumberman, is given by the announcement of red cedar shingle dealers that it is time to begin to accumulate shingles for the winter. The Pacific Coast reports are that they are afraid that the approaching big salmon and grain season will interfere with the car supply. It does not look as though the amount of shingles sold in Buffalo would equal that of last year, though the dealers are not aware of the reason. Prices are fairly firm, though not so stiff as they were earlier. The quotation of $4.25 for perfections still holds, with white pines, when there are any, commanding about the same figure. There is always a small supply of white cedars, which sell for a trifle less.

Of the Barbadoes lumber market Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of July 5th, say: "The Edyth", from St. John, N. B., brought 21,000 feet of white pine, which has been sold at $20, and the steamer "Dahome" brought 20,000 feet, which was placed at $20. 10, as it run. We have a cargo on the way contracted for, and we believe further supplies are expected. The market is, therefore, amply supplied. There has been no arrival of spruce since our last, but we are momently expecting a cargo. The "Bravo", from Paspebiac, Que., arrived on July 3rd, with 750,000 shingles, including Laying Cedar, Long Gaspe, and Dimension. None have been offered up to time of writing. The "Edyth" also brought 1,500,000 Laying Cedar shingles, which have been contracted for at landed terms.

Farnworth & Jardine refer to the Liverpool timber market as follows: Pine Timber.—Of waney, the first direct shipment (chiefly on contract) has arrived, and goes largely into consumption; values rule high and stocks are very light. Square Pine—Deck wood, also on contract, has been imported more freely, and has gone mostly into consumers' hands. Stocks are fairly moderate; values unchanged. Red Pine.—The import consists of about 5,000 cubic feet fresh wood, the demand is quiet, and stocks appear sufficient for present requirements; prices are steady. Oak.—The arrivals have been moderate, chiefly first class wood for special requirements. Deliveries have not been large, but stocks are light and values very firm; there has recently been more enquiry for later delivery. Elm has been imported more freely, and consisting generally of fresh rock elm, the deliveries have been fairly satisfactory, stocks are moderate and prices steady, but soft elm is practically unsaleable. Ash is only in limited demand; stocks are sufficient. Quebec Pine Deals.—The imports have been large, and deliveries show considerable improvement, but stocks all round are heavy; values are unchanged. Red Pine Deals are dull of sale; stock ample. New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Spruce and Pine Deals—The import of 10,000 standards, although exceeding the previous month, is slightly less than the corresponding month last season; the deliveries have fairly kept pace and stocks are still moderate; values have ruled steady. Pine Deals are in fair request; the stock is light and prices unchanged. Birch.—Of logs the arrivals have been chiefly from Quebec; there has been fair enquiry at firm rates, and stocks are moderate. Planks.—The imports show a marked falling off, but the deliveries have been very disappointing, and the stock is too large; there is little change in value to report.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

The following particulars of the Glasgow market are found in the July report of Wright Graham & Co.:

WANEY BOARDWOOD. — The demand holds strong. Prices are much the same as before, prime wood being quoted at 2s 10d to 3s 6d per cubic foot, according to the average length; second-class stock at 2s 6d to 2s 9d per cubic foot.

OAK LOGS.—There is enquiry for long logs of prime quality to sell at about 3s to 3s 3d per cubic foot. Logs of poorer size and quality are quoted at from 2s 3d to 2s 6d per cubic foot.

ELM.—The demand continues slight, but the price for prime quality logs of good average length remains firm at 3s to 3s 3d per cubic foot. Parcels of poor specification and inferior quality are difficult to sell.

ASH.—The bulk of the stock is held by consumers. Prices are quoted at about 22d per cubic foot for 14 in. average, and 2s to 2s 2d per cubic foot for 15 in. average.

BIRCH.—Since our last report the position has not undergone any change of importance. Logs continue to be quoted at about 1s 6d for 16 in. average. Planks of ordinary quality are a drug in the market; prime quality only are saleable, price ranging from 15d to 16d per cubic foot.

QUEBEC WHITE PINE DEALS.—Prices of broad firsts have advanced, and there is a good demand for same. Quotations are as follows:

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QUEBEC WHITE PINE SIDING.—The is still an active demand for first quality 1½ and 2 in., and parcels arriving meet with ready sale. Prices have advanced, and are now quoted at from £22 13s 9d to £24 15s per standard.

RED PINE DEALS.—The demand is light and few sales are reported. The following prices are quoted: 9 and 11 in. by 3 and 4 in., £10 6s 3d to £12 7s 6d per standard; 7 to 10 in. by 3 in. at £7 15 to £8 11s 10d.

SPRUCE DEALS.—A moderate amount of business has been done this month, and prices keep firm. Prices quoted are: 9 in. and up by 3 in. at £9 2s 6d to £9 12s 6d per standard; 7 and 8 in. by 3 in. at £6 10s to £7 10s.

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From Shediac, N.B.: July 15, barque Gler, for Garston Dock, Eng., 197 stds. hundreds deals, 24,673 ft. boards, value $400, by J. L. Black & Son, Sackville.

From Sheet Harbor, N.S.: Barque Dagmal, for Cherbourg, 406,168 ft. deals, value $4,060, 4,311 ft. ends. value $24, by W. M. Mackay.

From Halifax, N.S.: July 14, barque Stewiacke, for New York, 38,240 ft. lumber, value $382. July 17, barque Amoces, for Spain, 294,688 ft.lumber, value $2,910. July 19, str. Acon, for Liverpool, Eng., 2,594,888 ft. deals, etc., value $30,630.

From Chemainus, B.C.: Barque Antigone, for Liverpool, 1,163,000 ft. lumber, value $16,274, by Victoria Lumber & Mfg. Co. Barque Louisiana, for Sydney, Aus., 1,111,000 ft. lumber, value $9,350, by Victoria Lumber & Mfg. Co.

From Sackville, N.B.: July 8, barque Harowan, for Cardiff, 362,333 ft.deals and battens, 162,745 ft. boards and scantling, 27,047 ft. deal ends, value $5,179, by M. Wood & Sons. July 12, str. Huildur, for Manchester, Eng., 704,579 ft. deals, 70,858 ft. scantlings, 16,558 ft. deal ends, 28,690 ft. 6-inch deals, value 7,915, by J. & C. Hickman. July 16, barque Cap, for Barrow, Eng., 412,114 ft. deals, 67,426 ft. scantling, 17,939 ft. deal ends, 32,464 ft. boards, 65,050 6-inch deals, value $5,459, by P. G. Mahoney.

From St. John, N.B.: Barque Carl Gustaf, for Dublin, 208,040 ft. deals, 27,708 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay. Barque Emeralda, for Cardiff, Eng., 615,589 ft. deals, 31,650 ft. ends, by J. M. Driscoll. Str. Nordhvalen, for Glasgow, 239,283 ft. deals, 103,827 ft. scantling, 99,682 ft. ends, 490 ft. boards, by. W. M. Mackay. Str. Greenjacket, for Cardiff, 2,213,977 ft. deals and battens, 64,288 ft. scantling, 116,545 ft. ends, 222,283 ft. boards, by A. Gibson Railway & Mfg. Co.

From Montreal: Str. Melville, sailed July 7th, for Liverpool, 2,064 pieces lumber, by W. & J. Sharples; 1,048 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 6,262 pieces lumber by McLaurin Bros.; 2,833 pieces lumber by R. Cox & Co.; 4,531 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd; 1,604 pieces lumber by Montreal Lumber Co. Str. Zanzibar, sailed July 10th, for London, 19,186 pieces deals, 16,397 pieces deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Casham, sailed July 11th, for London, 1,140 pieces deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 16,766 pieces deals by R. Cox & Co.; 4,454 pieces ends, 940 pieces deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Manchester Importer, sailed July 16th, for Manchester, 1,061 pieces ends, 2,671 pieces deals, by R.Cox & Co.; 4,044 pieces boards, 3,824 pieces deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples; 7,262 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 9,748 pieces boards, 76 pieces birch, 43 pieces birch, by McLaurin Bros.; 3,423 pieces deals, by Charlemange Lumber Co.; 880 pieces deals, 1,918 pieces boards, by E. H. Lemay; 2,601 pieces deals, 258 pieces boards, by Watson & Todd; 1,188 pieces maple lumber, by G.T.R.; 433 bundles lumber, 600 bundles flooring, by C.P.R.; 1,603 pieces deals, by Imperial Lumber Co. Str. Tritonia, sailed July 16th, for Glasgow, 6,045 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd; 3,818 pieces deals and boards by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 7,232 pieces deals and boards by R. Cox & Co.; 3,422 pieces deals by McLaurin Bros.

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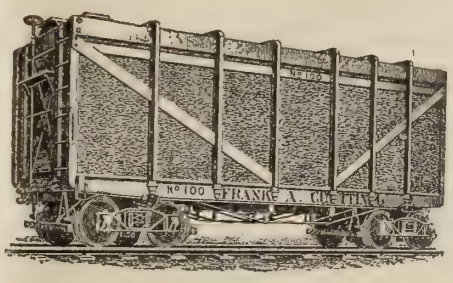

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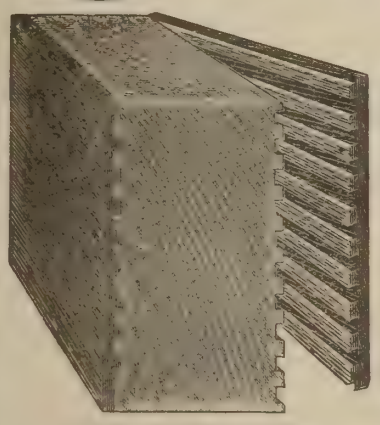

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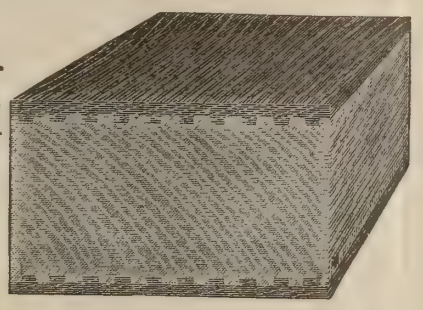

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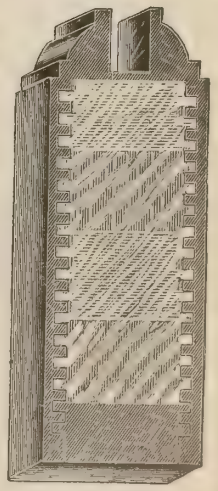

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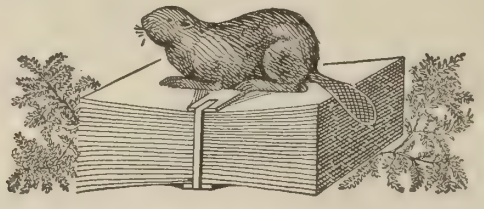
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2in.	55 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	51 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00	4 in.	55 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide.	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and	
1 in., 7 in. wide and up.	17 00	up wide.	19 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	30 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 65	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

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Uppers, 3 in. up	$76	78	1x12 inch shippers	$	$22
2½ in.	78	80	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		28
1 to 2 in.	73		4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		13
4 inch uppers	78	80	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in.	65	70	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	55	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	1x10	24	26
No. 2	30	42	1x8	22	24
No. 3	32	38	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	1x10	22	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28	30	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 4/4 in.	27	30
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	30	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21			

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Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$	$3 00

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2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00 45 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	54 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	25 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
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Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
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			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber trade is not as lively as it was a few weeks ago, but there promises to be renewed buying for stocking-up purposes within a short time. No stocks of any consequence are accumulating at the mills, and we would not be surprised to witness a further advance in the price of white pine. Lower prices are usually caused either by a general depression in business or by an overstocked market. Neither of these conditions may be expected to exist within the next year, so that the stability of the market seems assured for some time to come. Wages in the woods during the coming winter will be high, probably $28 to $30 per month for first-class loggers, $27 to $28 for teamsters, and $20 to $23 for road-makers. This factor will have a tendency to further enhance the value of white pine lumber. Mill culls are now held at from $9 to $10 at the mill, and in no instance is stock being sacrificed to effect a sale, as American buyers are willing to purchase wherever any quantity can be secured.

Hardwoods are in the ascendancy, and it is generally believed that they will sell materially higher when the shortage in stocks becomes more generally known. Implement and furniture factories report that millmen are running short in their contracts, the reason being that they were unable to secure sufficient logs last winter to keep their mills in operation.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The scarcity of clapboards is still commented upon. The demand from the Eastern States has absorbed almost the entire supply of dry stock, and prices have receded but little from the high point reached last spring. Spruce lath are also in good request at firm prices. The cedar shingle market is, if anything, a trifle easier, although the large manufacturers are still holding their extras at $3.60 for Boston delivery.

Square and waney pine timber is steadily seeking a high level. A few sales are reported to have been made at prices higher than those recently quoted, but the stock was in most instances of exceptionally good quality. Birch timber shows a tendency to appreciate.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber is going actively into consumption throughout Manitoba and the Territories. The requirement at the present time is chiefly for building operations, which are being carried on extensively. The country demand will develop after the crops are harvested and will doubtless be of large proportions, as an abundant yield of grain is promised. Laborers are greatly in demand, it being almost impossible to secure a sufficient number of loggers to keep the camps in British Columbia in operation. Manufacturers there have large orders for lumber on their books and will be kept busy throughout the season. Five vessels are expected to arrive at Chemainus this week to load lumber for South America.

UNITED STATES.

The prospects for a very large yield of wheat and corn are having an effect upon the lumber market. When harvesting is over, there will no doubt be a heavy demand for lumber of all kinds and particularly for the class called for in the agricultural districts. Although white pine prices are high, influences are at work to bring about a further advance of about one dollar per thousand, as it is believed by many persons that such an advance could be put into effect without having any restrictive influence upon the demand. It is contended that the output of white pine this season will be inadequate to meet the demand, and that this is shown by the fact that up to the present time the mills have been unable to accumulate the usual quantity of stock. Our Buffalo list this week shows an advance in the price of 12 inch No. 1 barn boards. Chicago dealers last week put into effect an advance on several items of fifty cents and one dollar. Dealers state that they are finding a normal demand and are able to do business without as much effort as is customary. Albany advices state that good lumber is exceptionally firm, 3 and 4-inch uppers bringing from $78 to $80. There is more inquiry for hardwoods than at any previous time this season. An expansion in the demand for white ash has taken place, implement factories being reported as large buyers. Basswood continues scarce and birch is none too plentiful. Hemlock has advanced in the Chicago and Boston markets. In the former city it is sellling on the basis of $14 for 2x4, 2x6, 2x8 and 2x10, 12 to 16-foot, which is the highest price ever obtained for hemlock in that market. At Buffalo and Tonawanda the base price is still $14. There is no change in the shingle situation, but a heavy movement is looked for during the fall months, with possibly a rise in values.

GREAT BRITAIN.

While there has been some improvement in the tone of the British timber trade, the outlook for the future is still surrounded by uncertainty. The pessimist is predicting that prices have now reached the point where they are likely to react unless there should be an increased demand. On the other hand, the import this year is considerably behind that for the same period of last year. This has permitted stocks to become reduced in many instances. Building operations, which suffered from wet weather, are now more active and are assisting consumption. Importers seem to be surprised that shippers hold stocks so firmly and refuse to accept orders except at their own prices. It must be said that the foundation of the lumber business is on a better footing than it has been for some time. There have been no important failures and little tendency towards risky speculation. At recent auction sales prices were well maintained, fourth quality Quebec spruce bringing £8 10s. The London market is slightly overstocked with the common grades of red pine, but as the import this season will be light, the situation is likely to improve.

At Liverpool the stock of good spruce is comparatively low. Prices have shown an upward tendency, based upon £7 7s 6d to £7 10s per standard, according to specification, with about 60 per cent. of 7 and 8 inch. Other New Brunswick spruce, with a good proportion of 3x9 and 3x11, is being sold at extreme prices.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

M. Hyatt, of Revelstoke, is getting out 3,000,000 feet of logs, which will be used for bridges on the Canadian Northern Railway.

The steamer Kong Haaken is completing a cargo of deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom. The steamer Avona is expected to arrive in Montreal this week to load a cargo of deals for the U. K.

E. T. Carrington, Secretary of the Spanish River Boom Company, states that there are 185,000,000 feet of logs to be hauled by the Spanish River Boom Company this season, of which over 80,000,000 feet has been rafted.

White pine shingles are being offered in Chicago by rail at $3.20 for extras, $2.60 for standards and $1.50 for No. 1. Lath are in good request and bring $3.70 to $3.75 for No. 1 mixed by rail and about $3.50 by water. No. 2 lath are quoted at $3 by rail.

A report from Boston, Mass., says that the predominant feature of the hardwood market is the difficulty of securing the class of quartered oak needed, and this, of course, limits actual business. For the very highest grade quartered oak as high as $70 is asked.

J. & T. Charlton, of Collingwood, Ont., last week loaded the barge Carpenter and her consort the Tyson with lumber, consigned to Bradley, Miller & Company, of Bay City, Mich. The combined cargoes contained over 1,000,000 feet, entirely of this year's cut.

The lumber receipts at the Saginaw river during the week ending July 19th were as follows: Schooner J. B. Donaldson, from Midland, Ont., 440,547 feet, consigned to Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company; schooner A. W. Wright, from Midland, 674,366 feet, same consignees; steamer Benton, from Spanish River, Ont., 307,117 feet to E. B. Foss & Company; schooner David Ferguson, from Spanish River, 47,785 feet lumber and 779,450 pieces lath, to Foss & Company; schooner C. J. Filmore, from Spanish River, 548,948 feet lumber and 68,000 pieces lath, to Foss & Company.

A Liverpool report says: The Quebec and Montreal season is now in full swing, but imports are chiefly by the liners. The chief exporters of pine goods are filling their contracts to other ports and are not sending here at present any larger quantity than they can help, except under their considerations for their positive engagements. For instance, Robert Cox & Co. have by the "Parisian" only 170 standards of deals and boards, and by the "Lake Ontario" only 15 standards of pine sidings; whilst Watson & Todd's importations per "New England" and "Roman" are only 200 standards of third pine deals, red pine deals, pine sidings, strips, etc.

THE SITUATION ON THE UPPER LAKES.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., July 23.—In local lumber circles there is already a sentiment in favor of making further advances in the list prices on white pine in the near future. It is improbable that these advances will occur before the meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association, which is to be held August 20, but so firm are some of the local firms in their views that they want the advance to go into effect at that time and are beginning the agitation in favor of higher prices for the purpose of bringing it about at that time.

There are elements in the white pine situation which make it look much stronger than it has before this season. Owing to the favorable crop conditions in the spring wheat belt and in the states to the southwest, demand has kept up remarkably well during July thus far and has showed some gains over June. It was anticipated that the volume of business this month would be about normal on the June basis. An increased demand was therefore unexpected and is a source of surprise and is giving the market a firmer tone. And judging by the business that has been transacted the past three weeks and the outlook for the future August will also show a heavy consumption of white pine. At that time the crop movement in the winter wheat states will be on in full force and southern lumber manufacturers will have more difficulty in securing cars than they have at present. Harvest will be commencing in this section, but the crop movement will not have begun and northern manufacturers will therefore be in a position to supply the demand. They will have plenty of cars until well into September and their business will show a large increase. This will help the situation and will make prices stronger than ever.

Another feature which is contributing to a strong market is the continued shortage of assortments. White pine manufacturers are producing at the maximum of their ability, but apparently they are unable to accumulate stocks for next fall and winter after the sawing season will close, and this is causing a strong feeling. Manufacturers would prefer carrying over sufficient stocks so that they can take care of their customers in good shape next season to selling it out at the present time.

Whether those who are in favor of advancing prices will be able to accomplish this at the August meeting remains to be seen. It is known that they will use all of their influence in this direction. On the other hand, many of the large manufacturers, conservative in their views, are inclined rather to favor a list which is too low than one which is too strong, in the belief that prices on a steady and satisfactory basis are better than where they are irregular and where the list is not observed by all of the factors. It is certain, however, that the price list will be revised to some extent at that time and in all probability there will be advances on some items.—American Lumberman.

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The lumber exports from the province of British Columbia during the first six months of this year were as follows:

From	For	Cargo—Ft.
Chemainus	South Africa	1,300,611
Chemainus	Melbourne	1,137,861
Hastings	China and Japan	142,516
Hastings	Yokohama	25,404
Hastings	Shanghai	653 09
Hastings	Wilmington, Del	875,843
Hastings	Ostend, Belguim	956,449
Chemainus	Sydney	1,166,082
Hastings	Sydney	1,251,030
Hastings	Fremantle	595,669
Hastings	Iquiqui	879,020
Hastings	Sydney	1,082,562
Hastings	Taku	1,386,414
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,378,381
Hastings	U. K.	1,080, 73
Hastings	Japan	57,612
Hastings	Taku	121,611
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	1,090,233
Chemainus	South Africa	1,665,061
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,508,402
Chemainus	Sydney	731,419
Chemainus	Sydney	849,427
Hastings	Cardiff	940,09
Hastings	Sydney	6,211
Hastings	Kobe	9,911
Hastings	Yokohama	7,796
Hastings	Sydney	32,976
Hastings	U. K.	1,413,650
Hastings	Melbourne	1,179,206
Chemainus	U. K.	1,162,839
Hastings	Fremantle	1,113,464
Chemainus	Sydney	1,072,534
Hastings	Hamburg	38,033
Hastings	Sydney	116,625
Chemainus	Delagoa Bay	
Hornby Isl, B.C	Santa Rosalia	

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

Owing to a continuance of fine weather during the last few weeks a large number of logs have been placed in the water, consequently the scarcity which prevailed during May and June has been relieved to a large extent. The mills are running full time and the trade is somewhat brisk, but it is thought that all orders coming in will be filled within a reasonable time. Prices on all grades of lumber and shingles are firm, and there is every reason to think that they will remain so for the next three months.

Owing to the high prices of logs, the millmen have decided to discount, in future, all payments for same 2 per cent.

A large number of orders for heavy donkey engines for logging have been placed with the foundries and the day of the hand-logger and man of small capital is nearing its end. The smaller class of donkey engines are being largely discarded for a heavier type, which are found to be more economical.

The rush to secure timber limits has practically subsided, although there are a few cruisers still in the field. Very few sales have taken place, although a number of United States millmen have been here looking over the ground.

The fight between the millmen and loggers re the prohibition of the export of logs to the United States still continues, but nothing is likely to be done with the law until the next sitting of the Legislature.

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CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Vancouver, B.C. : July 14, Tug Dauntless, for United States, 334,000 ft. fir logs, 106,200 ft. cedar logs, value $2,568. Tug St. Clair, for United States, 430,000 ft. cedar logs, value $2,500.

From Shediac, N.B. : July 26, barque Eidsiba, for Great Britain, deals, etc., value $5,566, by George McKean.

From Parrsboro, N.S. : Str. Treasury, for Manchester, 2,244,424 ft. deals, 328,-307 ft. scantling, boards and ends, by George McKean.

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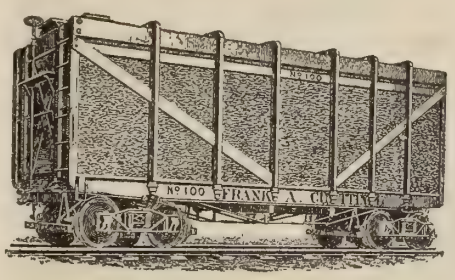
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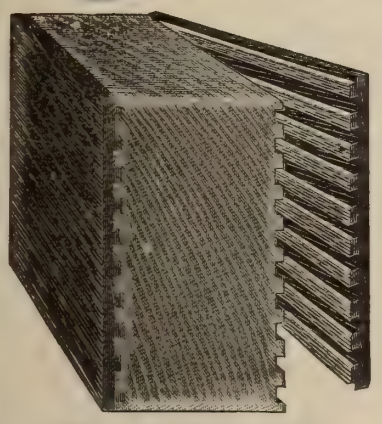

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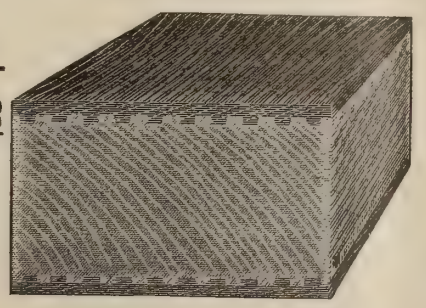

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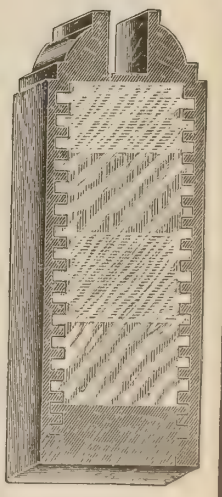

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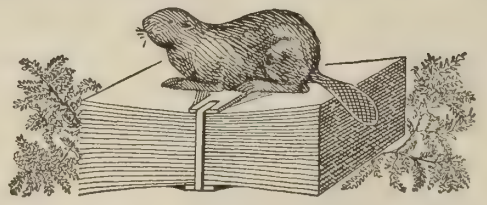

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Consumers are not delaying the purchasing of lumber in the hope of lower prices, as up to the present time there have been no indications of weakness and nothing to encourage such belief. The buying all season has been steady and of considerable volume, with only a slight falling off in the midsummer period. Everywhere lumbermen are wearing a look of satisfaction, apparently believing that the prosperity of the business will continue for some time yet. Stocks in the yards are in excellent position to sustain prices. In the Georgian Bay district there are only one or two large blocks of lumber on the market, and these would probably have been bought up before this but for extraordinary circumstances. Negotiations for one of these blocks are now under way. Inquiries are constantly being received by manufacturers and dealers for the better grades of pine, of which the supply is short. Unusually high prices are being offered. Hardwoods have not changed, being still in good demand at firm prices. Greater competition among buyers indicates a growing appreciation of the shortage in hardwood stocks which promises to be experienced in the near future. There is a little irregularity in prices quoted by Toronto dealers, those having none of last year's production being obliged in some instances to advance their prices in order to secure a margin of profit.

QUEBEC AND THE MARITIME PROVINCES.

Spruce lumber becomes more easily marketed as the season advances. Stocks have not accumulated at the mills, but have been bought up for export almost as quickly as they have been manufactured. The prevailing low freight rates have enabled shippers to compete very successfully in foreign markets, even in the face of the high first cost. The buying by United States concerns has been felt quite keenly by dealers this year, and has, of course, been the means of enabling the mill man to realize more for his lumber. Wide deals are scarce, the supply of all sizes above 8 inches being below the average of other years. Cedar products are firm, shingles ranging from $3.50 to $3.60 for extras on Boston rate of freight.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market has had the benefit of fine weather during the past week. This has been reflected in increased trade and a general disposition to stock up. The white pine situation is most satis-

factory, and with the other branches of the business no fault can be found. The yield of corn this year promises to exceed anything in the history of the country, while the wheat crop will be an average one. This means much to the lumber business. Duluth reports a sharp inquiry for low grade pine. Sales of several million feet have been made at $10 to $10.25 for No. 4 boards and $4.50 to $5 for No. 5 boards. There is a scarcity of such stock in the Duluth district, which has created considerable discussion as to the advisability of putting an advance in price into effect. The better grades are likely to be advanced at the meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association this week, and many manufacturers will doubtless urge that the conditions warrant higher prices for the lower grades also. In Chicago there is an enormous demand for No. 2 common and better in all grades. Short pine piece stuff is selling in that market at $15.50. There is a lessened inquiry for lath in Chicago, No. 1 mixed being quoted at $3 to $3.25, and No. 2 at $2.50 to $2.75. Hemlock prices are steadily advancing, and are now selling within $3 of pine. Hardwood lumber is moderately active and firm. Birch is almost as scarce as basswood, with prices firming up. Maple s also showing strength, in fact there is an all-round improvement in hardwoods. Shingles are rather quiet, with slight weakness in 16-inch at Buffalo and strength in 18-inch.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The receipts of timber at the Surrey Commercial Docks, London, this year are 50,000 tons less than for the corresponding period of last year. The light import has strengthened the market and caused some buying for fall delivery. At recent auction sales the bidding for stock has been quite brisk and prices well maintained. Some of the European markets are showing great strength. Germany and Holland have bought largely of whitewood,and Denmark bought freely early in the season. The French market has purchased little from English dealers, and is not likely to be much of a factor this year. Of the importing centres, Liverpool has improved ; a number of the brokers there having sold all the spruce which they will receive up to the autumn. There are distinct signs of a strenghthening in spruce values. Agents of shippers are looking for higher prices than they were willing to accept in the spring. The current asking quotations now for 3 x 9 Quebec third quality is £9 15s c.i.f. to London, and 3 x 7 and 8 inch £7 5s to £7 10s., according to specification. There has always been, as far as London is concerned, a keen competition between spruce and Riga, and now that the Riga shippers have advanced their prices it is only to be expected that the spruce shippers will try to obtain more for their goods. In square timber Quebec goods of all descriptions are firm, more especially waney board, square pine, and oak, of which there are very small stocks ; but the stiffness of prices does not seem to check sales.

Lath is scarce in the Buffalo market, No. 1 selling at $4.

Lumbermen in the Georgian Bay district are preparing for active operations in the woods during the coming winter. There is a scarcity of labor, but this wil be relieved when the mills cease operatons for the season.

STOCKS AND PRICES

The steamer Prone sailed from Montreal last week for London with a cargo of deals.

The red cedar shingle market in Washington is weak, notwithstanding the efforts of manufacturers to keep up prices.

In the Saginaw market 4 in. fine common pine lumber has advanced to $66, 2½ and 3 in. B fine common to $55, 4-inch to $58, and inch shaky clear, 10 in. and up wide, to $33.

Quotations for slack cooperage stock at Buffalo are about as follows : Dry elm flour barrel staves, $7.75 to $8 for first-class ; $4.25 to $4.50 for second-class. Basswood heading, 5¼ to 5½ cents for first-class ; 3¾ to 4 cents for second class ; coiled hoops, $10.50 to $11 for 6-foot, $10 to $10.50 for 5½-foot ; hickory hoops, $6 to $6.25.

We quote from the last report of S. P. Musson, Son & Company, Barbados : "Since the arrival of the "Gold Seeker" with 217,000 feet white pine for contractor's account, mentioned in foot note of our last, the "Canadian" has arrived from St. John, N.B., with 32,000 feet shipping and 90,000 2nd quality, which it is reported was contracted for, but it was put on market, and the shipping, which was of exceptionally nice quality, was fixed at $26, and the 2nd quality at $17½. We do not think this can be taken as an indication of the market. In spruce the only arrival is the "Moravia," from Liverpool, to our address, with 80,000 feet shipping and 35,000 feet 2nd quality, in fulfilment of contract made some time ago—season over, no enquiry. Shingles—Arrivals have been the "Bravo," with 357,000 laying, 23,000 long and 55,000 dimension to selves, 18,000 long and 357,000 dimension to neighbours ; we placed ours at $2.20 laying, $5.07 long, and for the dimensions obtained $8.57 8 in., $8.37 7 in., $7.37 6 in., $6.37 5 in., and $4.64 4 in.; other sales were $5.10 to $5.21 long, $7.50 8 in., $7.20 to $7.37 7 in., $7.05 to $7.37 6 in., $5.50 to $6.37 5 in., and $4.15 to $4.74 4 in. The "Acacia" arrived on 9th with 130,000 long, which were placed at $5.11 and $4.76, the quality of the former being very good. The "Canadian" has 242,000 laying contracted for some time ago at $2.20, and the "Lizzie Lindsay" is in this morning with a mixed cargo of long, laying and dimension.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Stocks are moving steadily in the Ottawa district, and the prospects for the autumn business are receiving as much attention as actual operations. The local dealers report no change in prices as last reported in the Lumberman's market column.

While there is a movement of the present season's cut, it has not, outside the shipment of lath, reached any marked proportions. The local yards are practically clear of good pine sidings, strips and shorts. Good lath, which recently dropped back to $2.50, has again advanced to its old figure, $2.75.

The scarcity of white pine has created a demand for basswood, classified in this district with hardwoods. It is now selling from $14 to $18, the better quality showing an advance of $2 per M. Elm shows no advance, and is in poor demand. It is selling from $12 to $16 per M.

It is agreed that the prospects for a good September business are bright. Vacation season, particularly across the line, has placed a damper on present operations.

One of the largest and most important deals in local lumber circles is announced. By it the Hawkesbury Lumber Company secures the entire cut of logs taken off Mr. Robert Hurdman's limit at Deep River. The logs, about 73,000 in number, aggregate about 6,000,000 feet, board measure. The financial consideration was about $70,000. The logs, which were all cut during the past season, are now at the Quyon boom on the Upper Ottawa. They will be taken immediately to the mills at Hawkesbury, Ont., where the new owners will manufacture them into board lengths. The sale was negotiated through Messrs. Hurdman & Elmitt, of this city.

Mr. W. C. Edwards, M.P., who was in the Capital to-day, stated that business was brisk at his Rockland mill. The cut this year will equal last year's output. Men are being engaged for the Edwards' limits. No new territory will be cut over during the coming season. Mr. Edwards will confine his attention as heretofore to sawn lumber. He will not touch square timber.

Contrary to statements sent abroad, the scale of wages being paid limit workers this season is, with the exception of the square timber men, not in advance of last year's scale, which was in advance of that paid in former years. While labor is comparatively scarce, fully one thousand men have already been secured in Ottawa. The ruling wages are as follows : Road cutters, $18 to $22 per month ; general hands, $22 to $25 ; teamsters, $26 to $27 ; log cutters, $27 to $28 ; timber scorers, $30 to $35 ; timber liners, $35 to $40; timber hewers, $45 to $60, and cooks $45. Free board is included in the above list in every instance. While the figures for the square timber hewers, $45 to $60 per month, may seem high, it must be remembered that this branch of the business is enjoying a boom owing to the increased demand from the English market. It requires a keen, experienced eye and a sure trained hand to hew a timber twelve inches to the side which will pass the critical eye of the inspector at Quebec. Men who can do this can command a fancy figure, as their number is not large and the demand is increasing.

It is altogether likely that the output of square timber for the season will be in excess of that of last season. Fraser & Company, for instance, will pay almost exclusive attention to the production of square timber on their Coulonge limits.

The following firms have already engaged men in Ottawa : Gillies Bros., 200 for work on the Coulonge ; Hawkesbury Lumber Company, 300 men for the Dumoine and Petawawa ; J. R. Booth, 200 men for the Coulonge and Madawaska limits ; Fraser & Company, 200 men for the Coulonge limits ; C. Beck Mfg. Co., Penetang, 100 men. Wages may advance, but it is hardly likely.

Hurdman & Elmitt, of Ottawa, this week shipped a cargo of hardwood, elm and basswood, from Cornwall to the New York market. It was forwarded by the St. Lawrence route.

OTTAWA, Aug. 6th, 1902.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

A very important enactment has been made by the Provincial Government whereby the exportation of all timber cut on licensed or leased land in the province is prohibited. The previous order restricted the export of cedar only. The effect will be that fir logs which have been scarce for the past three months will become more plentiful and prices will likely drop to some extent.

The great scarcity of cars has for the past two weeks seriously interferred with shipments of lumber to eastern points, causing considerable loss to the different mills. The shingle business is brisk and difficulty is experienced by some mills in getting a sufficient supply of bolts owing to the low water in some of the smaller rivers.

A number of small companies have been gazetted as being formed to engage in the shingle business, having been encouraged by the temporary period of prosperity. Indications at present are that this branch of the business is liable to be overdone.

VANCOUVER, July 25th, 1902.

TIMBER CONCESSION FOR SALE.

In this issue will be found an announcement by Mr. David Ross, of Whitemonth, Man., that he has had placed in his hands for disposal 40 square miles of timber lands under a grant from the Dominion Government, to be selected anywhere on vacant Dominion lands for a distance of eight miles on either side of the Winnipeg river from its mouth to its junction with the English river. Tenders for the right will be received up to August 20th.

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From Parrsboro, N. S.: July 23, str. Treasury, for Manchester, Eng., 2,244,424 ft. deals, 328,307 ft. scantling and ends, value $27,344, by George McKean.

From Shediac, N. B.: July 31, barque Vestfold, for Preston, Eng., lumber, value, $4,100, by J. L. Black & Son, of Sackville.

From Vancouver, B. C.: July 25, s. Moana, from Fiji, 8,084 ft. rough fir, value $93, by Spicer Mill Co.; 270,170 laths, value $635, for Australia, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co.

From Halifax, N.S.: July 22, barque Rosa, for Ireland, 582,441 ft. deals, etc., value $6,831. Barque Daginal, for France, 410,000 ft. lumber, value $4,084. Barque Millie Moody for Dundee, Scotland, 56,862 ft. lumber, value $500. July 29, barque Faregia, for Penarth Road, 849,413 ft. deals, etc., value $8,922. July 30, str. Dart, for Manchester, England, 2,470,335 ft. deals, value $52,200. Str. Ulunda, for Liverpool, 443,197 ft. deals, value $4,574. July 31, str. Florence, for London, 85,795 ft. deals, value $857.

From Chatham, N.B.: July 15, barque Odin, for Newcastle-on-Tyne, 505,575 ft. deals, etc., by F. E. Neale. Barque Frithjoy, for Dublin, 744,000 ft. deals, etc., by J. B. Snowball Company. July 19, barque Derby, for Newport, 819,393 ft. deals, by Demary & McDonald. Str. Hirundo, for Fleetwood, 770,919 ft. deals by F. E. Neale; 1,349,000 ft. deals by J. B. Snowball Co. July 21, schr. Shafner Bros., for New York, 984,000 laths, by J. B. Snowball Co. July 30, barque Fristab, for Waterford, 896,000 ft. deals, by J. B. Snowball Co. July 31, str. Falco, for Cork, 1,781,807 ft. deals, by F. E. Neale.

From St. John, N.B.: Schr. Sirdar, for Rio Janeiro, 527,928 ft. deals. Barque Norman, for Cardiff, 669,639 ft. deals and battens, 97,463 ft. ends, by J. M. Driscoll. Str. Otoyo, for Sharpness, 2,599,302 ft. deals, 85,730 ft. scantling, 155,900 ft. ends, 246,585 ft. boards. Str. Peerless, for Manchester, 2,393,032 ft. deals, 94,127 ft. scantling, 113,694 ft. ends, 214,994 ft. boards, by A. Gibson Railway & Mfg Co. Barque Still Water, for Limerick, 983,593 ft. deals, 10,565 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay.

From Montreal: Str. Sarmatian, sailed July 15th, for Glasgow, 3901 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 3700 pieces deals by E. H. Lemay; 5529 pieces deals and boards by R. Cox & Co.; 1318 pieces deals by Watson & Todd. Str. Monte Vide n, sailed July 23rd, for London, 4631 pieces deals by G.T.R. Str. Lake Megantic, sailed July 18th, for Liverpool, 1499 pieces lumber by R. Cox & Co; 3323 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1807 pieces lumber by McLaurin Bros.; 20102 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd; 1387 pieces lumber by McArthur Export Co; 1484 doors by C.P.R; 3952 pieces lumber by G.T.R. Str. Manchester Commerce, sailed July 23rd, for Manchester, 120 pieces birch, 1710 pieces deals, by McLaurin Bros; 35801 pieces deals, 1239 pkgs. boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Co; 3582 pieces deals and ends by Watson & Todd; 3852 pieces deals by McArthur Export Co; 2976 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 5384 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 250 bundles pulp boards by Laurentide Pulp Co Str. Westphalia, sailed July 25th, for Hamburg, 1645 bundles thin lumber by Guelph Patent Casket Co; 8232 pieces boards by Watson & Todd. Str. Monterey, sailed July 23rd, for Bristol, 90 bundles pulp board by Laurentide Pulp Co.; 13352 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 9670 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 12899 pieces deals by Watson & Todd; 1516 pieces deals by Montreal Lumber Co.; 1033 pieces deals by McLaurin Bros. Str. Monte Zuma, sailed July 19th, for London, 15869 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 25610 pieces deals by Watson & Todd; 1488 pieces deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 24431 pieces deals by Charlemagne Lumber Co; 2546 doors, 812 bundles flooring, by C. P. R.; 10739 pkgs. birch lumber by G.T.R. Str. Jacona, sailed July 27th, for Leith, 3814 pieces deals and boards by J. Burstall & Co.; 10729 pieces deals, ends and boards by R. Cox & Co.; 16191 pieces deals and boards by McLaurin Bros. Str. Sicilian, sailed July 29th, for Glasgow, 73 piece logs, 636 pieces maple flooring, by C.P.R. 1345 pieces deals by R. Cox & Co.; 1475 pieces deals by D. Cream & Co.; 10 pieces logs, 23586 pieces deals by W. & J. Sharples; 1228 pieces deals by E. H. Lemay; 1662 pieces deals by Watson & Todd.

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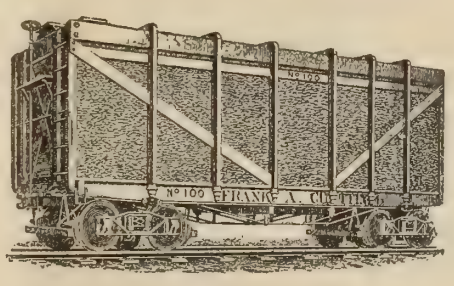

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GRADING OF PINE DEALS.

It will be remembered that the Timber Trade Federation some little time back took up the question of the change in the method of culling pine deals. Considerable pressure was brought to bear upon shippers to revert to the old system, but without success. Ultimately, however, says the Timber Trades Journal, of London, Eng., it was arranged that the culling which prevailed in the Ottawa district towards the end of last year, and which was understood to be better than the mode of sorting which preceded it, should become the trade standard for quality, and contracts were generally entered into on this understanding. From what we can gather the new goods which have come to hand under these contracts do not appear, in all instances, to have come up to importers' anticipations, and in one instance which has come more particularly under our notice the difference of opinion has been so acute as to lead to the intervention of the arbitrator. It is the third quality which buyers are more anxious to see improved, but as this forms the bulk of the pine production it is obviously a question of importance to the millmen and shippers. Much, indeed, might be said from the shippers' point of view on this subject, which is no doubt a complicated one, and shows the difficulty met with in altering established trade practises. If we may hazard our own opinion, it is that the gap between the price of seconds and thirds is too large, and that the matter could be adjusted by improving the quality, while raising the prices for the various specifications of thirds.

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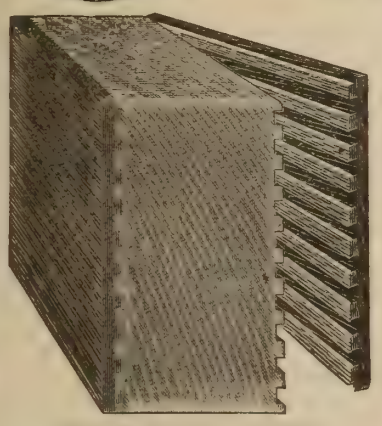

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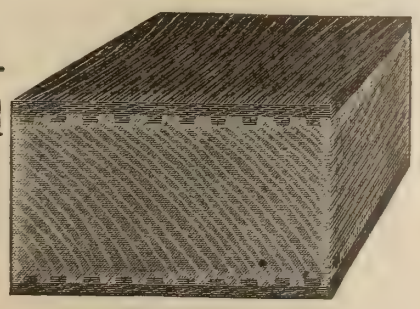

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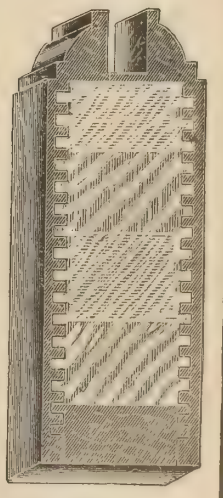

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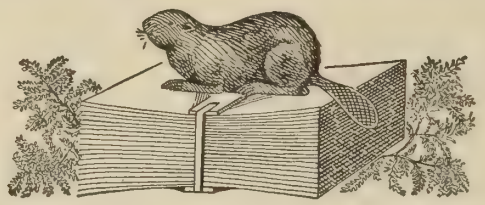

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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼, 1½ and 2 inch picks and uppers	36 00	38 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$32 00	$34 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1 inch clear and picks	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding mill run	17 00	18 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	17 00	18 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		15 00
1x 10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		19 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		20 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 50
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 75
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 15
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		12 50

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in	1sts and 2nds	$ 0 00	$32 00	Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼" 22 00 24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and	2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00	Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3.. 24 00 26 00
Ash, black, 1sts and	2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00	Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2.. 32 00 35 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2		17 00	19 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½ 19 00 20 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.		18 00	20 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4.. 20 00 21 00
" 1½ "	2..	20 00	22 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 31 00 33 00
" sqrs. 4x4 "	8x8	24 00	26 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4.. 34 00 36 00
Basswood, 1sts and	2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 32 00 36 00
	1½ to 2	23 00	26 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4.. 35 00 38 00
" m. r.	1 " 1¼	16 00	19 00	Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2.. 60 00 65 00
Butternut	1 " 1½	23 00	25 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 " 3.. 85 00 100 00
"	2 " 3..	25 00	2 [illegible]	Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2.. 34 00 38 00
Chestnut	1 " 2..	24 00	2 00		
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½	50 00	60 00		
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4..	60 00	65 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	16 00	19 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3..	17 00	19 00		

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	2 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00

1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles: XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	3

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	69 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$66 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	69 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	66 00
2½ and 3 in.	7 00	2½ and 3 in.	70 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	55 00	4 in.	66 00
2in.	55 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO. 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	4 in.	58 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1½ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1¾ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1¾ and 8 in. and up wide	30 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 65	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$78	80	1x12 inch shippers	$	$22
2½ in.	78	80	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		28
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		13
4 inch uppers	70	03	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	18	19
1 to 2 in	65	70	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	Common, 1x12		19
1 to 2 in.	55	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	1x10	24	26
No. 2	30	42	1x8	22	24
No. 3	22	25	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	1x10	22	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	30	35	1x8	20	21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	28	30
Bracket plank	30	35	" 2 inch	30	32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21			

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 0	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 [illegible]
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 00	1¼x10 and 12	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 50
4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00	45 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	54 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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The undersigned has had placed in his hands for disposal forty square miles of timber lands under a grant from the Dominion Government, to be selected anywhere on vacant Dominion lands for a distance of eight miles on either side of the Winnipeg River from its mouth to its junction with the English River.

The area may be selected in blocks to suit the purchaser.

Tenders will be received for the right to this concession up to 20th August next, accompanied by a marked cheque on a chartered bank for 10 per cent. of the purchase money. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars apply to DAVID ROSS, Whitemouth, Manitoba, or

NEVILLE BAYLEY, *P. O. Box 1297,* Winnipeg.

Norway lumber is held at Saginaw, Mich., at $14, with the supply not plentiful. Log run ranges from $17 to $21.

The Goderich Lumber Company last week received a raft of logs from Sans Souci containing 1,500,000 feet.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Buying of lumber for fall requirements has not yet commenced to any extent. The local demand is rather quiet, but still sufficient to take care of all the stock that is offered. Harvesting operations are engaging the attention of the farmer, who, after his crops are housed, will enter the lumber market to a degree corresponding with the abundance of his crops. In some sections the crops have been damaged by rain, but on the whole an average yield is promised, and conditions from a consumer's point of view are satisfactory. The present prosperity of the lumber business is likely to continue for another year at least.

The chief activity is confined to clear lumber, shingles and lath. A scarcity of the best grades of pine has prevailed all season, and from time to time advances in price have been put into effect by the manufacturers. Retail dealers state that the frequent advances have been the cause of much dissatisfaction, as they felt that under the circumstances they were not in a position to quote prices to consumers excepting for immediate delivery. The higher prices have in a slight degree curtailed the demand for lumber for building purposes. Considering the season of the year, lath prices are firm. Most mills are asking from $2.75 to $3.00 for No. 1, although purchases are claimed to have been made recently at $2.50. The wholesale price in Toronto is about $3.50. Shingles are holding steady at $3.25 for best grade wholesale in Toronto.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

With an estimated crop of wheat of 60,000,000 bushels in Manitoba and the Territories this year, the business community takes a hopeful view of the situation. Lumber is being purchased freely for present and prospective requirements, and prices promise to further advance in the near future. The consumer or dealer who buys at current prices is likely to find himself on the right side of the market. British Columbia lumber is firm. Fir logs have recently advanced in price. Red cedar shingles are steady, in contrast to the weakness which prevails in Washington.

UNITED STATES.

With a slightly smaller volume of trade, the lumber market of the United States has maintained its strength. The past week has been quite eventful, several associations having taken action regarding price lists. According to the new

list adopted by the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association, sharp advances are made in high-grade lumber. First and second clear, A selects, B selects and high-grade thick finish were advanced $3 to $5 a thousand, 1¼ and 1½ inch C selects 50 cents, and 2-inch $1.50. Siding was heavily advanced in the better grades, but only slightly in the lower grades. Lath was reduced 25 cents, making the price $4 for No. 1 white, $3 for No. 2, and $s.50 for mixed. The advances were considered justified by the conditions, as the report of stocks presented by the secretary was a most favorable document. Some of the chief items are given elsewhere. A new official hardwood price list was decided upon by the Hardwood Manufacturers' Association on August 6th, although only some classes of lumber were included, the others to be considered later. Basswood was fixed at $32 to $34 for firsts and seconds, $25 to $27 for No. 1 common, and $16 to $21 for No. 2 common. A range of $36 to $48 for firsts and seconds and $26 to $38 for common was allowed for ash. While hemlock prices have not yet advanced, a meeting of the Northwestern Hemlock Manufacturers' Association is to be held this week, when action will likely be taken

Buffalo reports a scarcity of 10 and 12 inch box and cutting-up lumber. The demand for birch and basswood is in advance of the supply, with prices slightly higher. Black ash sells quickly. Lath prices are a shade weaker, with shingles firm.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The tone of the British timber market continues very good. The import has been on a moderate scale, and appearances point to firm prices throughout the year. Reports of a short supply have at last influenced importers, who are not disposed to delay the placing of orders. Canadian pine deals of first quality are very scarce, while the supply of the lower grades is plentiful. At Liverpool the maximum quotation for best quality is £28 per standard. Of the spruce market a recent report from Liverpool, says: "Unless the unforeseen happens, we think the spruce market has seen its worst for this season; the pressure to sell steamers "to arrive" has been relaxed, and the attitude of the shipper is now one of complacency." Advices from London are not so assuring, as the following from the Timber News, would indicate: "Several sales have taken place in spruce deals from the docks during the last week, at varying prices. If the report is correct that a firm of importers has sold a parcel of 3rd 3 by 9 12/13ft. at £9 7s 6d, it would appear that goods are to be purchased at cost price—at any rate, the sellers can only have made the "handsome" profit of 2s 6d per standard. The majority of contracts for deals are based on £9 12s 6d to £9 15s for 3 by 9 3rd spruce, and £10 2s 6d to £10 5s for second quality in dock." The best information, however, is to the effect that spruce prices are more likely to advance than to recede. In square and waney timber a steady trade is doing at firm prices. Birch logs are scarce at Liverpool, but more plentiful at Glasgow.

J. T. Marchand and T. Prefontaine & Company will supply the lumber required this year by the Montreal Waterworks Department.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Messrs. Reid & Company, Esplanade street, Toronto, are still in the market for 4x4 cedar, 10 to 16 feet in length.

At an auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, Eng., recently, waney ash, 8-21 feet long, 14-20 inches in diameter, brought 8d per cube; waney elm, 16-26 ft. long, 14-19 inches diameter, 9½d per cube, and American round ash from 5½d to 6d per cube.

Stocks of white pine in Chicago are geting into better shape, but there is no surplus of dry stock there or at the northern mills. A feature of the trade is the weakness in No. 3 and No. 4 common boards, which are in better supply. At the same time there is also a little easiness in short and narrow piece stuff, which is selling in Chicago at $15.75 to $16.00.

LUMBER IN THE LAKE SUPERIOR DISTRICT.

The following extracts from the report of the secretary of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermens' Association contain much interesting information regarding lumber stocks and demand:

Sales up to July 1st this year were 11 per cent. less than during the same time last year, or 1,132,218,890 feet as compared with 1,258,980,473, but they are 25 per cent. larger than during the same months of 1900, when the total was 903,228,163 feet. The apparent decrease this year is almost entirely due to the shortage of the stock. Shipments have been so much greater than the production for the past three years that the time was finally reached when sales were of necessity restricted because of scarcity of lumber. For the past five months the majority of our members have been unable to fill more than from 50 to 75 per cent. of the orders offered. There is little doubt but that shipments would have nearly equalled the high record of last year had there been as much stock in shipping condition.

Stocks of lumber held by the manufacturers of the Mississippi and Wisconsin valleys on August 1, 1900, were 11 per cent. less than those on hand August 1, 1899.

On August 1, 1901, stocks were 7 per cent. less than those on hand August 1, 1900.

On August 1, this year, stocks of lumber were 7 per cent. less than those on hand same date last year. This makes a total percentage of shortage August 1, 1902, over the same date 1899 of 25 per cent. These percentages were based upon comparative reports from practically the same firms each year.

On January 1 this year stocks were 16 per cent. less than those on January 1, 1901, as shown by the annual inventories.

Lath to-day is 35 per cent. more than the amount on hand August 1 last year.

Shingles are to-day 26 per cent. less than the amount on hand August 1, last year.

On January 1, this year, dimension constituted 24.9 per cent. of the whole amount of lumber on hand, which was a decrease of 5.8 per cent. over the proportion of dimension on hand the year previous, as shown by the inventories.

On August 1st the stock of dimension carried by our members was 61,450,000 feet less than that carried by them on August 1 last year. On January 1st the total stock of dimension was 286,006,513 feet. This shortage would indicate that there need be no fear of any accumulation of piece stuff of northern pine this year. It also indicates that there is an increasing percentage of inch stuff being sawed, largely due to the higher price for the latter.

On account of the deterioration of standing timber there is an increasing percentage of low grade stock being obtained, and there must consequently be an increasing discrepancy between the prices of common and better grades.

Our reports show that the members of this association will produce about the same amount of lumber that was sawed last year, provided conditions are favorable from now to the end of the season. There are a number of mills which will saw considerably less, as a few which last year sawed both night and day are now sawing but day only, but this decrease is offset by small increased estimates by many other mills. It is not at all likely that the production will be any greater than it was last year.

TRADE OPENINGS.

An eastern firm desires to purchase several carloads of hard maple logs from 22 to 27 inches in diameter and 10 to 12 feet long.

A letter from the Canadian secretary of the Wolverhampton Exhibition of Arts and Industries has been forwarded to the Manufacturers Association in Toronto, through the Department of Trade and Commerce, which states that large contractors in Bombay are very anxious to obtain a Canadian hardwood suitable for flooring which the white ants cannot penetrate. The secretary would be very glad to receive samples of wood for inspection.

F. K. Lyons, agent for L. W. Bates, of London, England, who has a contract for extensive harbor improvements to be made at Shanghai by the Chinese government, is touring the Pacific Coast, conferring with lumber manufacturers in regard to a heavy order for shipment to Shanghai. The order will include piling, sheeting and heavy timbers. The main work will be the erection of extensive wharves and docks along the river front, and these are to be sheathed up in a substantial manner.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Montreal: Str. Montreal, sailed July 28th, for London, 620 pieces hardwood lumber, by W. & J. Sharples; 5,031 pcs. lumber by G.T.R. Str. Tiger, sailed August 5th, for Rotterdam, Leith, 5,937 pcs. deals, 212 logs, by W. and J. Sharples; 5,204 pcs. deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 518 pcs. deals by McArthur Export Co.; 5,905 pine boards by Watson & Todd. Str. Langford, sailed August 6th, for Newcastle, 2,864 deals by J. Burtsall & Co.; 33,365 pcs. deals, 375 boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Bengore Head, sailed July 29th, for Chatham, 15,694 pcs. deals by Watson & Todd. Str. Marina, sailed July 30th, for Glasgow, 4,544 pcs. deals by McLaurin Bros.; 6,201 pcs. deals by R. Cox & Co.; 1,588 pcs. deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 11,164 pcs. deals, timber and boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 2,252 pcs. deals by Watson & Todd. Str. Lake Champlain, sailed July 30th, for Liverpool, 4,675 pcs. lumber by G.T.R.; 13,784 pcs. lumber by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 5,716 pcs. lumber by R. Cox & Co.; 13,399 pcs. lumber by J. Burstall & Co.; 2,150 pcs. lumber by Watson & Todd; 4,063 pcs. lumber by McLaurin Bros.; 2,750 pcs. lumber, 460 pcs. maple maple lumber, 700 bundles elm, by C.P.R.; 460 pcs. hardwood lumber, by Elder, Dempster & Co.

From Hopewell Cape, N.B.: July 14th, Str. Ovidia, for Manchester, Eng., 3,136,590 sup. feet deals, boards, ends, etc., value $30,362, by W. Malcolm McKay; July 31, 1902, Str. Platea, for Manchester, 3,194,932 sup. feet deals, ends, scantling and boards, value $36,107, by W. Malcolm McKay.

From Yarmouth, N. S.: July 25, Str. Ella, for Fleetwood, Eng., 1325,909 feet deals ends and scantling, value $18,563, by Dickie & McGrath.

From St. John, N. B.: Schr. Ina, for Bridgeport, 105,543 ft. plank, 36,025 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. Beaver, for City Island, 1,280,000 laths, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. Pardon G. Thompson, for City Island, 95,342 ft. plank, 78,471 ft. scantling, 13,010 pickets, 201,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. Jennie C, for Boston, 81,903 ft. plank, 241,000 shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Ida May, for Stamford, Conn., 60,946 ft. scantling, 104,696 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. Iimrod, for Philadelphia, 1,703,000 laths, by Dunn Bros. Sch. H. A. Holden, for Boston, 680,000 laths, by A. Cushing & Co.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Wright, Graham & Company, in their report of July 31st, give the following particulars of the Glasgow timber market:

During the latter half of the month just ended business has been practically at a standstill, the local mills and yards having been closed for the annual holidays, and buyers are only now beginning to resume work again. A moderate amount of business was done in the early part of the month and prices have kept firm. The cabinet trade continues dull, but both the shipbuilding and housebuilding trades are doing a good steady business.

WANEY BOARDWOOD. — The demand holds strong, and stock is very light. Prices are much the same as before, prime wood of long average length having been sold at 3s. to 3s. 6d. per cubic foot; second-class stock is quoted at 2s. 3d. to 2s. 9d. per cubic foot.

OAK LOGS. — There is a market for prime logs of long average length. Prices are quoted at 3s. to 3s. 3d. per cubic foot. Logs of poorer size and quality are quoted at from 2s. 3d. to 2s. 6d. per cubic foot.

ELM.—The demand continues light, but the price for prime quality logs of good average length remains firm at 2s. 9d. to 3s. per cubic foot. Parcels of poor specification and inferior quality are difficult to sell.

ASH.—The bulk of the stock is held by consumers. Prices are quoted at about 22d. per cubic foot for 14 in. average, and 2s. to 2s. 2d. per cubic foot for 15 in. average.

BIRCH, since our last report, has gone well into consumption, and stocks have been well reduced. Logs continue to be quoted at about 1s. 6d. for 16 in. average. Planks of ordinary quality are a drug in the market; prime quality only are saleable, price ranging from 15d. to 16d. per cubic foot.

QUEBEC WHITE PINE DEALS.—Price of broad firsts continues firm, and there is a good demand for same. Quotations are as follows : 1st quality, broad, £33 to £37 2s. 6d. per standard; 11 in., £25 8s. 9d. to £28 10s; 7" to 10", £22 to £23 7s. 6d; 7" and up by 6/9', £18 11s. 3d. to £19 18s. 9d. 2nd quality, broad, £22 to £23; 11 in., £20 to £21; 7 in. to 10 in., £15 16s. to £16 10s; 7" and up by 6/9', £13 to £14. 3rd quality, broad, £14 to £15; 11 in., £12 7s. 6d. to £13 5s; 7 in. to 10 in., £10 to £11; 7" and up by 6/9', £8 5s. to £9 12s. 6d. 4th quality, broad, £10 13s. to £11 6s. 10d; 11 in., £10 to £10 10s; narrows, £8 5s. to £9 5s.

QUEBEC WHITE PINE SIDINGS.—There is still an active demand for first quality 1½ and 2 in., and parcels arriving meet with ready sale. Prices are now quoted at from £22 13s. 9d. to £24 15s. per Std.

RED PINE DEALS. — The demand is light, and few sales are reported. The following prices are quoted: 9 and 11 in. by 3 and 4 in., £9 12s. 6d. to £11 per standard; 7 to 10 in. by 3 in., £7 15s. to £8 11s. 10d.

SPRUCE DEALS.—A moderate amount of business has been done this month, and prices keep firm. Prices quoted are: 9 in. and up by 3 in. at £9 2s. 6d. to £9 12s. 6d per standard; 7 and 8 in. by 3 in. at £6 10s. to £7 10s.

The steamship Nordboen sailed from Montreal on Friday last for Newcastle and West Hartlepool with a cargo of deals.

The schooner A. T. Wright has just loaded lumber and lath at Collingwood, Ont., for Bay City, shipped by J. & T. Charlton.

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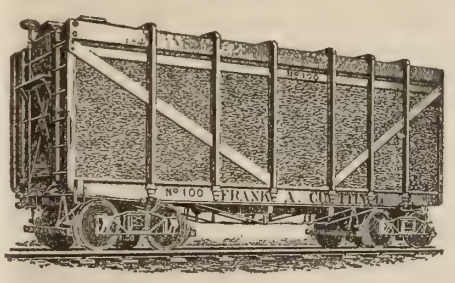

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Owing to the high prices prevailing for both fir and cedar logs, prices on all grades of fir and cedar lumber have advanced one dollar per thousand since August 1st. Labor is also scarce owing to the large supply required to handle the cannery business during the fishing season. Although prices of lumber have risen considerably above those of last year, manufacturers' profits have not increased owing to the high price of logs and labor. The price of logs has risen owing to the increase in wages, which range from $2.50 to $5.00 per day, the average being about $3 per day, and the increased demand by the mills over previous years. Several joint meetings of millmen and loggers have been held lately with the Government regarding the law prohibiting the exports of logs, and the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works has the subject under consideration with a view to a modification of the law if found in the interests of the industry.

Considerable dissatisfaction exists among lumbermen against eastern speculators bidding on limits cruised by them on Dominion Government lands. It is considerable expense to locate and cruise limits, and eastern speculators can afford to bid higher on limits put up for tender, as they are not under the expense of locating and cruising them. It is proposed to have put up for tender large tracts of stunted pine lands for the timber sharks around Ottawa, and if they wish to pay a bonus and yearly rental on rocks and useless scrub timber the Government will be so much the richer. It would be well in future for eastern men with a mania for gambling in timber to make a thorough investigation of the lands put up by tender by the Dominion Government.

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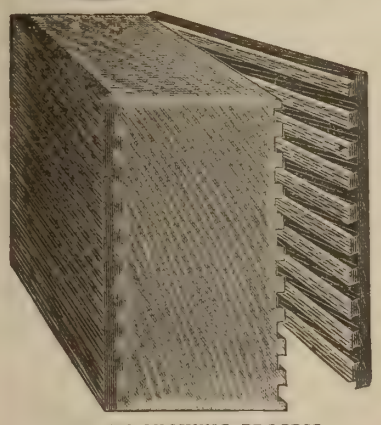

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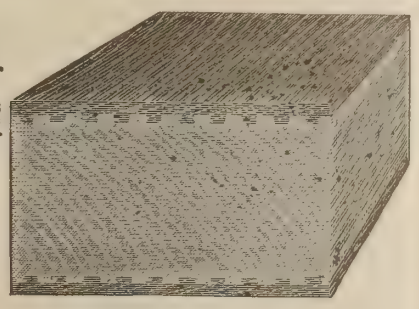

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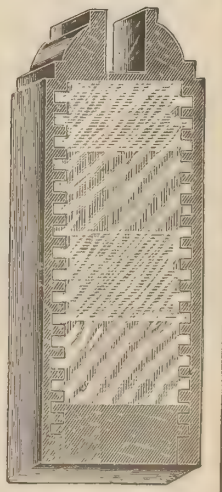

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Waney white pine	1,278,222	880,117	1,519,699
White pine	502,248	348,250	297,570
Red pine	60,735	46,527	59,947
Oak	352,010	288,924	505,742
Elm	485,736	759,802	527,884
Ash	76,274	124,956	68,438
Basswood	241	464	. . . .
Butternut	92	740	. . . .
Tamarac	71	22	. . . .
Birch and Maple	387,739	297,755	9 ,410

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Business in spruce lumber at Boston s better, with prices more steady. Some of the large mills even are done sawing for the season, and others are near to this condition, and this will shorten the supply a good deal. The small randoms that have been making the market weak are well worked off: Ten and 12-inch dimensions, $20 to $22; 9-inch and under, $19 to $20; 10 and 12 inch, random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $16.50 to $18; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $19 to $20; out spruce boards, $13.50 to $14; bundle furring, $17 to $18.

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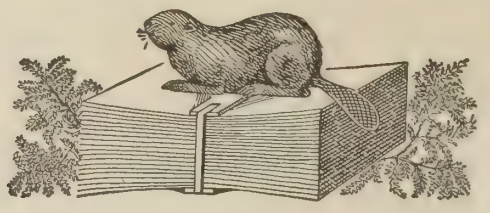

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No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	1x10 22 23
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Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 28 30
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch 30 32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common 20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21	

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2 in.	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in.	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00 14 00

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Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00 11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There are no visible signs of weakness in the pine lumber market. All grades are firm and moving quite actively. Persons who earlier in the year predicted lower prices have now changed their attitude towards the market, and expect the sustenance of present prices at least. Good crops throughout the province have inspired confidence in a continuance of business prosperity. A large manufactnrer who sold his season's production of pine lumber early in the season tells us that he is constantly in receipt of letters from dealers and customers to the effect that they would regard it as a favor if he could supply them with a certain quantity of lumber. This, perhaps more than anything else, illustrates the strength of the market. There are practically no large blocks of lumber that have not passed out of first hands. Log run pine delivered on the water's edge of the Georgian Bay has been sold as high as $23.

The activity in hardwoods is looked upon in a very favorable light. There will doubtless be a heavy consumption of hardwood lumber this fall for building and factory purposes, and the supply of stock will be none too great to go round. Some of the standard varieties are likely to witness a further advance.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There has been quite active buying of spruce lumber of late and the mills will likely go into the winter with very light stocks. Prices have gradually strengthened and are now at a point where they represent a fair margin of profit to manufacturers. Shipments from Montreal to the British market are quite active, although the total for the season will probably show a falling off as compared with last year. In spruce clapboards we find an extraordinary condition of affairs. The supply is insufficient to meet the demand; in fact there is something closely resembling a dearth. Where the supply for the fall and winter trade will come from is a question. Shingles continue strong on the basis of $3.50 to $3.60 for extras on Boston freight rate. It is predicted that there will be an advance in cedar shingles in September, when dealers commence to buy for the fall trade.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The active building movement in all parts of the west has created a demand for lumber which mills have much difficulty in meeting. So great has been the pressure upon stocks that prices have again advanced and are now $1 per thousand

higher for all kinds of white pine, red pine and British Columbia lumber. Lath has also advanced to the extent of 25 cents per thousand, making the wholesale price in Winnipeg now $4.00. British Columbia mills are very busy, but logging operations are still handicapped by the scarcity of men.

UNITED STATES.

The conditions outlined in last issue still prevail. Wholesale dealers could do a little more business, but still their sales are greater than is usual in midsummer. The recent advances put into effect are being easily sustained. Wide box lumber is a good seller in the eastern markets. Building at Buffalo and Tonawanda is quite brisk and has had a good effect upon the market. A few Michigan dealers report that it is not so difficult to pick up lumber at manufacturing points as it was in the spring. This, however, might be expected after the mills have been in operation for several months. Spruce lumber is strong and quite active. On frames prices are being well sustained. On an easy schedule there are small mills ready to concede a little in price, but the large producers refuse to give way except in the case of random, which is weak. Hemlock is steady at last quotations. Hardwood lumber is showing considerable life and will probably be somewhat higher before many weeks. The demand for cedar shingles is quite heavy. There has been no cutting of prices except by one or two of the small manufacturers. This is almost remarkable for the season of the year, as it has been quite customary for weakness to exhibit itself during the months of July and August. It is predicted that shingles will advance next month, as the stock in the hands of manufacturers is practically of no account. Lath is moving quite freely without any great exertion on the part of the seller.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Lumber prices in the British market continue to show a hardening tendency. Business is progressing favorably, and indications point to a firm market throughout the year. The statistical position of the timber in the London public docks is a very strong one, all classes of lumber showing a decrease as compared with the stock on hand August 1, 1901. The decreases are as follows: Pine deals, 132,610 pieces; pine battens, 25,080 pieces; spruce deals, 171,590 pieces; spruce battens, 119,458 pieces. There is a decided shortage in the supply of the upper grades. At the Millwall Docks pine deals show an increase of about 650 standards. The belief is growing that the falling off in the importations this year will represent a larger percentage than was at first expected, whereupon certain importers are speculating in deals and battens for fall shipment. Higher prices are anticipated at Liverpool. The best quality of pine deals are selling readily at high figures, but the poorer grades move slowly. The stock of waney pine and first-class oak at Liverpool is lighter than has been known for some time. Birch logs continue firm in price.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Hempshire is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

The Bank of British North America is asking for tenders up to October 31st for 13,776 acres of British Columbia timber leases.

The Savanne Lumber Company, of Savanne, Ont., have received their last tow of logs for the season, numbering 200,000 pieces.

Vigars & Company, of Port Arthur, Ont., will supply a large quantity of timber for the new storage elevator to be built there by Barnet & Record.

There were exported from Canada to Bay City during the month of July 13,483,937 feet of pine lumber and 2,491,850 pieces of lath, with a total value of $216,345.67.

P. A. Smith, who has had charge of the logging operations for the Rat Portage Lumber Company, states that all of the company's logs are now in deep water ready for towing.

A fortnight ago Hale & Bell disposed of their limits in the township of Ermatinger to N.N. Wright & Company, who recently purchased a mill at Cutler. It is said that the consideration was $160,000.

The Montgomery Door & Box Company, of Buffalo, have purchased the entire stock of lumber belonging to the Sheppard & Morse Lumber Company at North Tonawanda. The latter intend giving up their yard at that point.

Bliss & Van Auken, of Saginaw, Mich., are offering to dispose of their entire stock of white pine, as they intend to discontinue that part of their business. They claim that white pine cannot now be handled from that market with advantage.

The total stock of wood in the public docks at London, England, on August 1st, 1902, was 20,439,000 pieces, as compared with 25,663,000 pieces in 1901, 16,882,000 pieces in 1900, and 15,127,000 pieces in 1899. Deliveries for the first seven months of this year were 22,960,000 pieces, against 23,786,000 pieces for same period last year.

Commenting upon the cooperage stock market, the Sutherland-Innes Company, of Chatham, Ont., say: The situation is not a good one from the manufacturer's standpoint. There is hardly a mill in the country running, being closed down either for lack of logs or rather than see stock mildew just as soon as it is placed in the yard. At present it looks as if the price of No. 1 stave will approach the present price of hoops before the season is over. The difficulty this season will not be to get enough hoops, but to get enough staves for the trade. Hoops are a little easier, staves are going up, while heading remains about the same.

We quote from the market report of S. P. Musson, Son & Company, Barbadoes, under date of August 2nd, as follows: There have been no further arrivals of white pine since our last, and a small cargo will probably bring fair prices. In spruce, the "Civilian" arrived from Tusket, N.S., on 21st ult., with 94,000 feet, which was placed at $19.60. The demand is very limited at present. The Civilian had a small lot of 22,000 laying spruce shingles, extra good quatity, which were sold at $2.21. A cargo of cedar by the "Lizzie Lindsay" was placed at $4.07 to $3.67½ for long; $6.27 for 5-inch; $7.27 for 6-inch; and $8.27 for 7-inch.

Spruce deals, say the Timber Trades Journal, keep on their recent firm basis of £7 7s. 6d. c.i.f. for common run of a mill, with corresponding increase for better specifications and assortments. Whilst on the subject of spruce deals, we may say David Roberts, Son & Co., Ltd., of this port, have just received a shipment of Roumanian spruce, chiefly 3x11 and 3x9, and of an extraordinary long average length, some running up to 32 ft. We saw some going though the planing machine and they come out with clear and satiny surface. These were being prepared for one of the Liverpool liners which has been chartered by the Government for five years for transport duty. As these fixtures will be permanent until the time charter is over, it speaks well for the quality of the new import. We hear, however, that the brokers are already asking a large advance in price, which in general opinion is likely to strangle the baby in its birth.

WAGON OAK.

Considerable activity marks the railway carriage and wagon building trade in the Midlands, says the Timber Trades Journal, of London, Eng. Orders, we learn from a good source, have come in from the chief foreign countries, some of which had previously been delayed owing to political complications. It is estimated that foreign orders worth £120,000 have come in by the last one or two mails, while recent government and other South African requirements will make up an additional £100,000. The home railways are also in the market for rolling stock. Oak being so largely used in railway carriage and waggon building, it is not surprising to find that prices both for Baltic hewn oak logs and for American white oak scantlings have advanced. Of the former, stocks at Danzig and Stettin are within unusually small compass, and the knowledge that one of the large English railroads were on the market with large inquiries led to shippers promptly advancing prices. With short stocks and higher prices at the Baltic ports the question of obtaining supplies from Odessa is one which is being urged by agents representing interests in that port. As regards American white oak scantlings, shippers appear to be very much behind hand with their contracts, owing to the scarcity of stock, and for further orders for prime planks advanced prices are being asked.

LONDON IMPORTS OF TIMBER.

Churchill & Sim say: From the St. Lawrence the arrivals have been: Pine deals, 712,000 pieces, against 1,005,000 pieces in 1901; spruce deals, 777,000 pcs., against 1,443,000 pieces in 1901. From New Brunswick and Nova Scotia: Pine deals, 90,000 pieces, against 176,000 pieces in 1901; spruce deals, 119,000 pieces, against 244,000 pieces in 1901; birch planks, 79,000 pieces, against 108,000 pieces in 1901. The importation of pine and spruce to this market has been very much reduced by the great demand elsewhere in the United Kingdom, and especially in America. Pine deals have been a quiet market, and prices have hardly moved except for the very best descriptions, which show some slight improvement. Spruce has been eagerly competed for at higher prices, and the small quantities available have mostly gone direct into consumption, leaving the stock in the docks a very small one. The position of hardwoods has slightly improved during the month, and the stocks have been refreshed by a few importations.

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From Vancouver, B. C.: August 4, str. Tartar, for China, 15,090 ft. rough fir, value $236, for Japan, 137,481 ft. rough fir, value $1,955, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co.

From St. John, N.B.: Barque Enrichette Accame, for Swansea, 585,704 ft. deals, 50,240 ft. ends, 151,524 ft. birch plank, 23,933 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay.

From Parrsboro, N. S.: August 15, steamer Maritime, for Manchester, 2,170,826 ft. deals, value $26,050: 393,050 ft. ends and scantling, value $3,785, by W. M. Mackay.

From Chatham, N.B.: August 1, str. Phoenix, for Manchester, England, 1,788,434 ft. deals, etc., by F. E. Neale. Barque Albarese, for Algiers, 527,000 ft. deals, etc., J. B. Snowball Co. August 7, schr. Baden Powell, for New York, 700,000 laths, by George Burchill & Sons. August 9, barque Gladan, for Mersey, 486,000 ft. deals and ends, by J. B. Snowball Co. Str. Cairo, for Glasgow, 729,910 ft. spool wood, by Clark & Service; 212,778 ft. deals, etc., by Damary & McDonald; 408,000 ft. deals, boards, and ends, by A. F. Bentley.

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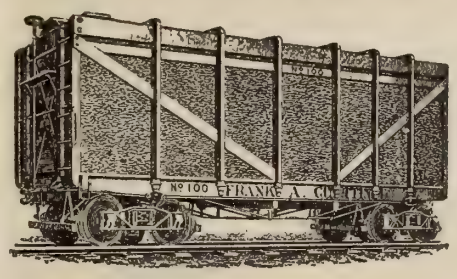

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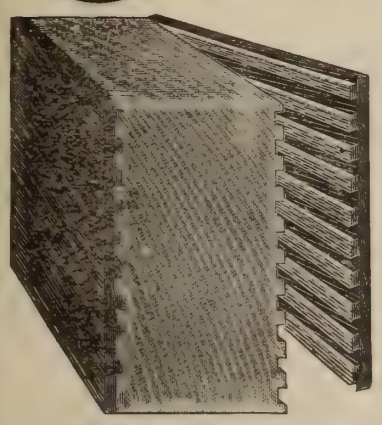

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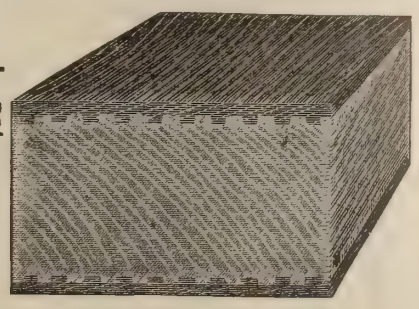

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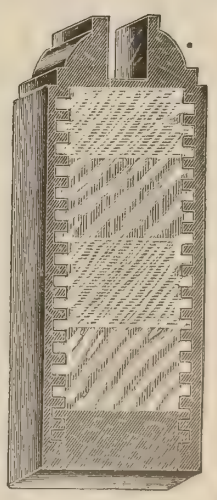

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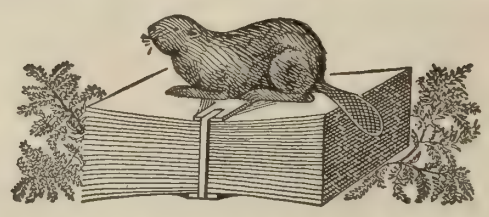

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Octave Blier, sash and door manufacturer, Fraserville, Que., is reported to have assigned.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber trade has been influenced by the assurance of good crops, and prices in one or two instances have further appreciated. While the better grades of pine lumber have been out of the market for some time, the same condition is now being experienced in respect to some of the lower grades. Such a situation at this season of the year, when stocks usually accumulate, is almost unprecedented and has created a very general opinion that lower prices will not be witnessed this year at least. Wholesale and retail dealers are buying for requirements and are not waiting in the expectation of obtaining better terms. It is said that preparations are being made for extensive operations in the woods this winter, but the excessive cost of labor and supplies is likely to prevent a large increase over the production of last season.

Manufacturers of flooring have advanced prices from $1 to $2 per thousand, to correspond with the higher values ruling in the United States. In Toronto retail trade is quite active, but prices on the best grades are lower accordingly than in any other market.

Among the hardwoods oak and basswood lead. Both kinds are in short supply and likely to advance in price. Shingles and lath are steady, with some manufacturers asking $1.85 for XX pine shingles at the mill.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Weather conditions are most favorable for harvesting operations in Manitoba and the North-west Territories, and the prediction of an abundant yield of grain is certain to be realized. This will mean much to the lumber business. The demand is gradually expanding and promises to be exceptionally large. The prosperity of the surrounding country is indicated by the volume of building operations in Winnipeg, where buildings representing a value of over $2,500,000 have been erected this year. Almost each day the announcement is made of the proposed erection of a large structure. Lumber and shingles are advancing in British Columbia, the mills being behind with orders. For Ontario delivery 6 to 2-inch cedar shingles are quoted at $2.90, and 5 to 2-inch at $3.30.

UNITED STATES.

Prospects are good for an immense demand for lumber in the United States.

The present movement indicates an active trade later in the season, to meet which retail dealers are now stocking up quite heavily. Green lumber is being shipped from Duluth, not only of the best grades, but of the poorer qualities also. The features of the past week have been an increased scarcity of piece stuff and an improved demand for low grade boards. At Buffalo cuts, barn boards and box are strong and moving in considerable quantities, with prospects of an advance in price before long. Dealers in Norway say that they are getting fully one dollar more than a month ago, and believe that the demand will be good enough to maintain it. Wholesale and retail dealers are stocking up for fall and winter and are contracting wherever they can find suitable stock almost regardless of price.

At a meeting of the price list committee of the North-western Hemlock Manufacturers' Association, held at Marshfield, Wisconsin, last week, all items of short piece stuff were advanced from fifty cents to $1 per thousand, 3 inch hemlock plank $1, and timbers 50 cents. A price of $3 was established on No. hemlock lath f.o.b. Wausau.

The hardwood trade continues steady. White ash is quiet temporarily, while on the other hand oak and birch are quick sellers at firm prices. A considerable quantity of timber is being used at Buffalo for piling.

Shingle prices have improved. The Duluth price for red cedar shingles is $2.50. There is a heavy call for white pine shingles, XXXX being quoted at $3.60 at Buffalo, where the stock is very light. Eighteen-inch hemlock shingles are selling at Pittsburg at $3.10. Pine lath are not so firm.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The tone of the British market is decidedly firm, and while all classes of Canadian lumber are in good demand, exceptionally favorable reports are heard regarding spruce deals. At a recent auction sale 3 x 9 third quality brought £9 15s per standard, and 3 x 6 unassorted £7 10s. A large firm of Irish importers recently made inquiry for a cargo of New Brunswick spruce deals and were asked £8 f.o.b. for 11-inch, 18 to 20 feet average. With freight added, the price delivered at a British port would be at least £10 per standard, an unusually high figure. Owing to the light import this season, higher prices are predicted for the fall months, with possibly a still higher range of values next year. First quality Quebec waney pine is almost unobtainable, and importers having any stock are asking fancy prices. It is probable that the production of square and waney timber in Canada during the coming winter will show an increase over last season, although on this point nothing definite is yet known. Should the production be greatly increased, it would prevent the advance which will otherwise take place.

It is reported that Hon. John Charlton, M. P., recently purchased from Hale & Booth, of Pembroke, extensive timber limits in the Wahnipitae district, paying therefor a price in the neighborhood of $300,000.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

A raft of 3,000,000 feet of hemlock logs left Parry Sound last week for Detroit, consigned to the Detroit Lumber Company.

A raft of 2,000,000 feet of pine logs, cut from deeded lands, has arrived at Saginaw, Mich., for the Palmerton Wooden-ware Works.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company last week sold to Detroit parties 1,000,000 feet of common lumber cut at the Sandwich mill.

The New Brunswick Government will offer for sale on September 3rd two miles of timber lands on Rider's Brook, a branch of the Canaan River.

The steamer Holmlea sailed last week from Montreal for Hull, with a cargo of deals. The steamer Petunia is loading a cargo of deals for London.

Bucknam Bros., of Severn Bridge, Ont., have purchased a timber limit at Rock Lake from the Canada Land Company and are about to build a saw mill there.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Interest in local lumber circles is divided between the limits and the mills; perhaps the former obtain a shade the better of the situation. It is now a settled fact that the operations on the different limits during the coming autumn and winter will be more extensive than for several years past. It does not need a search-light to locate the reason for this. Stocks standing in the yards are sold close to the saws, and a study of economic conditions indicates a continued prosperity. Lumbermen have not been compelled to wander far from their offices in search of customers, indeed it has been but a question of making the supply meet the demand. A local dealer who recently returned from a trip through Ottawa Valley towns, remarked yesterday that he never before saw such active and extensive preparations for operations on the limits. A. & P. White, the Pembroke Lumber Company, and the Munro Estate, of Pembroke, Chas. McCool, M. P., Nipissing, McLachlin Bros., Arnprior, and Gillies Bros., Braeside, will all reinforce their gangs on the limits. Extra territory will in several cases be cut over. The Ottawa firms are following the aame lead and the probabilities in short point with satisfactory natural conditions to an increased log output.

Another feature is the increased attention being paid the production of square timber. On reliable authority it is estimated that fully 2,000,000 cubic feet of square timber will be taken out during the season just opened. This will be an increase of over 500,000 feet on last season's cut, the largest in years.

The following firms, amongst others, will engage in the square timber business: Robert Hurdman, Rideau Lumber Company, Chas. McCool, M.P., Hull Lumber Company, Shepard & Morse Lumber Company, Fraser & Company, J. R. Booth and Edward Moore, of Ottawa, and R. H. Klock, Mattawa. Several of these firms will enter the square timber line after an absence of several seasons from that business.

Considerable difficulty is being experienced in securing men capable of working on square timber. The decline in the demand in recent years has caused the bush and axe men to neglect the fine points of scoring, marking and hewing, and now that the services of experienced men are again in demand the number is reduced and wages have advanced accordingly.

While opinions conflict in some degree as to the state of the local lumber markets, it is agreed that prices have suffered no change with the exception mentioned in the last letter of hardwood. Ash and basswood have gained additional favor and prices have advanced a degree.

Although some of the dealers complain of vacation slackness, officials of both the Canadian Pacific and Canada Atlantic Railways report business good, the movement of lumber, lath and shingles from all mill points being large. The New York market is drawing heavily on the mills of the Ottawa district, and almost the entire output of lath is finding its way to points in Pennsylvania and Ohio. The prospects for the fall business are good.

Over $300,000 was involved in a recent deal whereby the W.C. Edwards Company purchased limits in the Temiscamingue country, previously owned by the Arthur Hill Company. The Edwards Company will conduct operations on the newly purchased limits this season. The limits are said to contain valuable timber, including large areas of pine, maple and spruce. The Edwards Company have an output for its hardwoods in its factory in Ottawa, where the finest lines of office furnishings are turned out.

As was predicted in a recent Ottawa letter in the CANADA LUMBERMAN, the Upper Ottawa Improvement Company has decided to extend its territory of operations from Des Joachims, above Pembroke, to the head of Lake Temiscamingue.

Heretofore this work has been done exclusively by the line of steamers owned and operated by Alexander Lumsden, ex. M.P.P., and run in connection with the Upper Ottawa Company's boats. If the latter concern cannot secure control of the Lumsden line, it will purchase and operate boats on a new line. It was at the request of the lumbermen that the company decided to extend its operations. Hereafter the work of handling the logs and supplies will be conducted with greater expediency.

Ald. Chas. D. Amour, of Hull, recently secured a large contract of supplying timber for use as "piling" in the Montreal harbor improvement work. He has disposed of over 6,000 telephone and telegraph poles this season. His latest sale was made to the Sydney, C.B., Electric Company, to whom he sold 1,500 poles.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

During the past six months a number of American lumbermen have had their cruisers in the unoccupied timber lands of British Columbia, presumably for the purpose of securing limits to supply the mills which they contemplated building on this side of the line or to provide a supply for their mills in Washington should the Provincial Government revoke the act prohibiting the exportation of logs from British Columbia. Although these cruisers found considerable areas of timber lands accessible to the water, very few limits were taken up or purchased, as there was no likelihood of the act above spoken of being revoked, and the mills now in operation in British Columbia are more than sufficient to supply the Canadian market. If new mills were built their product would for the most part have to find a market in the United States, and the tariff, now almost prohibitory, might in the future be raised and the mills would then be thrown out of business. If British Columbia manufacturers had free entry into the United States markets it is safe to venture the assertion that the number of mills in operation here would be quadrupled within two years, and plenty of accessible cedar would be found to supply them for many years.

By "accessible cedar" is meant that now adjacent to salt water and which can be put in the water under the present system of logging and the prices prevailing for logs. Under present prices which mill men are able to pay for logs, the latter must be so near the water that donkey engines and horses are sufficient plant to put them in at a profit. As prices advance railroads will be added to the plant and large areas of timber inaccessible under present conditions will become accessible. A large portion, in fact the greater portion of the best timber areas now accessible to the water, is held by the large mill companies here, and although there is a large amount of timber lands not taken up, they are individually of small area and scattered.

The statement recently published that American lumbermen were unable to find any quantity of accessible cedar in British Columbia is largely incorrect. The real

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cause of their not erecting mills here was a lack of market for the Canadian product. It is true that at present Canadian mills cannot supply the immediate demand for shingles in Ontario and Manitoba, but they were unprepared for such a large demand and consequently had little stock on hand when the rush came, and many of them had made provision for a supply of cedar timber sufficient to run ten hours per day only. The mills here will likely stock heavily during the winter, and it is not probable that there will be a scarcity next year. If the crops had been a failure in the North-west Territories and Manitoba, it is doubtful if the mills now in operation would have had sufficient orders to keep them running more than ten hours per day.

The fishing season has almost closed, and labor will be more plentiful and at reduced prices for Oriental labor. Prices of lumber are firm and likely to advance still further within the next few weeks. The demand for logs is good, and prices high for this province, with no likelihood of weakening, owing to the increased cost of putting them in the water. Foreign shipments are brisk at fair prices.

VANCOUVER, August 20th, 1902.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N. S.: August 19, barque Conte Geza Syapary, for Port Talbot, Eng., 536,250 ft. deals, etc., value $5,754. Str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 615,291 ft. deals, etc., value $6,632. Barque Cora, for Barry Dock, Eng., 1,220,400 ft. lumber, value $12,028. Barque Aarvak, for Garston, Eng., 887,000 ft. deals, value $8,874. Schr. Scylla, for St. Pierre, 71,000 ft. lumber, value $710. August 15, str. Briardene, for Bordeaux, France, 1,899,554 ft. lumber, value $22,396. August 11, barque Courant, for Londonderry, Ireland, 880,025ft. deals, etc., value $8,808. Barque Nino Fravega, for Swansea, Eng., 717,428 ft. deals, value $7,626.

From Vancouver, B. C.: August 15, Tug St. Claire, for United States, 537,090 ft. cedar logs, value $3,490, by J. G. Woods.

From Shediac, N.B.: August 16, barque Veromea, for Sharpness, Eng., lumber, value $5,107, by M. Wood & Sons, of Sackville.

From St. John, N. B.: Barque Avenire, for Cork, Ired, 632,108 ft. deals, 29,423 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay. Barque Zippara, for Bantry, 779,587 ft. deals, 21,448 ft. ends, by J. M. Driscoll. Str. Mantinea, for Brow Head, 2,107,970 ft. deals, 150,150 ft. scantling, 152,744 ft. boards, 77,144 ft. ends, by George McKean.

From Montreal: Str. Belgian, sailed August 12th, for London, 9255 pcs. pine deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 9509 pcs. pine deals, 2,728 pcs. birch planks, 11,403 pcs. spruce deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 2,361 pcs. pine deals, 1,010 pcs. pine ends, 118 pcs. deals, 7,617 pcs. spruce deals, 2,971 pcs. pine boards, 1,552 pcs. pine ends, 1,557 pcs. pine deals, 1,208 pcs. pine ends, by Watson & Todd; 38,161 pcs. deals, 142 logs ash timber, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Lycia, sailed August 8th, for London, 30 pcs. hardwood lumber, by M. & L. Samuel Benjamin; 11,121 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 32,743 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1,128 bundles lumber, by C.P.R.; 482 pcs. birch lumber, 446 pcs. birch, by G.T.R. Str. Tuetonia, sailed August 13th, for Hamburg, 4,585 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Str. Dunmore Head, sailed August 14th, for Portsmouth, 3,132 pcs. deals, etc., by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Ceylon, sailed August 14th, for Hull, 27,899 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Str. Potomac, sailed August 14th, for Antwerp, 222 pcs. deals, 3,920 pcs.

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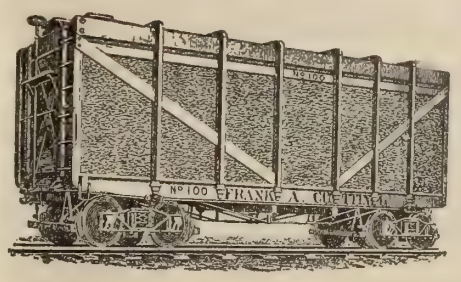

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J. Atkinson has sold his stave mill at Cowal, Ont., to J. B. Coates.

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 15th August, 1902 The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A firm of importers and merchants at Lourenco Marques, East Africa, is proposing to open a sample show room at that port and wish to hear from Canadian manufacturers who would be likely to exhibit.

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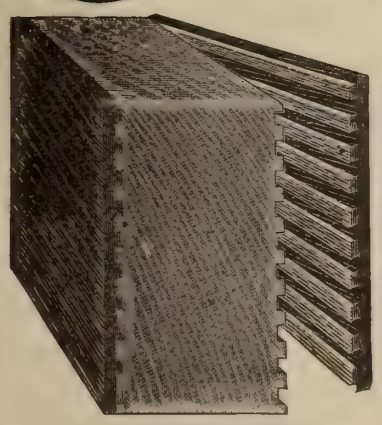

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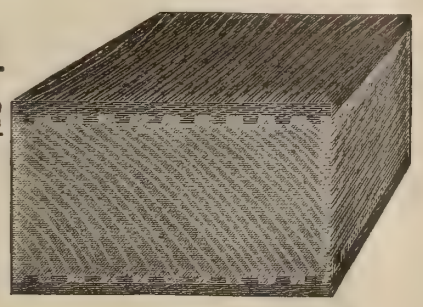

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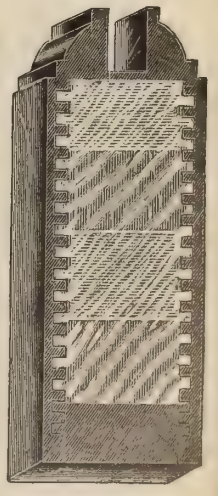

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White pine	505,666	394,847	297,570
Red pine	60,796	06,435	59,947
Oak	429,302	371,305	505,742
Elm	586,031	828,137	527,884
Ash	81,227	127,565	68,438
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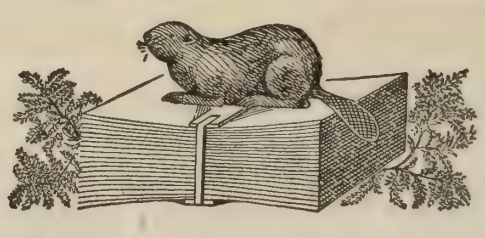

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Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M:		
No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles:		
Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles:		
XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 65	
No. 2. White Pine		3 10
Hemlock		2 70

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	3·

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	5o

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 n., 10 n. and up wide	$69 oc	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$66 oo
1¼ 1½ and 2 in	69 oo	1¼, 1½ and in	66 oo
2½ and 3 in.	70 oo	2½ and 3 in.	70 oo
4 in	75 oo	4 in	70 oo

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 oo	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 oo
1¼ and 1½ in.	55 oo	4 in	66 co
2in	55 oo		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 oo	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	55 oo
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 co	4 in	58 oo
2in	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 oo	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 oo
1¼x6 in. wide	47 oo	6 in. wide	47 oo

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 oo	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 oo
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 oo	in., 6 in. wide	47 oo

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 oo	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 oo

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	28 oo	No. 2, 9 in	21 oo
10 in	23 oo	8 and 7 in.	21 oo
9 in	21 oo	No. 3, 12 in.	21 50
8 and 7 in.	22 oo	10 in	18 co
No. 2, 12 in	25 oo	9 in	18 50
10 in	21 oo	8 in	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 oo	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 oo
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 co	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 oo
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 oo		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 oo	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	33 oo
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 oo	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	33 co

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 oo	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 oo	Clear Butts	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$78	80	
2½ in.	78	80	
1 to 2 in.	73	75	
4 inch uppers	70	80	
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	
1 to 2 in.	65	70	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	
1 to 2 in.	55	60	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	
No. 2	30	42	
No. 3	22	25	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	30	35	
Stained saps	25	3°	
Bracket plank	30	35	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow		23	
1x10 inch shippers	20	21	
1x12 inch shippers	$22	$23	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		23	
4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18	
10-in. dressing and better	29	30	
10-in. common	18	19	
12-in. dressing and better	35	37	
Common, 1x12	19	20	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29	
1x10	24	26	
1x8	22	24	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	24	25	
1x10	22	23	
1x8	20	21	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	35	
" " 2 inch	35	4c	
Dressing	26	32	
Common		20	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$ $3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 oo	1¼x10 and 12	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 oo	1½ in.	34 50
4 in.	75 oo	2 in	36 50
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	63 oo	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 oo	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 co 45 00
4 in.	67 oo	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 co
Fine common, 1 in.	54 oo	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 oo	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in	56 oo	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	65 oo	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in	65 oo	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 oo	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 oo	Box, 1 x 4	15 oc
No. 2, 1 in.	23 oo	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 oo	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 oo	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in. 40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips 19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 co	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 22 00 24 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	11 co	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Two months ago it was predicted that prices of white pine lumber had reached the top notch for the present movement at least. Since that time the situation has steadily grown stronger, a few grades have advanced in price, and there promises to be witnessed a further appreciation in lumber prices generally. The flourishing condition of the country at large, and of manufacturing enterprises in particular, augurs well for a heavy consumption of lumber during the fall and winter months. This, coupled with the pronounced shortage of stock, is the basis of the present hopeful feeling in respect to the future of lumber. It would seem to be the wisest policy for buyers of lumber to anticipate their wants as far as possible for the balance of the year and place orders on the present basis of values, as a weaker market is extremely improbable. Western Ontario is now furnishing the bulk of the white pine lumber handled in the Saginaw valley, and dealers in that district are still in the market for stock. The demand for large blocks of lumber has this season been so heavy that dealers in car lots have found it extremely difficult to obtain the lumber required to supply their customers. Some Toronto dealers report that they have been compelled to refuse orders for this reason. There will doubtless be much activity in the woods this winter, with large blocks of stock taken out on contract for the purpose of supplying United States dealers.

Hardwood stocks are becoming reduced to a low point, and it is almost surprising that prices have not advanced to a greater extent. As the true situa-

tion becomes more generally recognized a sharp advance in some lines of hardwoods may be expected. The scarcity of basswood still continues.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce market is exceptionally strong. When the mills close down for the season they will be carrying very little stock that has not been contracted for. The low freight rates have enabled shippers to place lumber on the British market at a comparatively low figure. Prices of square and waney timber are unchanged. The figures showing the quantity which has reached Quebec this season will be found in another column. The proposed improvements to Quebec harbor, on which tenders have just been taken, will cost upwards of one million dollars, and will call for considerable large timber.

UNITED STATES.

The slight weakness incident to the summer months has passed away, and now that the harvest is almost over the demand for lumber is increasing and promises to assume large proportions during the fall months. The effect on the lumber trade of the abundant harvest of corn and the smaller grains overshadows all other features and assures another year at least of general commercial prosperity. It is evident from the volume of trade that this is the view taken by dealers and consumers. White pine leads all other classes of lumber. Sales are being made at the quotations last given, although a slight weakness has exhibited itself in low grade inch pine, and the better grades show a tendency to advance. It is not unusual for dealers to ask an advance of from $1 to $2 per thousand over list quotations on selects and uppers. At Toledo, Ohio, No. 4 boards show increased strength, while Norway is selling at an advance of $1, and some dealers have advanced hemlock prices 50 cents. There is a tendency on the part of buyers of hemlock to want special widths and sizes instead of buying it merchantable, as has been the rule in the past. It is expected that Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers will put out a list within a week making an advance of 50 cents on hemlock, the supply of which seems to be growing shorter every day. The base price will then be $15.50. Spruce continues in strong demand. Prices are unchanged, although the rush of orders now reported is likely to bring about an early advance. All grades of hardwood lumber are moving actively. A New York dealer reports that he is selling cull hardwoods at a higher price than ever before. Basswood and maple are holding the strong position they recently acquired, while there is less complaint of a shortage of oak than there was two months ago. The tone of the shingle and lath market is in line with lumber. The building trade throughout the Eastern States is exceptionally active and is consuming large quantities of shingle and lath as well as lumber. No. 1 white pine lath are quoted as high as $4 at Tonawanda. In Chicago the price is given as $3.50.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Steadiness characterizes the British timber market. Wet weather has interfered with house building and other outdoor operations, but the volume of business in lumber has been sufficient to maintain prices. Information recently received that prices of Swedish lumber had been advanced exerted a favorable influence upon the market. Prices realized at auction sales in August show conclusively that there is a strong demand for the better qualities of Canadian lumber. As imports for the balance of the season are expected to be light, it is believed that there will be no difficulty in holding the present range of prices throughout the year. Favorable reports are still chronicled regarding spruce lumber. Writing of the Liverpool market a correspondent of the Timber Trades Journal says: "The spruce market is still in the same firm position; some shippers are pretty well sold out, and what they possess they purpose holding until the autumn or winter shipments are to be made by the liners. Judging from advices we have from abroad and from the attitude here, the position of the spruce market is likely to be maintained for the remainder of the season, if indeed an advance is not made. This will certainly be the case for cargoes in sailing vessels as soon as the prohibition of carrying deck loads comes in vogue." In London the market shows signs of coming strength, current quotations for Quebec third quality spruce being £9 15s c.i.f., and for 3 x 7 and 8 £7 5s to £7 10s, according to specification.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The retail price of pine shingles in the Buffalo market is $1.50.

The steamer Rap is about to load deals at Cape Tormentine, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

The barque Kohola has sailed with lumber from the Hastings mills, Vancouver, B. C., for Delagoa Bay, South Africa.

The Bryan Manufacturing Company, of Collingwood, Ont., are reported to have purchased 1,000,000 feet of lumber from the Holland-Graves Lumber Company, of Byng Inlet.

Frank I. Alliger, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., recently purchased 3,500,000 feet of box and other minor grades of white pine in the Georgian Bay district, to be shipped to Tonawanda.

The Millar-McCool Lumber Company has been formed in Pembroke. They have purchased a limit on the Georgian Bay which they will operate during the coming winter, taking out a quantity of square timber.

The statement was made last week that Hon. John Charlton had purchased timber limits in the Wahnipitæ district from Hale & Booth, of Pembroke. The limits purchased by Mr. Charlton were owned by Booth & Shannon.

The iron barque Weatherfield is loading a cargo of lumber at Montreal for Adelaide, Aus. The cargo will consist largely of pine from the Ottawa valley. The trip from Montreal to Australia will occupy over 100 days.

A Buffalo dealer furnishes the following prices of inch white pine in leading grades: Uppers, $75; selects, $79; fine common, $60; No. 1 cuts, $40; No. 2 cuts, $25; No. 1 moulding, $50; No. 1 shelving, 10 inches and wider, $42; No. 1 dressing, $35; shaky clear, 4 inches and wider, $35; box, 6 inches and wider, $17.50; 1x12 box $20; No. 1 barn, $26 to $32; No. 2 barn, $23.50 to $26; No. 3 barn, $19 to $23; mill culls, 4 inches and wider, $14 to $14.50.

A. S. Kibbee & Son and D. L. White & Company, of Albany, N. Y., have just closed one of the largest timber purchases in the history of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan with Ferguson Bros., of Munising. The amount involved in the deal is about $500,000. Ferguson Bros. are to cut the pine from a tract of timber of 20,000 acres on the Dead River, northwest of Marquette. It is estimated that there is about 50,000,000 to 60,000,000 feet of pine in the tract. The pine will be sawed at Marquette and distributed from there.

The following timber berths were sold at the Crown Lands Office, Fredericton, N. B., last week: S. W. of Crocker's Lake, parish of Derby, two miles, to Robert E. Parks, at $8 a mile; Cain's river, two miles, to Wm. Richards Company, at $8 a mile; Bass River, Gloucester county, three miles, to T. B. Winslow, at $104 a mile; North branch, Newcastle River, two miles, to Sayre & Holly Lumber Co., $9 a mile; East of Hazleton Settlement, S. W. Miramichi, two miles, to Thomas Parker, at $8 a mile; Dideguash River, two miles, to F. H. Todd & Sons, at $15 a mile.

Of the Barbadoes lumber market Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their report of August 16th, say: "There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce within the fortnight. The demand, as usual at this season of the year, is very limited, but a small cargo of suitable white pine would probably bring fair prices. Spruce will not be wanted to any extent until later in the year, but a small cargo might be placed at about late rates. The only arrival in shingles is 134,000 by the "Resolute" from Gaspe, Que., of which 79,000 of Spruce Laying were sold at $2.25½, and 55,000 Cedar Laying at same price.

SPRUCE IN NEW YORK.

The following reference to the spruce lumber market of New York is interesting: The spruce market perhaps more than any other is a shining example of present conditions in the wholesale market, while its prevailing features are based on actual conditions from sources of supply to consuming centres rather than on any outside causes. In conversation with a local Eastern Spruce house last week they said:

"Spruce is a bull situation from top to bottom and unless all signs fail we will see the highest price for spruce lumber and logs before snow flies that we have ever known. There is a short log supply at the mills, while conditions in the consuming markets are such that manufacturers and commission men are getting any price within reason for their lumber. It is not a question of price but simply of being able to furnish the material, and, even if the demand should fall off more than one half during the next three months, the conditions are such at producing sources that the highest average price will result just the same. We have had the biggest business this year that we have ever had. We have had the highest average price for our lumber that we have ever had, and yet with all this the market to all appearances, throughout all this season, has been a dull one and it has been necessary for us to go after the business as hard as in ordinary times, and yet we have had these results."

This is, indeed, a singular condition, but nevertheless a true one, and while the same conditions have been experienced in other lumber, they have not been so pronounced as in the spruce market. As a matter of fact the largest amount of business and the highest average price which has been obtained by the manufacturers cannot in reality be harmonius with a dull market, and yet that is just what has happened and makes the why and wherefore doubly hard to figure out.

The arrival of Eastern Spruce continues light, but what was arriving at last reports was selling promptly at $17 to $18.50 for narrow random, $18.50 to $21 for wide random, and $20 to $23 for special orders, with lath firm at $3 to $3.25, with an upward tendency. The arrivals of random cargoes from now on will be light, as those firms owning mills are sawing nothing but special orders and will continue to do so under present conditions, as the demand for this class of stock is brisk.

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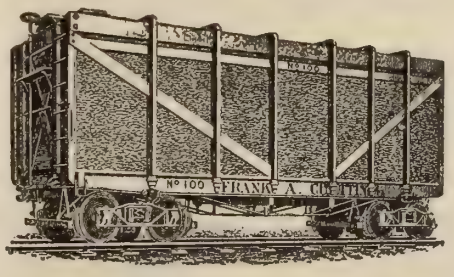

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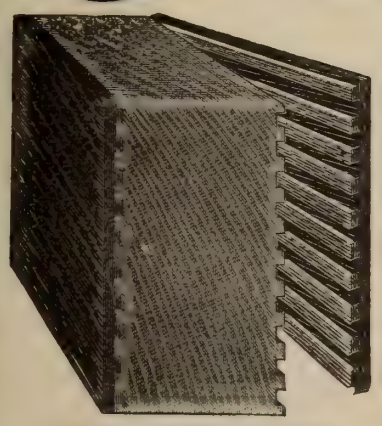

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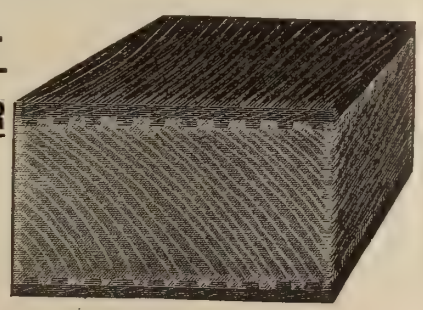

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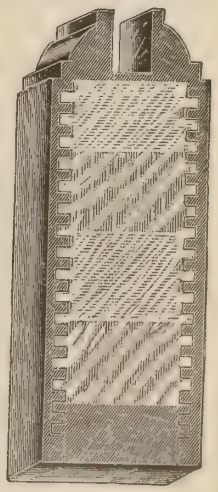

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	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine	1,366,183	984,375	1,591,600
White pine	505,666	412,132	298,600
Red pine	60,796	77,790	63,080
Oak	429,302	385,432	527,760
Elm	586,031	910,032	561,800
Ash	81,227	134,430	79,240
Basswood	241	464	....
Butternut	142	944	....
Tamarac	71	198	....
Birch and Maple	392,149	306,842	164,300

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Hardwood lumber is steady and unchanged: Quartered oak, $64 to $66; plain oak, $41 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, no market; whitewood, $42 to $43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

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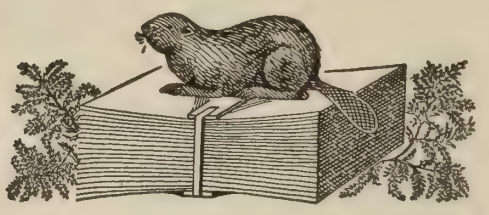

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

It may seem monotonous to repeat week after week that the lumber market is firm and exhibiting indications of further advances. Yet the conditions actually existing cannot be ignored. There is an underlying current of strength which bids fair to bring about higher prices in some grades at least as soon as increased activity shall develop. This is looked for in the near future, as already the fall movement has commenced in a slight degree. As new grain is marketed part of the proceeds therefrom will find its way to the lumber manufacturer. The upper grades of white pine have all season been scarce and in urgent demand. This condition still exists. Cull lumber has not been quiet, but the movement in it has not been in line with the higher grades. Within the past fortnight this class of lumber has commenced to move more freely in both the Canadian and United States markets. Some manufacturers claim that prices must advance, as wages are high, stumpage advancing, and men scarce and not disposed to work steadily. It is claimed that the stock of white pine lumber will not be sufficient to supply the demand from all sources until the cut of next year is ready for the market. This accounts in part for the strength of hemlock lumber and the recent advance of $1 in the price of long stuff.

All classes of hardwoods are firm and in good demand. The scarcity in birch and basswood is more pronounced than in other hardwoods. The hardwood market would seem to be almost entirely in the hands of the manufacturers, who, if they hold together, will probably be able to realize materially higher prices before the end of the year.

Shingles are very scarce and in great demand. For XXX 10-inch clear butts $2.75 at the mill is freely paid.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market is remarkably strong. Inquiries for stock are coming in faster than the orders can be filled. A favorable factor is that the buying is not confined to any one market, the lumber being wanted for Great Britain, United States, West Indies and South America, as well as for home consumption. It is not anticipated that prices will advance materially, although certain grades may go higher. Clapboards have retained their recent advance to $40 to $42 for extras, Boston delivery. Large shipments of lath are being made to the United States. Shingles are firm at recent quotations.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber demand throughout Manitoba and Western Ontario could scarcely be better. Mills are far behind with orders and the immediate future promises no relief. Naturally prices have advanced. British Columbia lumber has recently been advanced $1 on eastern shipments, $2 on foreign shipments and 15 cents on shingles. Freight rates are weak with a downward tendency, particularly for Australia and South Africa. Exporters are thus enabled to place lumber on foreign markets at the minimum of cost. A scarcity of freight cars has interfered with eastern shipments, but the railroad companies have promised to remedy this trouble.

UNITED STATES.

The white pine lumber situation has changed in one or two respects. Dimension and norway are exceptionally scarce and strong, while No. 4 and 5 boards are slightly weaker. There is a growing feeling that a further advance will take place in the price of all piece stuff, notwithstanding that dimension is probably selling higher than ever in the past. The weakness in the lower grades of boards is not such as to cause alarm, but is probably due to the fact that wet weather and delayed farming operations have combined to prevent a large movement of lumber in the agricultural districts, where the poorer class of lumber is consumed. The white pine market as a whole is very strong, and expectations justify the prediction that trade during the fall will be unusually active. It is reported that lumber is being shipped in large quantities to the striking coal regions, which is regarded as indicating an early settlement of the strike. Hemlock lumber is stronger. A new price list went into effect at Philadelphia on September 2 making an advance of from 50 cents to $1.50 per thousand and establishing a new base by excluding the 16 foot lengths, which are given a price $1 higher. The domestic demand for hardwoods has made up for the slackness in export trade. Prices remain firm and are expected to advance with the full advent of the fall demand, which is now exhibiting itself only in a moderate degree. The maple flooring market is again quieter. Shingles and lath are advancing. In the Saginaw Valley the best grade of pine shingles is held at $4.25 and 18-inch white cedar shingles at $3.90 for XXXX.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Further strength has been shown in lumber prices in Great Britain since our last report. The advance in spruce values has come sooner than was anticipated, and all grades have been marked up fully five shillings per standard at Liverpool. A few lots are still offering at £8 15s. c.i.f. London for 3x9 third quality, but most shippers are obtaining an advance on these figures ranging from 2s. 6d. to 5s. per standard. At the public sales £9 15s. has been realized. First-class pine in all dimensions continues scarce, whilst 3x9 third quality is commanding £11 15s. c. i. f. Liverpool. Importers who purchased early in the season have profitted thereby, and are likely to be further benefitted, as the chance of a decline in prices is very remote. Birch timber brought from 32s. to 35s. per load at a recent auction sale. Staves have declined from £3 10s. to £3, but it is predicted that this weakness will be only temporary.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

A raft of 6,000 logs containing about 4,000,000 feet recently arrived at Collingwood, Ont., for the J. & T. Charlton Saw Mill Company.

J. R. Booth, of Ottawa, will engage in the square timber business this winter and will take out about 150,000 cubic feet on his Mattawa limits.

The barque Hecla is loading lumber at Chemainus, B. C., for Australia. The barque Emma Louisa sailed last week from Chemainus for Valparaiso with lumber.

The Rathbun Company are reported to have purchased a block of timber in Burton township, Haliburton county, from the Canadian Land Company, which they will operato this winter.

Fire in the yard of Bradley, Miller & Company, Bay City, Mich., last week destroyed 1,000,000 feet of lumber, 3,000,000 pieces of lath, 200,000 shingles and several hundred feet of deckage.

Chas. Querengesser, of Brodhagen, Ont., has formed a syndicate to operate the timber limits which he recently purchased in New Ontario. A fortnight ago an additional 900 acres were purchased. It is understood that several portable mills will be operated on the limits this winter.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., will operate five camps in the woods this winter. They expect to take out 5,000,000 feet. Joseph Turner expects to take out a similar quantity, and the Moulthrop Lumber Company, of John's Island, will take out about 15,000,000 feet.

The Cleveland-Ohio price list on white pine, adopted a fortnight ago, makes several changes, including the following: $19 for 2 x 4, 6 and 8 inch, 16 feet and under; $20 for 2 x 10, 18 feet and under; $23 for 2 x 12, 18 feet and under. For hemlock $14.50 is named for 2 x 4 to 10, 14 feet and under; $15 for 16 foot same sizes; $17 for 2 x 4 to 2 x 12, 18 foot.

During the month there were received at Tonawanda by vessel 70,000,000 feet of lumber, as compared with 63,000,000 feet for the preceding month. Shipments of lumber from the Tonawandas by canal last month exceeded those of any previous month this season, being over 30,000,000 feet.

The following reference to the Barbadoes market is furnished by Clairmonte, Mann & Company: "Merchantable white pine is wanted, the last sale being at $26 per thousand. Second quality is in oversupply and sells at $17.50. The last sale of spruce was at $19.60. The "Lizzie Lindsay" arrived from Gaspe, Que., with 506,000 Long Gaspe cedar shingles. Sales were made at $3.67½ to $4.07 per M, quality ordinary. Laying shingles are quoted at $2.25½.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Mr. Charles McCool, M. P., of Nipissing, now a resident of Ottawa, and Mr. John P. Millar, of Pembroke, have formed a partnership to conduct lumbering operations. They have purchased from the estate of the late J. W. Munro, M. P. P., Pembroke, a limit in Whitman township near Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. The financial consideration is in the neighborhood of $150,000. Square timber operations will be conducted on the new limits. Another deal involving a large sum is under consideration. Other parties are interested in this.

Continued prosperity and a promising future have created a revival and an increased demand for good limits. From present indications the Ottawa and Ottawa Valley companies will work every foot of available territory this season.

Canadian lumbermen are turning their attention towards the States. Recently the Read Lumber Company was organized in Ottawa to operate in Southern California. Last week Mr. Charles Warren, of the Imperial Lumber Company, Toronto, returned from Kentucky. He is said to have secured 3,600 acres of hardwood lands in that State, which will be operated.

The last number of the Canada Gazette contained notice of the formation of a new lumber company with a capital of $500,000. The members are James H. Sanderson and Edward Moore, Prince Albert, N.W.T., and Kenneth McDonald and Hector McDonald, merchants, Ottawa. The seat of operations is not mentioned.

J. B. Giroux, of Lefebvre, a village on the Ottawa River, was yesterday committed for trial on two charges of "defacing and concealing saw logs."

It was Ald. Charles Desmaris, of Hull, not Ald. Charles D'Amour, as previously announced, who secured the contract for supplying timber for the new Montreal harbor works.

Ex-Mayor Bingham, who has charge of the log drives on the Gatineau, was in the city to-day. He reports the drives in point of number of logs contained ahead of last year's. Continued rains facilitated the work, and the logs were moved somewhat earlier this year than last.

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The following prices were paid for Canadian deals, etc., at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on August 27:

PINE.—Ex. Etolia, from Montreal—12-13 ft. 3x11 in. second quality, £19 per std. Ex. Brazillian, from Montreal—6-9 ft. 3x7-8 in. third quality, £11. Ex. Drot, from Montreal—12-16 ft. 3x9-10 in. fourth quality, £9 10s; 12-16 ft. 3x7-8, £9 5s. Ex. Forest Holme, from Quebec—9-17 ft. 3x6-10 in. first quality, £19. Ex. Everingham, from Montreal, 15-17 ft. 3x11 in. third quality, £12 15s; 12-16 ft. 3x11-12, £12 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x11, £12 10s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Drot, from Quebec—10-16 ft. 1x11 in. first quality, £11 10s. per std; 10-16 ft. 1x10 in., £10 15s; 12-13 ft. 1x9, £7 5s; 9-16 ft. 1x9 in., £7 5s; 10-16 ft. 1x11 in. second quality, £9 10s; 12-16 ft. 1x10, £8 15s; 12-16 ft. 1x9, £9 5s; 6-8 ft. 3x11 in. fourth quality, £7 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x7-8, £7. Ex. Marian, from Quebec—11-17 ft. 3x6 in. third quality, £7; 10-16 ft. 3x6 in. fourth quality, £7. Ex. Yoruba, from Montreal—12-13 ft. 3x10 in. fourth quality, £7 15s; 12-16 ft. 3x8, £7 5s; 11-14 ft. 3x10, £7 15s; 12-24 ft. 3x8, £7 5s; 11-14 ft. 3x7 in., £7. Ex. Milwaukee, from Quebec—6-14 ft. 3x5-9 in. first quality, £6 15s. Ex. Riplingham, from Chatham, N.B.—10-11 ft. 2½x7 in. unassorted, £7. Ex. Mexican, from Quebec—6-15 ft. 2x9 in. third quality, £8 15s; 6-15 ft. 2x7 in. £8 5s; 6-15 ft. 2x8-9 in. fourth quality, £7 10s; 6-15 ft. 2x7 in., £7 5s. Ex. Stratford, 10-15 ft. 3x6 in. fourth quality, £6 15s; 10-14 ft. 3x6 in., £7. Ex. Hovding, from Quebec—12-15 ft. 3x10 in. unassorted, £8 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x10, £9; 10-12 ft. 3x10, £8 15s.

BIRCH.—Ex. Ranmoor, from Miramichi, N.B.—5-15 ft. 3-4x5-12 in., 1s per cubic foot; 4-18 ft. 2x4-12 in., 1s. 2d. Ex. Iberian, from Quebec—18 inch and under 20 inch, 32s. 6d. to 35s. per load of 50 cubic feet; under 16 in., 35s.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN).

During the past week prices of umber have increased one dollar per thousand on eastern shipments, and fifteen cents per thousand on shingles. The price on foreign cargoes has also advanced two dollars per thousand. The increased demand has been the principal cause of the present rise in price, but it is not likely that further advances will be made for a period of six months unless something unusual happens.

The most serious handicap the mills have had for a number of years in filling orders is the scarcity of cars which has prevailed for the past two months. Some mills have not had over one-fourth the number of cars required to move shipments east. Much dissatisfaction now prevails, and the outlook for the future supply is far from encouraging. Unless more cars can be had some of the mills may have to shut down. The Railway Company claims to be doing everything possible to relieve the situation, but as yet little has been done. Some mills have established slips and are having Great Northern Railway barges bring around cars for Ontario shipments. This will in a small measure relieve the situation.

The weather continues fine for logging operations and some new camps are being established. Wages are still high for good men, but the supply is more plentiful since the fishing season has closed. Work could easily be found in the lumber camps of British Columbia for four or five hundred good reliable men, and eastern Canadians accustomed to such work can find work at wages ranging from $2.50 to $4.00 per day. Over fifty per cent. of the men employed with lumber camps of this province are very unreliable and are continually changing from one camp to another. With the introduction of a better class of men logging operations could be carried on more successfully.

Vancouver, August 28th, 1902.

E. C. Leblanc, planing mill, Mattawa, Ont., is reported to have assigned to D. A. Dunlop.

The Barker Lumber Company's saw mill at Burford, Ont., together with a quantity of lumber, was destroyed by fire on September 4. The loss is about $6,000.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N. S. : Sept. 2, barque Flora, for Wales, 491,216 feet lumber, value $4,956. Str. Banta, for British West Indies, 50,052 ft. lumber, value $700. Sept. 5, barque Rolph, for Port Maddock, England, 240,654 ft. deals, value $2,736.

From Shediac, N. B. : August 30, barque Gamma, for Great Britain, deals, etc., value $5,090, by J. L. Black & Sons.

From Chatham, N. B. : August 15, Str. Fairmead, for Bristol, 1,790,768 ft. deals, etc., by F. E. Neale. August 16, Str. Comoxa, for Manchester, 1,321,022 ft. deals, etc., by W. M. Mackay ; 1,895,763 tf. deals, by F. A. Bentley. August 25, barque Elma, for Cork, 642,339 ft. deals and ends, by F. E. Neale. Aug. 28th, schr. Advent, for New York, 1,900,000 laths, by J. B. Snowball Co. Aug. 29, schr. Demaraland, for New York, 1,300,000 laths, by William Richards Co. Schr. Rarola, for New York, 1,000,000 laths by Demary & McDonald. Aug. 30, barque Nova Scotia, for Belfast, 947,000 ft. deals, etc., by J. B. Snowball & Co.

From St. John, N.B. : Bargue Birnam Wood, for Cork, 1,185,839 ft. deals, 23,155 ft. ends, by George McKean. Str. Hackney, for Dublin, 3,324,450 ft. deals, 46,464 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay. Str. Skallagram, for Brow Head, 1,492,278 ft. deals, 73,675 ft. scantling, 52,676 ft. ends, 42,300 ft. boards, 13,500 ft. birch planks, 510 ft. birch scantling, 632 ft. ends, 67 ft. boards, by George McKean. Barque Bigeland, for Sutton Bridge Dock, 673,338 ft. deals, 76,501 ft. scantling, 11,377 ft. ends, by J. M. Driscoll. Schr. Annie M. Allen, for Philadelphia, 1,896,000 laths, by J. H. Scammell. Schr. Harry Knowlton, for New York, 92,696 ft. scantling, 34,496 ft. boards, 217,417 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. J. L. Colwell, for New Haven, Conn., 52,000 feet scantling, 74,830 ft. plank, 31,577 ft. boards. Schr. Alert, for New York, 1,013,000 laths, by A. Gibson Railway &

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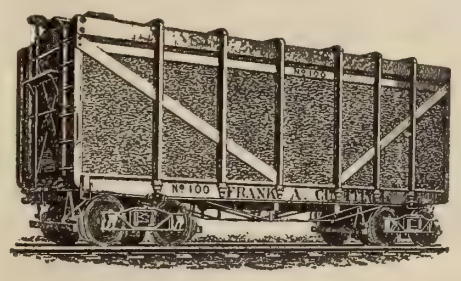

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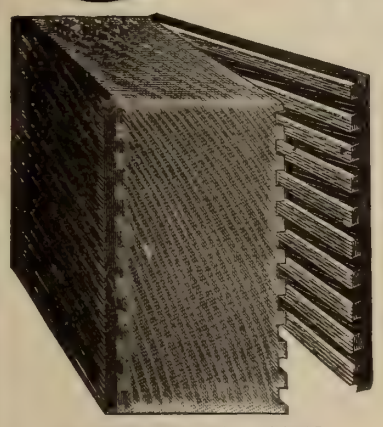

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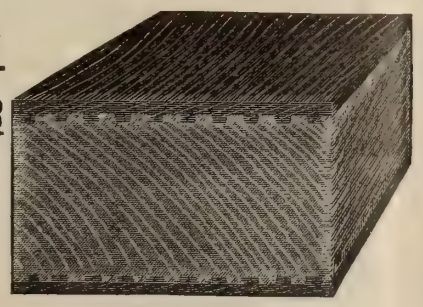

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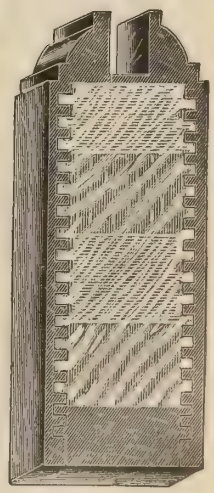

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Waney white pine . .	1,366,183	1,324,723	1,591,600
White pine	505,666	555,740	298,600
Red pine	60,796	89,184	60,080
Oak	429,302	434,040	527,760
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Ash	81,227	134,612	79,240
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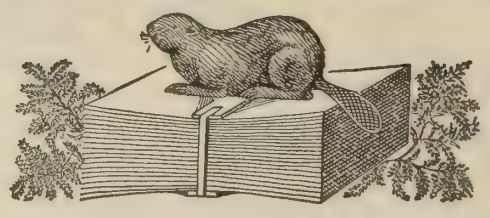

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Dundas Axe Works, Dundas, Ont.
Warnock & Co., Jas., Galt, Ont.

BELTING

Buchanan & Co., R. H., Montreal, Que.
Canadian Oak Belting Co., Brockville, Ont.
Durham Rubber Co., Bowmanville, Ont
Dominion Leather Co., Toronto.
Fleming, W. A., Montreal, Que.
P. H. Wilby, Toronto.
Goodhue, J. L. & Co., Danville, Que.
Lewis, Rice & Son, Ltd., Representing Hoyt's Belting.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.
Young, J. S., Montreal.

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A. H. Andrews Co., Chicago, Ill.
American Blower Co., Detroit, Mich.
McEachren Heating & Ventilating Co., Galt, Ont.
Standard Dry Kiln Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

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Eckardt, H. P. & Co., Toronto.
Gartshore, John, Toronto.
Long & Bro., T., Collingwood, Ont.
Rice Lewis & Son, Toronto.
Woods, Jas. W., Ottawa, Ont.

MACHINERY

Bradley, Levy & Weston Co., Toronto, Ont.
Carrier, Laine & Co., Levis, Que.
Drake, F. J., Belleville, Ont.
Dunbar & Sons, Woodstock, N.B.
Har ill Compound Engine Co., Mitchell, Ont.
Lloyd Manufacturing Co., Kentville, N. S.
Madison Williams, Port Perry, Ont.
Mowry & Sons, B.R., Gravenhurst, Ont.
P. Payette & Co., Penetanguishene, Ont
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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$35 00	$40 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common.	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	19 00	2 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding mill run	18 00	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		16 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 90
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 30
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toro to		12 50

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds		$ 0 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in		22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in		23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2		17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in		18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in		21 00	24 00
" 1½ to 2		23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18	00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½		23 00	25 00
" 2 "	3	25 00	2 00
Chestnut 1 "	2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½		16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"		22 00	4 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3	24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½	19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 "	3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	20 00	24 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	22 00	26 00
2 in.	24 00	30 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	2 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles: XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$69 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$66 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	69 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	66 00
2½ and 3 in.	70 00	2½ and 3 in.	70 00
4 in.	75 00	4 in.	70 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	55 00	4 in.	66 00
2in.	55 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	4 in.	58 00
2in.	5000		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	47 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
1¼x6 in. wide	47 00	6 in. wide	47 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	43 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	43 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	47 00	in., 6 in. wide	47 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	28 00	No. 2, 9 in.	21 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	21 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 50
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	9 in.	18 50
10 in.	21 00	8 in.	18 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1¼ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	30 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	30 00	1¼, 1¼ and 8 in. and up wide	33 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 65	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$78	80	1x12 inch shippers $22 $23
2½ in.	78	80	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 23
1 to 2 in.	73	5	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up 18
4 inch uppers	70	80	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common 18 19
1 to 2 in.	65	70	12-in. dressing and better 35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	65	70	Common, 1x12 19 20
1 to 2 in.	55	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12 27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	48	50	1x10 24 26
No. 2	30	42	1x8 22 24
No. 3	22	25	No. 2 barn, 1x12 24 25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	50	1x10 22 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	30	35	1x8 20 21
Stained saps	25	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 32 35
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch 35 40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common 20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$ $3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18 $5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
Smooth, 6x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	70 00	1¼x10 and 12	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 0
4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 5
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00 45 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	54 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1x6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda;

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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WANTED—MACHINERY SUITABLE FOR A good circular mill that would have a capacity of 30,000 feet per day. Apply at once to Box 20, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

In the High Court of Justice.

In the Matter of the

McLAREN-ROSS LUMBER CO., Limited

In the Matter of the Winding up Act (Dominion) and of the Acts amending the same.

Pursuant to a winding up order of the Court dated 6th September, 1902, made in this matter, there will be sold by and with the approbation of William Louis Scott, Esquire, the Master of this Court at Ottawa, at his Chambers, in the Court House, at the City of Ottawa, at the hour of two o'clock p.m. on the 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1902, the following real and personal estate, the property of the said Company, all situate in the Province of British Columbia, Canada.

PARCEL NO. 1—Lot No. 55, comprising 2,600 acres more or less in the Seyward District, Vancouver Island, Title renewable leasehold.

PARCEL NO. 2—Lot No. 439 G 2, comprising 9,280 acres more or less, situate in the District of New Westminster.

Lot No. 50 C.c mprising 6,720 acres more or less, in the Chilliwack District.

Lot No. 55, comprising 15,900 acres more or less in the Chilliwack District.

Lot No. 83, comprising 1,042 acres more or less in the Chilliwack District

The above four lots are held under renewable annual licenses.

PARCEL NO. 3—A tract of land comprising about 400 acres more or less, held in fee simple, including a mill site and farm lands en bloc situated on the north bank of the Fraser River about three miles east of New Westminster, B.C. About 200 acres of this land is cleared, graded and drained and has been under cultivation a number of years. The mill located upon this site is a frame mill about 455 ft. by 72 ft. with T across tail end of main building, about 176 ft. by 60 ft. The whole structure from foundation up is built in a most substantial manner, well timbered and braced with knees, metal roof, contains three steam engines of three hundred horse power each, and is fitted througbout with special machinery for working up B.C. timber of all dimensions as well as for working out the refuse into laths, pickets, etc., also planers and matchers, with a large assortment of tools, plant and equipment; also one large refuse burner, one large stone boiler house, metal roof, containing ten large tubular boilers, steam pumps with all necessary and proper attachments, good frame office, boarding house, cottages, horse stables, blacksmith shop and machine shop, with good efficient and complete plant of tools and machinery in each shop

Each parcel will be offered for sale separately, without reserve. All persons other than the liquidator are to be at liberty to bid.

The property will be sold subject to all rents, taxes, dues and rates accruing due subsequent to the 31st December, 1902.

The purchaser shall, at the time of sale, pay a deposit of 10 per cent of their purchase money and shall pay the balance within one month of the day of sale. The purchasers shall have the conveyances prepared at their own expense and tender the same for execution. All expenses of and incidental to the inventigation of titles, including the abstracts therof, shall be borne by the purchasers. The vendor will be bound to produce only such title deeds as are in his possession. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale shall be the standing conditions of this Court.

Further particulars may be had on application to E. S. Leetham, Esq., the Liquidator, or to Messrs. Christie & Greene, his solicitors, No. 110 Wellington Street, Ottawa.

Dated 11th day of September, 1902.

(Signed) W L. SCOTT,
Master at Ottawa.

FOR SALE FOR NEXT SPRING AND SUMmer delivery, Twenty Thousand and up Hemlock Railway ties. For particulars apply to W. THOMSON, Thurso, Que.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

FOR SALE — First-Class Portable Saw and Shingle Mill; good locality; plenty of timber. For further particulars apply to GEO. A. PATRICK, Emo P.O., Rainy River District.

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WANT TO CORRESPOND WITH PARTIES that wish to open up a trade in all kinds of Hardwood Blocks for the English market. Specifications, prices, etc., obtained from E. D. G. PIDGEON, St. John, N. B.

WE ARE IN THE MARKET AND WILL pay highest cash price for immediate shipment of Birch, Black Ash, Basswood, Red Oak and Soft Elm, any thickness; will inspect at mill. LONDON LUMBER COMPANY, London, Ont.

BOOM CHAINS FOR SALE.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF 9/16 AND 11/16 Wire, B B. grade, Cable Chain at second-hand. Lengths 10 to 16 feet. In quantities as desired. Write for prices. DETROIT LUMBER Co., Detroit, Mich.

DRY PINE.

WE HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 FEET DRY PINE in 1, 2 and 3 inch common and better, prefer selling in bulk. Will quote freight rate to Buffalo, Chicago or Toronto on application. Correspondence solicited. N.B.—Would like to correspond with consumers of hardwoods. ST. JOE ISLAND LUMBER Co., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

SPECIAL TO LUMBERMEN.

WITH A THOROUGHLY EQUIPPED PLANING Mill at Orillia, we solicit orders for resawing and planing of lumber, in any quantity; can match 26 inches wide; all work guaranteed first-class; prices on application. Address, NATIONAL BOX CO., Orillia, Ont.

Hardwood Staves For Sale

THE UNDERSIGNED IS IN A POSITION to manufacture a large quantity of hardwood staves, and would be pleased to enter into correspondence with firms desiring to purchase such stock either in Canada or abroad. Address L. M. MAJOR, Bedford, Nova Scotia, Canada.

FOR SALE.

THE ENTIRE CUT OF 190- OF SEVERAL mills on the Ottawa Valley of all number one white pine mill culls, strips and sidings, 1" to 3" thick, and also other grades. Shipments by water or rail. Write for particulars and quotations to A. F. BURY AUSTIN, Wholesale Lumber & Timber, Room 507 Merchants Bank Bldg., Montreal. Also spruce lumber of all grades.

SAWMILL MACHINERY FOR SALE

CAPACITY OF MILL, 40 M. PER 10 HRS. Will fit up mill with band or circular saw, long timber or lumber mill, will cut from 5 to 6 ft. long, with large edger, slash table and lumber trimmer and jump-up saws, endless log chain and bull-wheel and drag-saw for sawing logs in water, also lath machines and trimmers and live rollers, turn tables, lumber cars and some track iron, with large powerful boiler and engine. Will erect mill for anyone wishing to buy or would go partner with person who has a large pine or hardwood limit and convenient place for shipping. For further particulars apply to XAVIER BAECHLER, Sarnia, Ont., Box 112.

3/16 INCH BASSWOOD AND ELM

WE HAVE FOR SALE ABOUT 200,000 FEET 3/16 inch Rotary Cut Basswood, 35 to 42 inches long and 6 to 16 inches wide, a large percentage of which is clear; also about 300,000 feet 3/16 Elm, mostly 60 inches long, suitable for crating. Would sell this stock in bulk or would cut it to dimensions or strips ready for use. THE RIDER & KITCHENER CO., Limited, Lindsay, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

A Western Ontario manufacturer, referring to the lumber market, writes: "Conditions were never brighter in the lumber trade, and the consumption of lumber in Canada and the United States is enormous." This is the almost unanimous opinion of lumbermen, whether manufacturer or dealer. In some quarters there is an inclination to endeavor to prevent prices from going higher, on the ground that a further advance would be likely to check the consumption. That the conditions warrant higher prices, however, can scarcely be disputed. There will not be sufficient white pine lumber to meet the requirements of the market, nor is the log production of the coming winter likely to relieve the situation entirely, as the condition of the labor market renders it almost impossible to secure more than an average crop of logs. Present indications point to a heavy demand and advancing prices during the balance of this year. In the Ottawa Valley good wide strips are bringing $39 wholesale and are likely to go to $40 within two weeks. Cutting-up plank also is likely to advance. Norway has come into greater favor and sells readily at $13 at the mill. A few mills have a moderate stock of mill culls and the lower grades which have not been contracted for, but the entire production of good lumber may be said to have passed out of first hands.

Hardwoods are gaining in strength. Soft elm and maple stocks are more plentiful than other kinds, but red oak, black ash, birch and basswood are scarce and in good demand, with prospects of higher prices in the near future.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber prices have hardened during the past week. There is a heavy demand for spruce boards and South American stock, as well as for British deals. For spruce boards, 6 inches and up wide, $13 at the mill is being paid, while for deals of fair specification contracts have been placed at an equal to $38 delivered at British ports, with higher prices for a large percentage of 9 x 3.

Although the cut of spruce lumber this year has been, if anything, above the average, stocks at the present time are very light, and when the year's contracts are filled it is predicted that the stocks carried over will be the smallest in twenty years. Manufacturers are finding no difficulty in obtaining $3.60 for extra cedar shingles on Boston rate of freight.

There have been no recent sales of square or waney timber, and prices remain unchanged, but the tendency is towards firmness.

UNITED STATES.

Farmers have commenced to buy lumber liberally, and as during the summer months the demand was chiefly from the cities, increased activity has been caused by the buying throughout the agricultural districts. Most manufacturers have sold the greater portion of their cut and will go into the winter with very light stocks. The retail demand is expanding and indicates that a large consumption of lumber is expected during the fall and winter months. It is predicted that a marked shortage in several lines of white pine will be experienced. The present scarcity pertains especially to piece stuff. The shortage in dimension has already compelled some manufacturers to buy from others to fill orders. This condition is certain to result in higher prices for dimension. The strength of hemlock lumber is little less than remarkable, but is probably due to an appreciation of the scarcity of white pine. In New York last week an advance of 50 cents in the price of hemlock was put into effect, while Tonawanda dealers anticipate that an advance of from 50 cents to $1 on some of the longer lengths will be made very shortly. Buffalo retailers held a meeting a few days ago and adopted a new schedule for hemlock on the basis of a $3 advance over the wholesale price. Spruce is almost as firm as hemlock. Frames can hardly be bought in the Boston market at less than $19, with 10 and 12-inch at $21.

One of the most active hardwoods is basswood, for which there is a constant inquiry. The hardwood market as a whole is firm, with maple somewhat backward.

Red cedar shingles have advanced fifteen cents within the last ten days. This advance has been reflected in a stronger market for other kinds of shingles. White pine would be more in favor among dealers but for the scarcity and difficulty in obtaining a supply. Spruce lath was recently advancsd 25 cents in New York.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The lumber trade of Great Britain have watched with some interest the result of the wheat harvest. The prediction that it would be an exceptionally poor one has been confirmed, as wet weather throughout the summer prevented the wheat from properly maturing. It is not believed that the poor harvest will materially affect lumber prices, as the stocks held are not large and imports continue to be light. The decrease in the different classes of lumber held in the Surrey Commercial Docks at London on August 31st of this year, as compared with same date last year, is as follows : Pine deals, 209,207 pieces ; pine battens, 41,086 pieces ; spruce deals, 300,086 pieces; spruce battens, 249,808 pieces ; Baltic deals, 300,207 pieces; Baltic battens, 1,456,229 pieces; Baltic prepared board, 5,930,166 pieces ; slating battens, 2,922,707 pieces. Considering the wet summer the extent to which stocks have been kept down is quite satisfactory. Importers are discouraging further advances in shippers prices, but are placing orders at current quotations with some freedom. The key to the situation, so far as Canadian lumber is concerned, is the light stocks that all held on this side for shipment to Great Britain, the result of an increased demand at home and in the United States. The best grades of white pine deals are in splendid demand, prices ranging as high as $75 per thousand feet. For best quality spruce deals $38 per thousand feet is being paid by dealers for Quebec specifications, and $26 for New Brunswick specifications. Red pine is showing more life at slightly advanced figures. First-class rock elm, maple and oak meet with ready sale. Prices of birch have been maintained, but the stock is rather heavy.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Ancud sailed from Montreal last week for Antwerp, calling at Three Rivers to take on a quantity of deals.

The steamer Kalford is about to load a cargo of deals at Quebec for Cork. The barque C. B. Whidden sailed from Montreal last week for Rosaria, with a cargo of lumber.

There will be offered for sale by public auction by the New Brunswick Government on September 24th three square miles of timber limits on the Eel river, Lower Bay du Vin, and 4½ miles on Mc Donald's Brook, a branch of the Green river.

The Sutherland-Innes Company, of Chatham, Ont., state that the only change in the cooperage stock market is for the better. They beleive that No. 1 staves will be a little scarce later on, and that the market for all classes of cooperage stock will advance considerably before the end of the year.

At the Crown Lands Office, Fredericton, N. B., the following timber berths were sold last week each, going to the applicants at the upset price of $8 a mile. Little Salmon River, Victoria, 2 miles to J. A. Patterson; head of North Pole, branch S. W. Miramichi River, 9 miles, to Timothy Lynch; between Cow Mountain and Serpentine Lake, 6 miles, to Timothy Lynch; head of Gaspereau River, 6 miles, to Sayre & Holly Lumber Co.

Clairmonte, Man & Company, under date of August 30th, say of the Barbadoes market : "There have been no arrivals of lumber during the fortnight. Merchantable white pine is wanted, the last sale being at $26 per M, while second quality is in over supply and brings $7.50 per M. Last sale of spruce was at $19.60. The "Lizzie Lindsay" arrived from Gaspe, Que., on 17th with 506,000 shingles. Sales were made at $3.67½ to $4.07 per M for Gaspe Long Cedar."

The Fredericton Boom Company had rafted upwards of one hundred million feet of logs of all kinds up to September 1 of this year. The quantity rafted up to same date last year was only 81,000,000 feet, and for the whole of 1901 the total was 91,399,515. The quantity rafted this season is made up as follows : 43,942 joints containing 566.40 tons of timber; 484,120 feet of hemlock; 6,498,870 feet of cedar; 3,343,310 feet of pine ; 93,919,988 feet of spruce; total 104,245,288 superficial feet.

The cut of timber in the Lake St. John district of Quebec promises to be larger during the coming winter than ever before. Already several large contracts have been given out. Elzs Tremblay, of Ste. Anne de Chicoutimi, has undertaken to cut 300,000 logs at Lake Kiskisink for the Belgo-Canadian Pulp Company, of Shawinigan Falls. Israel Morin, of Chicoutimi, has taken a contract for the same company for 200,000 logs, and John Trembly for 80,000 logs. A. Jonquiere will also take out a quantity of logs this winter.

THE GLASGOW MARKET

According to Edmiston & Mitchells' monthly timber circular, a fairly active business was done in Glasgow during the month of August, both on an "ex quay" and an "ex yard" basis, and values have been well maintained throughout. The consumption generally continues on a satisfactory scale, and, as the import to date has been very moderate, the market is strong all round. First quality white pine deals and sidings are in good demand, but for lower qualities there is not much enquiry. The housebuilding trade still continues in an active condition, and the prospects for the autumn and winter are fairly good.

WHITE PINE—The imports during the month consist of about 5000 loads, chiefly first-class waney. Some good lines of first-class waney deckwood have been placed "ex ship" at prices ranging from 3s 2d to 3s 5d per cubic foot, according to size. Square timber is difficult to move ; prices, however, are firm at 2s 6d to 2s 9d per cubic foot for 800 to 1000 feet per page.

RED PINE—The import consists of about 500 loads, and coming on a light stock it will meet with a ready sale, as there are some good enquiries at present in the market. Prices are firm at from 1s 9d to 2s per cubic foot, according to size.

OAK—There has been an import of about 2200 loads, chiefly on contract. There is a fair demand and prices are firm at 3s to 3s 6d per cubic foot, according to specification.

ELM—The import during the month has been about 1800 loads. A number of sales are reported at firm prices, and prospects for first-class rock elm are good, though inferior timber is difficult to sell.

BIRCH — Quebec — The imports for August amount to about 400 logs and 130 loads planks, some of which were sold "ex quay" at prices which could not be satisfactory to shippers, but the bulk of the import found its way into store. The stock is still heavy and is moving away very slowly. Lower Port—There have been no imports during the month, but there is still a considerable stock on hand which is in all probability sufficient to meet the market's requirements for some time to come.

ASH—About 600 logs have come forward during the month, part of which went away from the ships' side, the balance being stored. There is very little enquiry for ash, and there is an ample stock on hand.

DEALS, &C.—The imports during the month have been on a moderate scale, and prices still continue firm. First pine deals and sidings of all sizes are scarce, and some good lines of these could be placed at satisfactory prices if quality good. Spruce deals are moving off fast, and stocks of some sizes are low, especially 8 and 9-inch. Current values as under : Broad first pine deals, £26 to £31 ; 11-inch, £24 to £26 ; ends and non-dimensions, £18 to £22. Second pine deals—11-inch and up, £18 10s to £21 ; non-dimensions, £12 10s to £15. Third pine deals—11-inch and up, £12 to £13 ; ends and non-dimensions, £8 10s to £10 10s. Fourth pine deals—11-inch and up, £9 10s to £10 ; narrows, £7 10s to £8 5s. Red pine deals—9 and 11 inch, £10 to £12 ; narrows, £7 to £8. First pine sidings and strips—9 and 10-inch average, £18 to £20 ; 11 to 12 inch average, £21 to £24 ; 13 to 14 inch average, £25 to £26. Spruce deals—9-inch and up, £8 10s to £9 10s ; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s to £8 5s. Lower port pine and spruce—9-inch and up, £8 10s to £9; 7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s.

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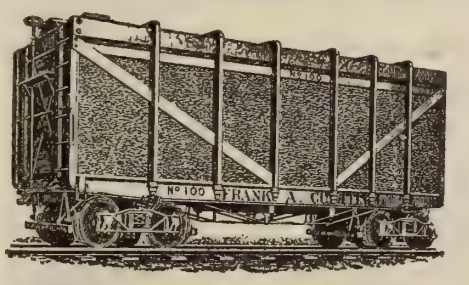
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The Rideau Lumber Company last week disposed of their limits on the Dumoine river to the Pembroke Lumber Company, of Pembroke, Ont., for a sum in the vicinity of $200,000.

Edward Moore, of Ottawa, is reported to have sold a limit on the Black river to McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, but the report is not confirmed.

A. B. Hunt, of Bury, Que., has sold to T. A. Vandyke and others, of New Hampshire, 2,500 acres of timber land located near Bury Village, the price being $13 per acre.

Allen Francis, of Renfrew, is reported to have recently purchased a timber limit in the Sault Ste. Marie district at figures said to approach the $200,000 mark.

Limits in townships of Jarvis and Anderson, estimated to contain 50,000,000 feet, have been purchased by James McFadden, of Ottawa, and a limit in the township of Chesley has been purchased by N. Dyment.

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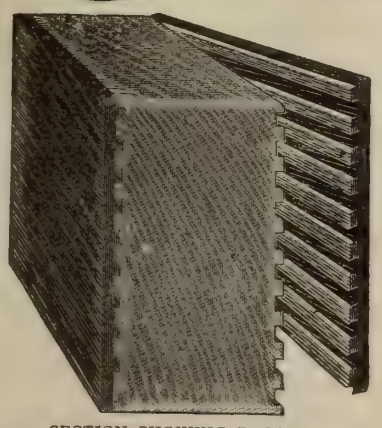

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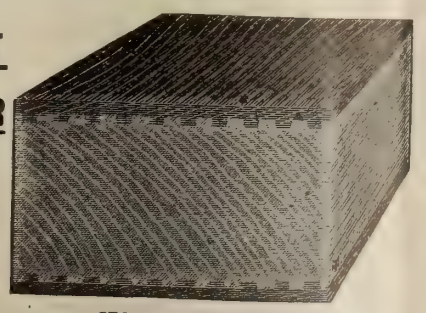

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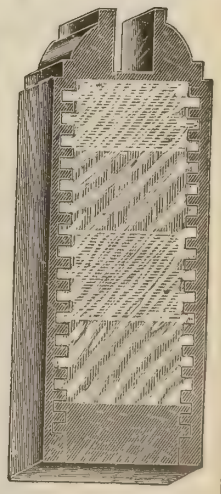

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	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine . .	1,366,528	1,324,723	1,591,600
White pine	507,525	555,740	298,600
Red pine	61,102	89,184	60,080
Oak	452,,826	434,040	527,760
Elm	634 626	941,913	561,800
Ash	88,358	134,612	79,240
Basswood	241	464	. . . .
Butternut	142	944	. . . .
Tamarac	71	198	. . . .
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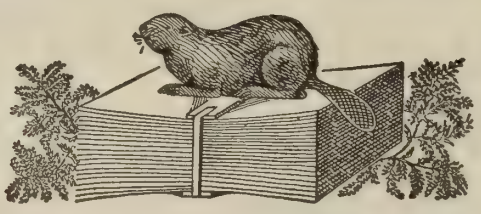

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By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide		$69 00	
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.		69 00	
2½ and 3 in.		70 00	
4 in.		75 00	
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide		$66 00	
1¼, 1½ and in.		66 00	
2½ and 3 in.		70 00	
4 in.		70 00	

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide		55 00	
1¼ and 1½ in.		55 00	
2in		55 00	
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide		60 00	
4 in.		66 00	

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide		36 00	
1¼ and 1½ in.		50 00	
2in		5000	
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.		55 00	
4 in.		58 00	

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		47 00	
1¼x5 in. wide		47 00	
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		43 00	
6 in. wide		47 00	

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide		43 00	
1¼ in., 6 in. wide		47 00	
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide		43 00	
in., 6 in. wide		47 00	

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		30 00	
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		26 00	

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.		28 00	
10 in.		23 00	
9 in.		21 00	
8 and 7 in.		22 00	
No. 2, 12 in.		25 00	
10 in.		21 00	
No. 2, 9 in.		21 00	
8 and 7 in.		21 00	
No. 3, 12 in.		21 50	
10 in.		18 50	
9 in.		18 50	
8 in.		18 50	

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide		$15 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		17 00	
1 in., 7 in. wide and up		17 00	
1 in., 13 in. and up wide		$18 00	
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide		19 00	
1 in., 10 in. and up wide		33 00	
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide		33 00	

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide		30 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		30 00	

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX		4 00	
Clear Butts		3 00	
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.		3 75	
Clear Butts		2 75	

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine		3 65	
No. 2. White Pine		3 10	
Hemlock		2 70	

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up		$78	80
2½ in.		78	80
1 to 2 in.		73	5
4 inch uppers		70	80
Selects, 2½ in up		73	75
to 2 in.		65	70
Fine common, 2½ in. and up		65	70
1 to 2 in.		55	60
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch		48	50
No. 2		30	42
No. 3		22	25
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.		45	50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.		30	35
Stained saps		25	30
Bracket plank		30	35
Shelving boards, 12-in. up		35	40
Dressing boards, narrow			23
1x10 inch shippers		20	21
1x12 inch shippers		$22	$23
4/4 inch " 13" & up.			23
4/4 Box boards, 6" and up			18
10-in. dressing and better		28	30
10-in. common		18	19
12-in. dressing and better		35	37
Common, 1x12		19	20
No. 1 barn, 1x12		27	29
1x10		24	26
1x8		22	24
No. 2 barn, 1x12		24	25
1x10		22	23
1x8		20	21
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.		32	35
" " 2 inch		35	40
Dressing		26	32
Common			20

LATH.

Pine		$3 00	
Spruce		$	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX		$4 50	$4 75
Clear butts		3 50	3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18		4 50	4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18		$5 25	5 50
Hemlock			2 20
Spruce			2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		70 00	
2½ and 3 in.		75 00	
4 in.		75 00	
Selects, 1 to 2 in.		63 00	
2½ and 3 in.		65 00	
4 in.		67 00	
Fine common, 1 in.		54 00	
1¼ and 2½ in.		55 00	
2 in		56 00	
3 in.		65 00	
4 in.		65 00	
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		42 00	
1¼ and 1½ in.		50 00	
No. 2, 1 in.		23 00	
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		25 00	
Dressing 1¼ in.		34 00	
1¼x10 and 12			35 00
1½ in.			34 00
2 in			36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.			38 50
No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in		42 00	45 00
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.			32 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.			30 00
6, 8 and 10 in			24 00
No. 2, 10 in.			23 00
No. 2, 12 in.			26 00
No. 3, 10 in.			19 00
No. 3, 12 in.			22 00
Box, 1 x 4			15 00
1 x 6 to 12 in.		17 00	17 50
1 x 13 in and up			18 00
1¼ and 1½ in.			18 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.			14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,		30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 in		35 00	37 00
2½ to 4 in.		40 00	42 00
Strips		19 00	21 00
Com. and culls		13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,		28 00	30 00
Com. & good culls		12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red		33 00	35 00
1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,		22 00	24 00
Com. & good culls		12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up		23 00	25 00
Common and cul's		12 00	14 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,		20 00	22 00
Common and culls		12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard		20 00	22 00
Common and culls		11 00	14 00
1st & 2nd, soft		18 00	20 00
Common and culls		9 00	11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Stocking up for fall and winter trade is now in full swing. Assortments in the hands of retailers are broken and must be replenished if the requirements of customers are to be supplied. At the mills there is no surplus in any class of lumber. Hemlock and hardwoods, which were relatively quiet early in the year, gradually strengthened in sympathy with white pine, and are now equally as firm in price. The advances that have been put into effect in the distributing centres of the Eastern States have encouraged the mill men of this province to hold what little stock they have for still higher prices. The strong position held by white pine is shown by the fact that one hundred million feet of lumber has this season been shipped from Western Ontario to Saginaw and Bay City.

Many of the mills in Ontario will cease operations for the season this month, while others will discontinue night crews. Thus the quantity of stock manufactured from now on will be comparatively small. A dearth of white pine shingles is looked for this winter and prices are likely to advance.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The strong position of spruce lumber is now recognized by both buyer and seller. There may not be sufficient stock to supply orders, and if prices should change it will be in the direction of an advance. Spruce clapboards are selling at $42 on Boston freight rate, and best quality cedar shingles at $3.65. The buying for fall trade has emphasized the scarcity which has existed nearly all season in certain classes of stock.

The timber market is unusually firm, notwithstanding that up to September 23rd of this year the quantity of waney pine culled at Quebec was 240,000 feet greater than for same period last year. The quantity of oak is about 40,000 cubic feet greater, but white pine, red pine, elm, ash, birch and maple show a decrease. It is expected that Quebec stocks will at the close of navigation this fall be lighter than ever before.

UNITED STATES.

The high prices of lumber are not regarded with favor by the agricultural community. The demand in the farming districts has shown a falling off during the past week, as farmers have been engaged

with their crop and are not much disposed to accept present prices excepting for such lumber as is urgently required. Apart from the country demand the lumber trade is in excellent condition. Throughout the Eastern States the activity is pronounced and the market exceptionally strong. One of the best indications of the prevailing strength are the advances that have been made in the Albany and Bay City price lists. Our Albany correspondent has marked up all good lumber about $5 per thousand, while in the Bay City and Saginaw list all grades down to barn boards have been advanced. The scarcity of white pine lumber is pronounced. The mills have much less stock than usual at this season of the year, and wholesale and retail dealers are not carrying more than an average supply. In Chicago prices are firmer than they have been since the opening of navigation. Sales of short pine piece stuff in cargo lots have been made at $16, and of hemlock piece stuff at from $11 to $11.50, with $12.50 for inch. Buffalo dealers are asking $20 for 12 inch box and $40 for inch No. 1 cuts. The recent advance in hemlock has not checked the demand. At Boston $17 is the base price on plank, with $18.50 for No. 1 and $15.50 for No. 2.

Hardwood salesmen find no difficulty in placing stock. Maple, elm and basswood are good sellers throughout the Eastern States. Shingles have stiffened in price.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There is no real change to record in the tone of the British market since our last report. Notwithstanding that at recent auction sales prices were not in all cases sustained, there is a widespread belief that prices for next year's shipments will show a further advance. The import of sawn timber to the United Kingdom for the eight months of this year is some 30,000 standards less than for the same period last year. Importers are endeavoring to discourage a further advance in prices, but so far as Canadian lumber is concerned, the conditions seem to favor a higher range of values. In the London market Quebec waney pine is unobtainable in any quantity, and there are numerous inquiries for stock from the various shipbuilding centres and around the coast generally. Quebec oak also is scarce and dear. First quality pine deals remain steady, after having advanced about £3 per standard during the season. The market for the lower qualities of deals is stronger, for the reason that the import has been lighter. Holders of spruce stocks are not pressing sales, as they believe that it will be impossible to replace their supply at lower prices.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Mennon has loaded deals at Montreal and Three Rivers, Que., for Great Britain.

The John King Company, of Fort William, Ont., are taking out 50,000 ties along the English river.

David Argue, of Parry Sound, Ont., has contracted with the Holland & Graves Lumber Company, of Byng Inlet, to take out over 3,000,000 feet of saw logs at Sturgeon Bay.

J. & T. Charlton, of Collingwood, will operate their Killarney and White Fish timber limits during the coming winter. On the White Fish River they will cu both pine and cedar.

There is a better feeling in the slack cooperage trade than has been reported before. The apple crop is likely to be larger than it was expected to be. Following are latest quotations at Buffalo: Dry elm staves, first-class, $7.75 to $8; second-class, $4.25 to $4.50; basswood heading, 5¼ to 5½ cents for first-class, 3¾ to 4 cents for second-class; coiled hoops, $10 for 6-foot, $10 to $10.50 for 5½ foot; hickory hoops, $6 to $6.25. This being the off season for tight cooperage, business is quiet.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN).

Reports from time to time have appeared in the press as to the alleged combine which exists among the Pacific Coast saw mills in dealing with foreign shipments by water. It is true that there is an agreement among the mill-owners of the States of Washington, Oregon and California and those of British Columbia to sell by the recognized price list. During the past two years or more, prices were so demoralized that the average price of lumber for shipment by water was between $7 and $8, consequently many of the mills barely cleared expenses and some of them lost money. Had such a state of affairs continued, many of the mills would have been forced to the wall and a large number of men thrown out of employment.

During the spring a joint meeting of all the mills engaged in foreign shipping was held in Seattle to adjust affairs. It was estimated that the shipments by water during 1902 would total 300,000,000 feet. It was then agreed to have all orders apportioned among the different mills according to their cutting capacity and a schedule was struck for the different mills. It was also provided that any manufacturer wishing to cut more than his apportionment could buy of the cut of other manufacturers who did not wish to do the full amount. It was not compulsory for any one mill to cut not less than their apportionment, but any mill which cut more had to pay a certain percentage per thousand feet into the general fund, which will be distributed according to a ratio among the mills who did not cut their allotted share.

The agreement so far has worked very satisfactory and prices are now such that a reasonable dividend can be made on the capital invested. The mills are all running full time and labor is higher, with the consequent raise in the price of lumber. The agreement is more of a moral nature than anything else and it is overstepping the mark to state that a hard and fast combine exists in the general sense of the term.

The local and interior markets are good and shipments are moving more rapidly owing to a better supply of cars. The weather is exceptionally fine for this time of year and logging operations are progressing favorably, although logs are yet somewhat scarce owing to the large cut of the mills. There is a likelihood of some trouble arising among the mills catering to local trade and the Teamsters' Union of the City of Vancouver. The latter have delivered an ultimatum to the mills to the effect that a certain wage be paid and that no discharges be made of men without consulting the Union. The mills will fight the matter to the end, and have taken united action against what they term unfairness on the part of the unions.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 13th, 1902.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

The demand for shantymen in Ottawa is greatly in excess of the supply, and agents have been forced to make a tour of outside towns to secure men. This week one agent went as far as Gaspe, Que., to secure men for Mr. J. R. Booth's Georgian Bay shanties. Nearly every firm, Canadian and American, operating within railroad distance of Ottawa, has commissioned local agents to secure men. The latter receive as a rule a dollar a man, and in their eagerness to secure the "one spot" they haunt the stations looking for eligible men who may run into Ottawa with the intention of hiring for work in the shanties. Wages have advanced and range from $28 a month and board upwards. On the limits cases have been known where men were tempted from one camp to another by the promise of higher pay.

The statement recently published in a local paper that over $2,000,000 has changed hands within the last year in the transfer of timber limits, caused considerable comment, but men in a position to know agreed that the figure was about correct. Further negotiations are pending and a deal or two may be announced this week.

Mr. Jas. Klock, ex-M. P., has bought out the interests of his brother in limits on the Quinze river, in the Temiscamingue district, and will operate there for square timber. Gordon Bros., of Pembroke, will also transfer their attention to the Temiscamingue country and operate there on a large scale.

While opinion is divided, it seems to be pretty well understood that with favorable natural conditions this season's output of logs will equal that of last year, despite the advance in wages, price of supplies, etc.

His friends in the lumber trade will sympathize with Mr. E. T. Smith, Collector of Revenue in the Public Works Department, in the death of his wife, who passed away after a brief illness a few days ago.

Ottawa, Sept. 22nd, 1902.

TIMBER LIMIT PURCHASE.

Timothy Lynch, of Fredericton, N. B., has purchased from James S. Fairley timber lands located on the north side of the Miramichi River, on Fall Brook, Little Dungarven, Rocky Brook and The Sisters, including in all 5,420 acres. The purchase price is said to represent a considerable sum.

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Lumber shipments from British Columbia up to August 31st of this year were as follows:

From	For	Cargo—Ft.
Chemainus	South Africa	1,300,611
Chemainus	Melbourne	1,137,861
Hastings	China and Japan	142,516
Hastings	Yokohama	25,404
Hastings	Shanghai	653,109
Hastings	Wilmington, Del	875,843
Hastings	Ostend, Belguim	956,449
Chemainus	Sydney	1,166,082
Hastings	Sydney	1,251,030
Hastings	Fremantle	595,669
Hastings	Iquiqui	879,020
Hastings	Sydney	1,082,562
Hastings	Taku	1,380,414
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,378,381
Hastings	U. K.	1,080,573
Hastings	Japan	57,612
Hastings	Taku	121,611
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	1,090,233
Chemainus	South Africa	1,665,061
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,508,402
Chemainus	Sydney	731,419
Chemainus	Sydney	849,427
Hastings	Cardiff	940,090
Hastings	Sydney	16,211
Hastings	Kobe	4,911
Hastings	Yokohama	7,796
Hastings	Sydney	32,976
Hastings	U. K.	1,413,650
Hastings	Melbourne	1,179,206
Chemainus	U. K.	1,162,839
Hastings	Fremantle	1,113,464
Chemainus	Sydney	1,072,534
Hastings	Hamburg	38,033
Hastings	Sydney	116,625
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	1,358,714
Hastings	Yokohoma	29,078
Hastings	Taku	1,914,772
Hastings	Sydney	53,129
Hastings	Yokohoma	20,162
Chemainus	Sydney	1,393,099
Chemainus	Sydney	1,151,210
Hornby Isl, B. C.	Santa Rosalia	205,876
Hastings	W Coast S. A.	671,732
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	974,760
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,304,967
Hastings	Japan	160,571
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	20,751
Hastings	Taku, China	401,370
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Chemainus	West Coast S.A.	965,735
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From Halifax, N. S. : Sept. 17, Str. Nethergate, for England, 1,851,520 ft. deals, etc., value $18,334. Sept. 19, Str. Ulunda, for Liverpool, 353,146 ft. deals, value $3,531 ; 29,451 ft. lumber, value $295, for St. Johns, Nfld.

From Sorel, Que. : Str. Huntcliffe, for Great Britain, spruce deals, etc., value $8,864, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co. Str. Alcides, for Great Britain, deals, value $4,439, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co. Str. Verbona, for Cork, Ireland, deals, value $4,789, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co.

From Vancouver, B. C. : Sept. 8, Str. Empress of China, for Japan, 16,939 ft. dressed fir, value $440, by British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Co. Sept. 8, Str. St. Clair, for United States, 450,000 ft. cedar logs, by J. S. Emerson. Str. Dauntless, for United States, 200,000 ft. fir logs, 150,000 ft. cedar logs, value $2,100, by L. T. Dundas.

From Chatham, N. B. : Sept. 6th, Str. Pydna, for Great Britain, 284,045 ft. deals and scantling, by F. E. Neale. Sept. 9, Schr. P. N. Parker, for New York, 775,000 laths by J. B. Snowball Co. Sept. 10, Barque Moore, for South Africa, 690,637 ft. deals and ends, by J. B. Snowball Co. Sept. 12, str. Bangor, for Great Britain, 2,907,071 ft. deals, boards and ends, 29 tons birch timber, by J. B. Snowball Co.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Brattingsberg, for Liverpool, 2,836,487 ft. deals, 102,873 ft. scantling, 87,743 ft. ends, 114,404 ft. boards, by W. M. Mackay. Schr. Pandora, for Belfast, 1,383,000 shingles, 5,000 ft. pine plank, by Charles Miller. Schr. Swallow, for Salem, 114,432 ft. boards, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Adeline, for Vineyard Haven, 1,198,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Sallie E. Ludnam, 287,237 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Eric, for Wickford, 225,000 laths, 1,449,250 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Thistle, for Bridgeport, 175,384 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Tay, for Bridgeport, 42,436 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Walter Miller, for Vineyard Haven, 156,790 ft. boards, 248,555 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. E. W. Perry, for Atlantic City, 1,161,700 laths, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Progress, for Boston, 108,702 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Flash, for Boston, 68,698 ft. ends, 250,000 shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Ayr, for Vineyard Haven, 162,095 ft. boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Romeo, for Pawtucket, 46,766 ft. pine boards, 1,246,250 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. John E. Troup, for Vineyard Haven, 180,970 ft. boards, by John E. Moore. Schr. W. H. Waters, for New York, 170,453 ft. deals, by W. H. Waters.

From Montreal : Str. Marina, sailed Sept. 11, for Glasgow, 592 pieces deals by Playfair & White; 306 pieces deals, by A. McPherson & Co; 890 pieces deals, by Orillia Export Co; 15,498 pieces deals, by McLaurin Bros; 3,823 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Co; 5,780 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co; 6,056 pieces deals, by R. Cox & Co. Str. Montfort, sailed Sept. 12, for Bristol, 2,855 pieces lumber, by R. Cox & Co; 22,782 pieces lumber, by Watson & Todd ; 1,072 pieces lumber, by Montreal Lumber Co. Str. Malin Head, sailed Sept. 13, for Dublin, 9,578 pieces deals, etc., by W. & J. Sharples; 3,709 pieces deals, etc., by Watson & Todd; 4,712 pieces deals, etc., by Dobell, Beckett & Co; 1,587 pieces boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Co; 3,936 pieces deals, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Manchester City, sailed Sept. 13, for Man-

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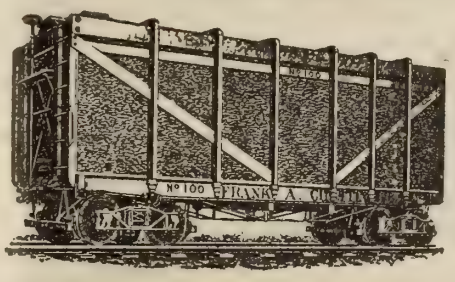

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FIRES.

The saw mill of B. Lequime & Company, situated at Smelter Lake, B. C., was burned on September 14. About 150,000 feet of lumber and 300,000 laths were also destroyed.

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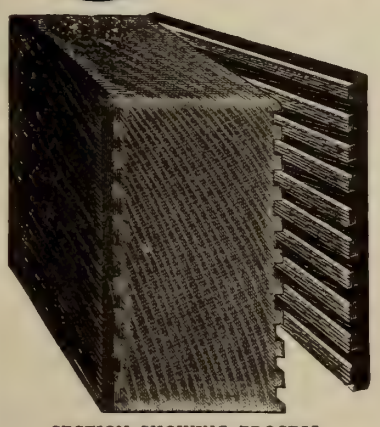

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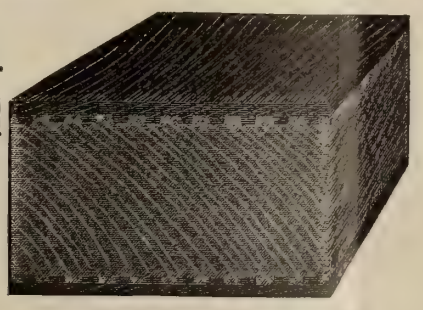

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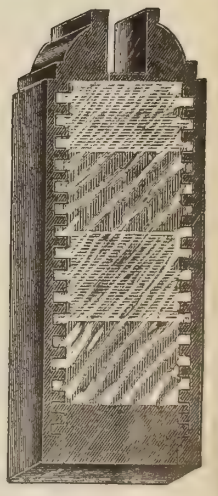

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	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine	1,369,428	1,353,666	1,591,600
White pine	597,525	558,995	298,600
Red pine	61,162	89,761	60,080
Oak	455,351	485,806	527,760
Elm	676,163	942,372	561,800
Ash	91,522	135,108	79,240
Basswood	241	464	....
Butternut	142	944	....
Tamarac	71	198	....
Birch and Maple	459,333	307,039	164,300

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Hemlock lumber is very steady and unchanged: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 to $15.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17.50; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

Western pine is very firm at quotations: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $82.50 to $85; 2½ to 3 in. $87 to $38; 4-in. $90; selects, 1 in. $68; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $70; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4 in. $82; fine common, 1-in. $62 to $63; 1¼ to 1½ in. $65; 2-in. $67.50; 2½ to 3 in. $72.50; 4-in. $82.50; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is in fair demand and very steady: Quartered oak, $66 to $68; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $42 to $43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Shingles are very firm, especially for extras: Extra cedar, $3.60 to $3.65; clear, $3 to $3.10; second clear, $2.55; extra No. 1, $1.90 to $2; British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $2.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Spruce clapboards are about out of the market, and nominally very firm: Clear, $40 to $42; second clear, $37 to $39; extra No. 1, $22 to $32.

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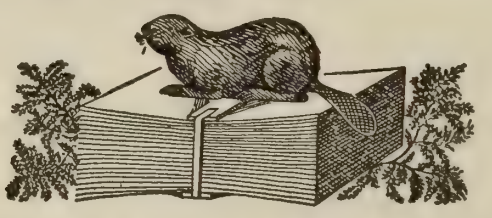

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XXX	2 60	3 00
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1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
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			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

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			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

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Common and cull's	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The close of September finds lumber prices steady after the several advances that have been put into effect during the season. With almost the entire season's production manufactured and ready for the market, it would not be surprising if prices should show a tendency to recede from their high point; but the only tendency in this direction is confined to one locality and to one class of trade. In Western Ontario some shading of prices on the lower grades of white pine in carload lots is reported, but it has not been of such an extent as to cause the trade much concern. There is really no reason to cut prices at the present time, as the demand is of average volume and a good trade seems assured throughout the fall and winter months. Of course, there will be quiet periods. In Toronto it has not yet been possible to advance prices on good lumber to a basis corresponding with

other markets. This is probably due to the fact that the manufacturers of sash, doors, blinds, and other woodwork have been working up their old stock and have not purchased much lumber at prevailing prices. They have, therefore, been in a position to sell their goods at a relatively low cost, but when they are compelled to replenish their stock of raw material it will be necessary to advance the prices of woodwork. Hardwood lumber has shown more strength of late than pine. Prices on all hardwood stock are strong, and in some kinds there will be a famine before next spring. Unless present indications are misleading higher prices will be the ultimate result.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber was never stronger than it is to-day. Any stocks for sale are rapidly picked up, the demand from the United States being so large as to consume almost the entire available supply for that market. Clapboards are entirely out of the market. Prices are fabulously high and promise to remain so throughout the winter. Most of the mills are still in operation. Every effort will be put forth to continue as late in the fall as possible, and it is probable that very few logs will be carried over until next spring. Operations in the woods this winter will be on an average scale—some operators may increase their output, but others, feeling that prices may not hold next season, will not operate as extensively as usual. A weakening in values would, in view of the excessive cost of logging operations, be a matter of serious consideration. Thus the more conservative lumbermen are disposed to proceed cautiously.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market has lost none of its strength. Although in some districts trade has fallen off somewhat, stocks are so small that prices have not been affected, nor are they likely to be in the near future. East of Buffalo and Pittsburg there is an active demand for all kinds of lumber. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers have advanced the price of barn boards 50 cents per thousand, while sales of No. 1 inch cuts are being made above $40, which was the price through the summer months. The high prices have met with some opposition from consumers, but as there seems no prospect of a break in the market it is anticipated that there will be active buying during the next two months. Chicago reports a steadily increasing volume of trade, much of the demand coming from the country. It would appear that farmers, having their crops safely housed, are now giving attention to farm improvements. Hemlock has shown wonderful strength of late. In the east the higher lists have been maintained and there is likely to be a still further advance. No doubt this class of lumber is being purchased for some purposes for which white pine would be used excepting for the abnormally high price. Hardwoods compare favorably in point of strength with pine and hemlock. Wisconsin reports a slow demand for inch soft elm and a scarcity of two inch rock elm, while at Buffalo good grades of hardwood lumber are in short supply and commanding high prices. The supply of basswood is still so short as to curtail the volume of trade. Fewer shingles are being received in the east from the Pacific coast. This has brought about a hardening of white pine shingle prices. Lath is about as scarce as ever, and brings $4.25 at Buffalo for first-class white pine.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There is a decided firmness in lumber prices throughout Great Britain. Trade is moderately active, stocks are not excessive, and it does not seem that anything is likely to occur to disturb the market. Spruce seems to be about the firmest class of lumber and c. i. f. quotations are now considerably higher than they were a few weeks ago. It is understood that shippers are asking £9 15s. c. i. f. London for regulars, 12 to 13 feet, 3x9 second quality, and £9 5s. for third quality. Spruce battens are quoted at £7 17s. 6d. c. i. f. for seconds and £7 7s. 6d. for thirds. Even at these prices shippers are refusing to contract excepting for immediate delivery, the tendency being towards a further advance. Some of the large importers of spruce at Liverpool are practically sold out for this season. Pine is almost as strong as spruce. First quality deals are exceptionally scarce. The complaint is again made that the grading of pine deals is not satisfactory to British buyers, and that much of what has been placed on the market as first quality is no better than second class. Third and fourth quality pine deals have been graded more satisfactorily, but the demand for them is only fair.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

In the Chicago market 8-inch extra white cedar shingles sell at $2.80, and 10 inch at $2.85 to $2.90 by water. Lath are holding up well. Sales of No. 1 mixed have recently been made by water at $3 and of No. 2 by rail at $3.75.

Prices of tight barrel cooperage stock have lately advanced. In Chicago lard tierces range from $1.15 to $1.17½ ; oak pork barrels, $1 ; ash pork barrels, 87½ cents ; tierce staves, $23 to $24 ; pork staves, $19 to $20 ; tierce heading, 16 to 16½ cents ; pork heading, 12½ cents.

The New Brunswick Government will sell by public auction on October 8th timber berths No. 21, south of Enoch Baker Lake, 3 miles; No. 22, Parishes of St. Francis and Clair, 7½ miles; No. 23, River St. Francis, 7½ miles ; No. 24, Cains river, 2 miles; and No. 25, head of Little River, 2 miles.

The Dominion Government is asking for tenders up to October 15th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 309 in the Province of British Columbia, comprising two blocks. Block No. 1 was formerly known as Timber Berth No. 62 and contains an area of 3,638 acres. Block No. 2 contains an area of 2,080 acres. Offers will be received up to same date for a timber license on Berth No. 307, containing 80 acres.

A number of logs belonging to Hale & Murchie upon which the Boom Company's tolls had not been paid were sold by auction recently at Fredericton, N.B. There were first offered the logs now in the boom at Lincoln, and they were sold as follows : 79,036 feet of merchantable and 1,288 feet of batten spruce to J. R. McConnell at $11.05 per thousand ; 2,340 feet of pine to Hilyard Bros., at $7.75 per thousand. The next sold were those logs now at St. John, in the hands of James Holly & Sons, subject to their tolls, about 5 cents a thousand. The spruce, 16,248 feet of merchantable and 7,336 feet of battens, was bought by Hilyard Bros., at $11.75 a thousand, and the same firm bought 2,300 feet of pine at $7.50.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of September 13th, say of the Barbadoes market : "We have placed for the Government 215,000 ft. white pine boards, about one half each shipping and seconds, at $24.25 and $18 respectively. The stock of shippers is moderate, but owing to the export demand being entirely checked, and that locally at this time of the year very small, there is no life whatever in the market. We confirm our previous valuation of $19 to $20 for a small cargo of spruce. No shingles have arrived, but a couple of cargoes of Gaspe are on the way. Stocks of Cedar Laying will be augmented, no doubt, by the lot in Government hands, some 1,500,000, for which tenders are invited.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

Only a small quantity of Canadian lumber was offered at the auction sale of Foy, Morgan & Company, London, on September 17th. The result was as follows:

PINE—Ex. Huelva, from Quebec—12-16 ft. 3x12-20 in. first quality, £15 10s per std. Ex. Forest Holme, from Botwoodville— 10 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, £19 5s; 9-11 ft. 3x12-16 in. second quality, £10.

SPRUCE—Ex. Belgian, from Quebec—12 ft. 3x9 in. third quality, £9 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x9, £9 10s. Ex. Norden, from St. John, N. B.—17-30 ft. 4x6 in. unassorted, £7 10s. Ex. Cresyl, from Quebec—6-22 ft. 2x8-12 in. unassorted, £7 10s.

BIRCH TIMBER—Ex. Carlisle City, from Miramichi, N.B.—9-7 ft. 4 1/5 5-15 inch, 1s 1d per cubic ft; 6-15 ft. 4x11-15, 1s 1d ; 5-18 ft. 4x9-10, 1s 2d ; 3-18 ft. 4x4-8, 1s ½d, 6-20 ft. 3x7-13, 1s 1d ; 3-18 ft. 2x8-14, 1s 2d; 3-17 ft. 2x7, 1s ½d; 3-17 ft. 2x4-6, 1s.

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TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

Several important sales of timber lands along the line of Lake St. John and Quebec Railway, in Quebec, have lately taken place. Harold Kennedy, of Quebec, has purchased for $20,000 the property of Colin Campbell on the Jacques Cartier river.

George Gordon & Company, of Pembroke, Ont., have purchased from J. & T. Conlon, of Thorold, 108 miles of timber limits in Hawley, Appleby and Jennings townships. Much of the timber is along the Veuve river and convenient to the Cache Bay mill of George Gordon & Company.

St. Paul and Spokane capitalists have secured large timber limits on the Columbia river, in British Columbia, from the G. B. Wright Estate. This timber is held in fee simple and can be exported to the United States.

Theo. P. Burgess, president and general manager of the Burgess Sulphite Pulp Company, of Berlin Falls, N. H., has closed a deal with the Department of Lands, Forests and Fisheries, Quebec, for the purchase of six hundred square miles of timber limits on the Upper St. Maurice River. The Company intend bringing their pulpwood down the St. Maurice to the St. Lawrence, opposite Three Rivers, where they have secured two miles of deep-water beach, and will ship to their mills in Berlin Falls over the Grand Trunk Railway.

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A saw mill at Chester, N. S., owned by John Stamford, was destroyed by fire last week.

The Government saw mill on Mill street, Montreal, was almost totally destroyed by fire recently, the loss being $10,000.

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From Sackville, N.B. : Barque Lapwing, for England, 500,222 ft. deals and scantling, value $5,600, by J. & T. Hickman, of Port Elgin.

From Chatham, N.B. : September 20. Barque Seppiro, for Algiers, 547,000 ft. deals and ends, by J. B. Snowball & Co. Sept. 22, Schr. Schafner Bros., for New York, 940,000 laths, by A. F. Bentley. Sept. 20, Str. Falco, for Newry, Ireland, 1,753,364 ft. deals and ends, by F. E. Neale.

From Campbellton, N.B.: Str. Neva, for England, deals, etc.

From Quebec : Str. Iberian, for London, 24 stds. birch deals, 307 stds. spruce and pine deals, 632 bundles pulp wood, 625 stds. box shooks, 660 doors, 151 bundles mouldings.

From Montreal : Str. Cervana, sailed Sept. 19th, for London, 3,520 pcs. boards, by E. H. Lemay; 10,402 pieces deals by McArthur Export Co. Str. Montcalm, sailed Sept. 17th, for Bristol, 2,235 pcs. lumber by McLaurin Bros; 1,735 pcs. lumber by W. & J. Sharples; 10,688 pcs. lumber by Watson & Todd; 12,438 pcs. lumber by Price Bros. & Co.; 3,328 pcs. lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 583 pcs. lumber by E. H. Lemay; 3,028 pcs. lumber by McArthur Export Co. Str. Nordhavet, sailed Sept. 21, for London, 83,323 pcs. deals, boards and ends, 77 pcs. timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Sarmation, sailed Sept. 25, for Glasgow, 778 pcs. deals by R. Cox & Co.; 1,820 pcs. deals by E. H. Lemay; 5,249 pcs. deals by W. & J. Sharples; 6,183 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Carl, sailed Sept. 26th, for Bristol, 6,219 pcs. spruce deals by W. &. J. Sharples.

CANADIAN LUMBER IN ENGLAND.

Reviewing the market for Canadian lumber, the Timber Trades Journal, o London, Eng., makes the following significant remarks:

First quality pine deals have risen considerably in price during the season, and parcels have been disposed of at £30 c.i.f. to London for regulars; and on the Clyde we hear that for a shipment of broads £38 was recently paid. Second quality deals are just now rather dull of sale, and this is in some quarters attributed to the depreciated classification. Thirds are fetching good prices, say, £12 and over, but importers are purchasing with extreme caution. Fourth quality deals hold a better position, and sales are reported at £10 5s. c.i.f. London for regulars. It is stated that there is a good demand for third and fourth quality oddments, but these goods are unobtainable, the avilable stocks on the other side having been absorbed by the United States market.

Good pine sidings are in request, and during the last six months have advanced in price from £3 to £4 per standard in this market, which is also owing to the active demand from the States. For 2 in., 10/11 in. average, 12/16ft., £24 to £25 is quoted. Shipping cull sidings, 2in., are reported to have been sold at £12, and 1 in. at £10 10s. The latter is, however, for some reason not a favorite one in the English market. The increasing demand for good sidings of the shipping culls, and the increasing quantity of these goods manufactured year by year, would appear to indicate that they will have to replace to some extent the 3 in. deals. A tendency of the Canadian trade is the decrease of the manufacture

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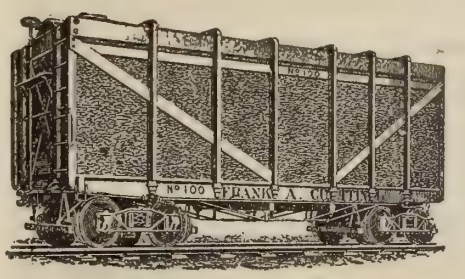

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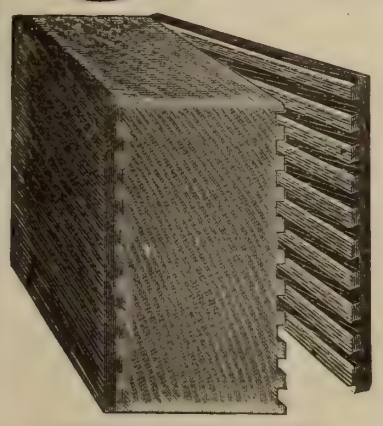

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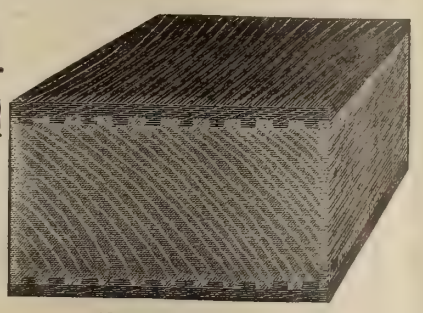

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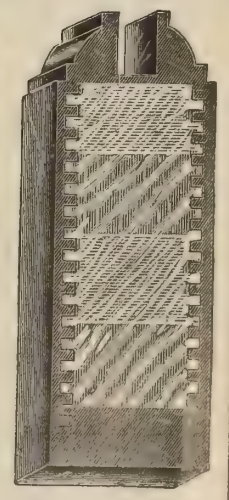

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	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine	1,449,003	1,353,666	1,815,920
White pine	564,444	558,995	383,600
Red pine	63,780	89,760	71,160
Oak	458,949	485,866	618,680
Elm	676,163	942,372	561,880
Ash	91,701	135,108	79,920
Basswood	241	464	....
Butternut	142	944	....
Tamarac	71	198	....
Birch and Maple	459,333	307,039	164,300

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber in Boston is firm, with a very fair demand. The provincial mills do not want extensive orders ahead, for the reason that they have so few logs. Quotations are unchanged: Ten and 12-inch dimensions, $21; 9-inch and under, $19; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 to $20; out spruce boards, $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is very steady. The country boards have been pretty well picked up and prices are firmer: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 to $15.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $16 to $17.50; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

Western pine is still very firm, with the supply short, and tendency upwards, Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $82.50 to $85; 2½ to 3 in. $87 to $38; 4-in. $90; selects, 1 in. $68; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $70; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4 in. $82; fine common, 1-in. $62 to $63; 1¼ to 1½ in. $65; 2-in. $67.50; 2½ to 3 in. $72.50; 4-in. $82.50; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is well sustained, witn the market pretty firm: Quartered oak, $66 to $68; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $42 to $43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Shingles are well held on the best, but some of the makes could doubtless be shaded: Extra cedar, $3.60 to $3.65; clear, $3 to $3.10; second clear, $2.55; extra No. 1, $1.90 to $2; British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $2.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Spruce clapboards are in very small supply, with the mills not making them. The market is nominally quoted at: Clear, $40 to $42; second clear, $37 to $39; extra No. 1, $22 to $32.

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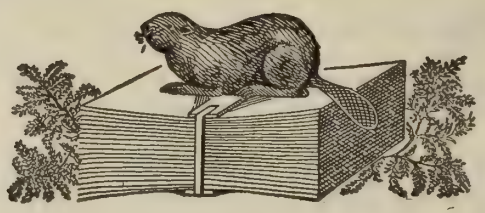

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1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M :		
No. 1 white pine	3 00	3 25
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce	2 00	2 25
Red Pine	2 00	2 50

Cedar Shingles :		
Clear Butt	2 00	2 00
XXX	2 60	3 00
Pine Shingles :		
XX	1 25	1 50
Clear Butt	1 75	2 00
XXX	2 50	3 00

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$36 00	$42 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common.	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	19 00	2 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding mill run	18 00	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		16 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.		2 90
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.		3 30
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		12 50

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Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2	23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	2 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	4 00
Elm rock, mill run 1¼"	3 24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1¼"	2 32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4 20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 31 00	33 00
Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1¼ 32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 60 00	65 00
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Pine, good sidings :		
1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$34 00	40 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips :		
1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts :		
1 in.	22 00	26 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	24 00	28 00
2 in.	27 00	32 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	2 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	21 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	18 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 50	16 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	15 50
Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 50	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00

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In shipping order, " " "	26	3

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By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

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1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	25 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	24 00	9 in.	19 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	17 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and	
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00	up wide	19 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$80	82	1x12 inch shippers	$	23
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		23
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	03	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common		19
" to 2 in	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22	24
No. 3	32	34	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25	26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	52	1x10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8		21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	38
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch		40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21			

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

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WHITE PINE.

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2½ and 3 in.		75 00	1½ in.		34 00
4 in.		75 00	2 in		36 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.		63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		38 50
2½ and 3 in.		65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	42 00	45 00
4 in.		67 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.		32 00
Fine common, 1 in.		54 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.		55 00	6, 8 and 10 in		24 00
2 in		56 00	No. 2, 10 in.		23 00
3 in.		65 00	No. 2, 12 in.		26 00
4 in		65 00	No. 3, 10 in.		19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		42 00	No. 3, 12 in.		22 00
1¼ and 1½ in		50 00	Box, 1 x 4		15 00
No. 2, 1 in.		23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	1 x 13 in and up		18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.		18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.		34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		14 50

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

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1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
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In the Matter of the Winding up Act (Dominion) and of the Acts amending the same.

Pursuant to a winding up order of the Court dated 6th September, 1902, made in this matter, there will be sold by and with the approbation of William Louis Scott, Esquire, the Master of this Court at Ottawa, at his Chambers, in the Court House, at the City of Ottawa, at the hour of two o'clock p.m. on the 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1902, the following real and personal estate, the property of the said Company, all situate in the Province of British Columbia, Canada.

PARCEL NO. 1—Lot No. 55, comprising 23,600 acres more or less in the Seyward District, Vancouver Island, Title renewable leasehold.

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Each parcel will be offered for sale separately, without reserve. All persons other than the liquidator are to be at liberty to bid.

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(Signed) W. L. SCOTT,
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market remains steady. All grades of good lumber are so scarce that dealers are refusing orders, while some manufacturers have been obliged to purchase from other yards the stock required to supply the wants of their customers. Low grade lumber is more plentiful, although the supply is not excessive. Priees on the lower grades are a shade easier, due to the demand being somewhat less than was expected earlier in the season. Taking the entire white pine list, we find that a surprising degree of strength is shown, and that indications point to higher prices next season. It is reported that two of the largest manufacturers in the Ottawa Valley have already placed under contract their next season's production of British deals, at figures about 10 per cent. higher than were realized for their stock this season. This report, however, is not confirmed, although

we would not be surprised to learn that it is correct. In Western Ontario the movement of lumber is not as active as one month ago, although it cannot be that the fall demand has as yet been satisfied. Hemlock is a strong feature, selling in the Toronto market at $13. Few manufacturers have any supply of shingles and lath. Cedar shingles are selling almost as high as white pine and are steadily growing in favor. No. 1 lath is worth $3 in the Ottawa Valley.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Several vessels with cargoes of lumber sailed from eastern ports during the past fortnight, being destined for Great Britain, France, Spain, South America and other countries. It is anticipated that a large business in lumber will be done with South Am ca next season, as shippers have rece ec several inquiries regarding stock. Lo ally the demand is quiet, but the heavy sh ments to foreign countries have cons almost the entire available supply. nswick cedar shingles are strong for Boston delivery. Some man- s are even holding their stock for predict that this figure will be before there is any slump in

UNITED STATES.

e dealers in the Eastern States re- that the market is more unsettled t n it has been for some time, and that w in the past week there has been a falling off in the volume of business. They attribute the situation to the indisposition of consumers to pay the high prices for lumber that are now ruling and to the depression in trade caused by the anthracite coal strike. On the other hand, not a few dealers report a continuation of active business, with the outlook quite encouraging. It is claimed that Chicago is a barometer of the lumber market, the supply for that city coming, as it does, from the Lake Superior, Lake Michigan, and Georgian Bay districts. It is significant, therefore, that dealers there last week advanced the price of good lumber, until thick pine uppers are now quoted at $77, with proportionate advances on everything else on the good lumber list. The small stock of lumber in the Lake Superior district is also an encouraging feature from a price stand-point. Conditions there have combined to reduce the output of lumber this season to much below what was expected.

Scarcity prevails throughout the hardwood list. In Michigan basswood and maple are held at strong figures. The birch trade is satisfactory, both in point of supply and demand, but oak is scarce and likely to advance in price. Prices higher than those recently quoted are predicted for hemlock. In New York city the recent advances seem to have stimulated the demand. Stocks at the mills are small and dealers are hesitating to book orders which they cannot fill promptly.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Recent developments have been favorable to holders of lumber in Great Britain. There has been an advance in freight rates, which has been reflected in higher spot prices for lumber in London and Liverpool. Contrary to expectations, the crops in the Argentine Republic have turned out satisfactorily and London dealers are receiving inquiries for stock for shipment to that market. The possibility of a shortage in the supply of lumber for the British market next year has also strengthened the hands of holders, and has removed the apprehension that the lumber they have purchased might not command a margin of profit. Financially, the lumber market is in a healthy condition, although the amount of business is not large. Buyers recognize that prices are likely to advance before next spring. It is reported that Baltic and White Sea shippers are arranging to make a substantial advance on this year's f.o.w. prices. Canadian pine and spruce is exceptionally strong. Consumers are being urged to supply their requirements at the market price, as higher prices are predicted and there is little stock left for future delivery. In Quebec goods first quality oak and waney and square pine are in steady request at firm prices.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

In the Buffalo market lath is scarce, but the price is variable. Some dealers are selling No. 1 white pine as low as $3,75, while others want $4.50.

William Setchel, of Nipissing Junction, has taken a contract to log this winter for J. B. Smith & Sons. Operations will be conducted at Setchel's Bay, on the southern part of Lake Nipissing.

At Albany inch uppers in pine were recently sold at $85 per thousand feet. Box lumber in that market is likewise very scarce, the supply being smaller than it has been at this season for many years.

The contract for the construction of the Temiscaming Railway has been awarded by the Ontario Government to A. R. Macdonell, of Glengarry. The contractor is to manufacture the ties, fence posts and telegraph poles from the timber along the right of way. A separate contract will be required, however, for an additional 200,000 ties.

At a meeting of the directors of the Spanish River Boom Company, held recently, it was decided to make some improvements for the purpose of holding safely a quantity of logs the company were unable to deliver this season. About 170,000,000 feet of logs were handled, nearly 40,000,000 feet of which are still in the booms and will be delivered next spring.

It is reported that the Hinckley Fibre & Paper Company, Hinckley, Ill., have just purchased from Dr. W. Seward Webb, 20,000,000 feet of spruce logs, one-half of which is to come out this year and one-half next year. The price paid is said to have been $15 in the Lake, which is probably a record price. To come out with a fair margin the above would mean a price of about $24 delivered in New York.

Slack cooperage stock is quoted in Buffalo at $7.50 to $7.75 for first-class dry elm flour barrel staves, and $6 to $6.25 for mill run fruit barrel staves; 5½ to 5¾ cents for first-class basswood heading, and 4 to 4¼ cents for mill run hardwood fruit barrel heading; $11 to $11.50 for 6-foot coiled hoops, $10.75 to $11.25 for 5½ foot. Tight stock is firm but inactive. Most of the cooperage shops in Chicago are shut down on account of the strike of journeymen coopers.

Regarding the Glasgow market an exchange says: "A fair volume of business has been done during the week, and among other things I hear of the sale of a line of broad first pine, at a price which illustrates the active demand existing for this class of wood at present. Spruce deals are also being inquired for somewhat extensively, 8 and 9 in. especially being ready of sale at firm prices, while in timber a good business is being done in sawn pitch pine, the stock of which has been moving off very freely of late."

From Vancouver, B. C., comes the report that an important deal was put through last week by which 121,000 acres of timber lands, held by a syndicate of which Mr. H. S. Strathy, a prominent banker of Toronto, is the head, has been bonded to a syndicate of American capitalists, resident principally in California. The lands in question are chiefly located on Vancouver Island, but the deal covers about 19,000 acres in the vicinity of Lillooet, and extensive areas at Grief Point, about 60 miles north of Vancouver, coastwise.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

At an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on September 25th, Canadian deals, etc., were sold at the following prices :

PINE.—Ex. Mexican, from Quebec.—12-16 ft. 2x6 in. unasserted red, £7 10s per std.; 12-16 ft. 3x7, £8 10s ; 10-17 ft. 2x5, £7. Ex. Kildona, from Quebec—9-18 ft. 2x4 in. unassorted red, £6 10s. Ex. Thor, from Quebec.—17-20 ft. 3x9 in. unassorted red, £11 ; 6-18 ft. 3x11-14, £10. Ex. Norge, from Montreal—16 ft. 4x11 in. first quality red, £7 15s ; 11 ft. 3x11, first quality white pine, £25. Ex. Forest Holme, from Quebec.—6-16 ft. 3x9 in. unassorted red, £9 10s ; 6-11 ft. 3x10-11, £9 ; 6-16 ft. 3x8, £7 15s ; 6-16 ft. 3x7, £7 10s and £7 5s. Ex. Montreal, from Quebec—3-5 ft. 3x11-18 in. second quality, £10 ; 3-5 ft. 3x9-10, £10 10s ; 3-5 ft. 3x6-11 in. third quality, £18 15s. Ex. Hackney, from Montreal—9-10 ft. 3x11 in. third quality, £11.

SPRUCE— Ex. Montezuma, from Quebec—10-16 ft. 3x9-11 in. first quality, £12 15s ; 10-16 ft. 3x4-8, £11 10s. Ex. Chicklade, from Quebec.—10-13 ft. 3x10 in. fourth quality, £8 ; 10-13 ft. 3x6, £7 5s ; 10-17 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted, £9 5s ; 12 ft. 3x7 in. third quality, £7 10s ; 5-17 ft. 3x6-11 in. fourth quality, £7 15s. Ex. Huntcliff, from Quebec—6-8 ft. 3x7-8 in. third quality, £12 10s ; 12 ft. 1¾x9 in. unassorted, £9 5s ; 9-12 ft. 2x8 in. third quality, £8. Ex. Axminster, from St. John, N. B.—3-8 ft. 3x9-11 in. first, second and third quality, £6 15s. Ex. Tampican, from Quebec—12 ft. 3x9 in. third quality, £9 15s ; 10-17 ft. 3x8, £8 5s ; 10-17 ft. 3x7, £7 15s. Ex. Dora, from Saguenay and Matane, Quebec—4-8 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted, £9 10s ; 4-8 ft. 3x10, £8 15s ; 4-8 ft. 3x9, £8 15s ; 4-8 ft. 3x7-8, £7 10s.

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From Parrsboro, N. S.: Oct. 1, str. Platela, for Barry, Eng., 1,106,878 ft. deals and battens, 275,226 ft. ends and scantling, value $15,944, by W. M. Mackay.

From Yarmouth, N.S.: Sept. 27, barque Mary H. Law, for Buenos Ayres, 921,000 ft. lumber, value $192,000.

From Halifax, N. S.: Sept. 20, schr. Greta, for New York, 194,708 ft. lumber, value $2,375. Barque Stewiacke, for France, 410,898 ft. lumber, value $5,239. Str. Sabona, for Scotland, 1,356,106 ft. deals, etc., value $13,560. Oct. 1, str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 491,003 ft. deals, value $5,543.

From Chatham, N.B.: Sept. 24, barque Vesterlide, for Liverpool, 608,000 ft. deals, boards and ends, 45,250 pcs. palings, 18,525 pcs. birch squares, by J. B. Snowball Co. Sept. 26, str. Phoenix, for Manchester, Eng., 1,726,877 ft. deals, scantling and boards, by F. E. Neale. Sept. 30, barque Christopho Columbo, for Las Palmas, 56,687 box and crate shooks, 8,385 ft. boards, by T. W. Flett. Oct. 2, schr. Annie Bliss, for New York, 1,850,000 laths, by J. B. Snowball Co. Oct. 3, barque Teocle, for Valencia, 607,000 ft. deals and ends, by J. B. Snowball Co. Oct. 4, str. Rjukean, for Preston, Eng., 1,490,960 ft. deals, scantling, boards and ends, by F. E. Neale. Schr. Norman, for New York, 1,817,000 laths, by Lynch, Bentley & Doyle. Str. Pheria, for Barcelona, Spain, 957,585 ft. deals and ends, by F. E. Neale.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Sellesia, for Glasgow, 3,344,786 ft. deals, 42,528 ft. scantling, by W. M. Mackay. Schr. Eva Lynch, for Rio de Janiero, 509,122 ft. deals, by A. Cushing & Co. Barque Albertina, for Buenos Ayres, 457,488 ft. boards, 30,861 ft. plank, 225,525 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Str. Evangeline, for London, 593 bundles birch blocks, 38,355 ft. birch plank, 3,729 ft. birch ends, 1,575 bales pulp, by William Thomson & Co.; 640 bales pulp, by St. John Sulphite Pulp Co.; 163,030 ft. deals, 22,522 ft. ends, 5,463 ft. birch plank, 9,446 ft. birch ends, by W. M. Mackay; 205,023 ft. deals, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Domain, for Salem, 118,393 ft. plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Annie Harper, for Fall River, 1,400,250 shingles, by D.J. Seeley.

From Montreal: Str. Lycia, sailed August 20, for London, 17,198 pieces lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co; 8,477 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co; 1,159 pieces lumber by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Memnon, sailed Sept. 20. for Bristol, 8,652 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co; 7,780 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd; 7,757 pieces lumber by Robt. Cox & Co. Str. Belfast, sailed Sept. 27, for Cardiff, 7801 pieces deals and boards by Watson & Todd; 5910 pieces deals and boards by Robt. Cox & Co; 9365 pieces deals and boards by J. Burstall & Co; 4464 pieces deals and boards by McArthur Export Co; 2752 pieces deals and boards by Dobell, Beckett & Co; 700 bundles staves by Wallaceburg Cooperage Co; 397 pieces deals and boards by G. T. R. Str. Manxman, sailed Sept 28th, for Liverpool, 6559 pieces deals and boards by Robt. Cox & Co; 15891 pieces deals, boards and ends by Watson & Todd; 363 pieces spruce deals by McArthur Export Co. Str. Hurona, sailed Sept. 27th, for London, 4,492 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Ramore Head, sailed Sept. 28th, for Belfast, 13,-

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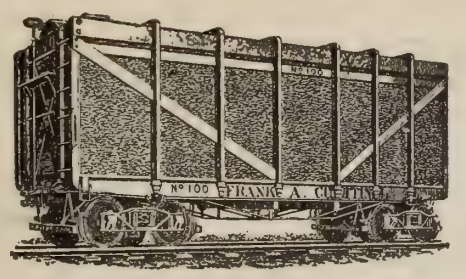

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There is likely to be a sharp curtailment of the cut of the mills at the head of Lake Superior. Low water has prevented some mills from working for some time, lack of logs has done it for others, and inability to get logs out has been the difficulty elsewhere.

There is considerable inquiry for stock from eastern dealers. What has been sold is largely of coarse stock. Prices are stiffening gradually, the advance from the early spring being about $1.50 per thousand. Manufacturers of the Duluth district are of the opinion that the eastern yards are not well stocked and that they will be a considerable factor in the market this fall.

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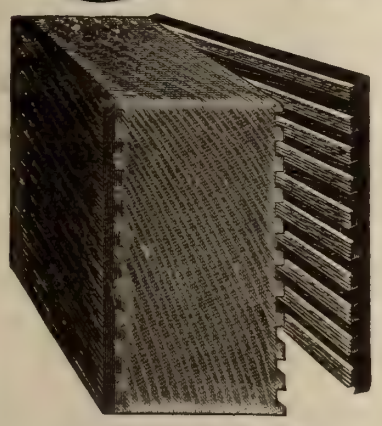

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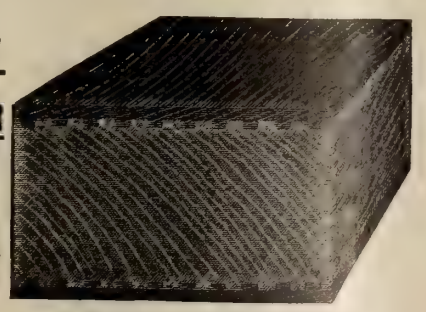

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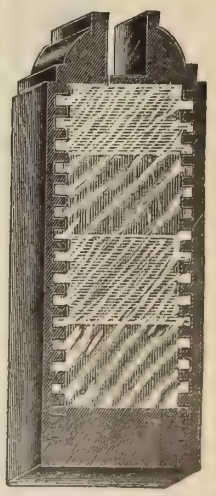

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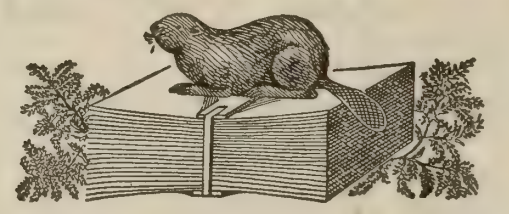

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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	60 00	65 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	16 00	19 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	17 00	19 00		
Elm rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	22 00	4 00		
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	3	24 00	26 00	
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½"	2	32 00	35 00	
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1	1½	19 00	20 00	
Maple 1sts and 2nds	2 "	4	20 00	21 00	
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1½	31 00	33 00	
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4	34 00	36 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1½	32 00	36 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4	35 00	38 00	
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	2	60 00	65 00	
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 "	3	85 00	100 00	
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	"	2	24 00	38 00	

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$36 00	38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	22 00	26 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	24 00	28 00
2 in.	27 00	32 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	2 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better sto k	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	10 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	9 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00	
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00	
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 0
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 15	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 65	1 90
XXXX, 16 inch	2 25	2 50
XX, 6 inch	1 20	1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	49	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	3

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2 in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2 in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	25 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	24 00	9 in.	19 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	17 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	2 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$80	82	1x12 inch shippers $ 28
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 23
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 B & x boards, 6" and up 13
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common 19
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12 27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10 24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8 22 24
No. 3	32	34	No. 2 barn, 1x12 25 26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	52	1x10 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8 21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in 35 38
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch 40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common 20
1x10 inch shippers	20	21	

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$ $3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 50
Clear Butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 75

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	79 00	1¼x10 and 12	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	1½ in.	34 00
4 in.	75 00	2 in	36 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	63 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	65 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	43 00 45 00
4 in.	67 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 00
Fine common, 1 in.	54 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in	24 00
2 in	56 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	65 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in	65 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1 x 13 in and up	18 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	18 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

In the High Court of Justice.

In the Matter of the

McLAREN-ROSS LUMBER CO., Limited

In the Matter of the Winding up Act (Dominion) and of the Acts amending the same.

Pursuant to a winding up order of the Court dated 6th September, 1902, made in this matter, there will be sold by and with the approbation of William Louis Scott, Esquire, the Master of this Court at Ottawa, at his Chambers, in the Court House, at the City of Ottawa, at the hour of two o'clock p.m. on the 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1902, the following real and personal estate, the property of the said Company, all situate in the Province of British Columbia, Canada.

PARCEL NO. 1—Lot No. 55, comprising 23,600 acres more or less in the Seyward District, Vancouver Island, Title renewable leasehold.

PARCEL NO. 2—Lot No. 439 G 2, comprising 9,280 acres more or less, situate in the District of New Westminster.

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Lot No. 55, comprising 15,900 acres more or less in the Chilliwack District.

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Each parcel will be offered for sale separately, without reserve. All persons other than the liquidator are to be at liberty to bid.

The property will be sold subject to all rents, taxes, dues and rates accruing due subsequent to the 31st December, 1902.

The purchaser shall, at the time of sale, pay a deposit of 10 per cent. of their purchase money and shall pay the balance within one month of the day of sale. The purchasers shall have the conveyances prepared at their own expense and tender the same for execution. All expenses of and incidental to the inventigation of titles, including the abstracts therof, shall be borne by the purchasers. The vendor will be bound to produce only such title deeds as are in his possession. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale shall be the standing conditions of this Court.

Further particulars may be had on application to E. S. Leetham, Esq., the Liquidator, or to Messrs. Christie & Greene, his solicitors, No. 110 Wellington Street, Ottawa.

Dated 11th day of September, 1902.

(Signed) W. L. SCOTT,
Master at Ottawa.

WANTED—WHITE STRAIGHT GRAINED 1¼ Maple, both plain and quarter sawn, also 1¼ Red Birch. Box "Z," CANADA LUMBERMAN

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—OF—

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UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM WM. HENDRIE, ESQ., of Hamilton, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Russell House, Ottawa, on WEDNESDAY, 17th DECEMBER, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable Timber Berths, under license from the Crown, subject to the regulations of the Crown Lands Department of the Province of Quebec, namely Upper Ottawa Limits, Nos. 591, 592, 593, 594, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603 and 604, containing in all about 272 square miles. The limits will be sold in one lot.

Terms and conditions to be made known on the day of sale.

For further particulars, apply to
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WANTED—ANY PART OF FOUR MILLION feet of Hemlock or Pine Logs for Spring delivery. For information leading to purchase of any part of above, we are prepared to pay liberal commission. KEENAN BROS., Owen Sound, Ont.

POSITION WANTED

WOULD LIKE A POSITION AS SALESMAN for large Lumber House. Seven years experience traveling east of Buffalo, N. Y., and Scranton, Pa.—taking in New Jersey and New York City. Can give the best of references and go anywhere. J. SMITH, Box 114, Dalton, Pa.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The demand for lumber has not been just as good as was figured on for early October. Fewer orders have been booked from the Eastern States, where business has been retarded by the coal strike. Locally trade is moderately active, the large volume of building in Toronto compelling retail dealers to keep constantly replenishing their stocks. Some uncertainty prevails as to the future demand for building lumber, as it is reported that the high price of lumber, brick, and materials generally has prevented the carrying out of certain proposed building operations. Nevertheless, we do not anticipate lower prices for lumber. There are light stocks at the mills and manufacturing is nearly at an end for this season. Some of the mills are shutting down earlier than usual in order to secure men for logging operations, while other mills have closed on account of a shortage of logs, due to the tie-up on the Spanish River. With favorable conditions for operations the production of saw logs and square timber this winter would probably be above the average, but the scarcity of labor is likely to considerably restrict the output. Red pine is strengthening and promises to command higher prices for the coming winter's production than were realized this season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The reports that sales have been made of spruce deals for next spring delivery at prices higher than ruled during the current year has created a feeling of hopefulness among manufacturers, who look for prices to at least continue firm. The United States is buying all the clapboards that can be found; in fact, the supply is practically cornered,

and extras are bringing $40 to $42 on Boston rate of freight. Cedar shingles are almost equally strong. Locally the demand is quiet, but the C. P. R. shops in Montreal and the harbor improvements about to be commenced at Quebec will call for a large quantity of material. It is yet too early to estimate the log production of the coming winter. A New Brunswick lumberman, however, gives it as his opinion that the cut of logs on the St. John river and its tributaries will be considerably less than last season, owing to the fact that the price of stumpage has been advanced by the New Brunswick Railway Company and that it is difficult to obtain men for work in the woods.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Activity characterizes the lumber trade of Manitoba and British Columbia. Manufacturers are unable to supply the demand, a large portion of which comes from the agricultural districts of Manitoba and the Territories. The scarcity of labor continues to be a great drawback. Some of the mills have been compelled to shut down temporarily. Loggers are paid as high as $4 per day, and Japs and Chinese are getting $1.35 per cord for shingle bolts, an increase of about 75 per cent. over last year.

UNITED STATES.

Satisfaction in not expressed in all quarters in respect to the volume of the fall trade in lumber. Doubtless the coal strike and the fear of further complications in labor circles has caused buyers to proceed with caution. A settlement of the strike would doubtless be followed by active buying of lumber. New York reports a large volume of business at satisfactory prices, and white pine has further strengthened in the eastern markets. Our Buffalo list this week shows an advance in all sizes of uppers, selects and fine common, as well as in 10 and 12-inch barn boards and 13-inch box lumber. In the Albany list shipping and 10-inch common are marked up one dollar. The shortage in white pine dimension has assisted to a further advance in the price of hemlock. Chicago yards have put into effect an advance of about 50 cents, some dealers claiming that they are getting $12. Spruce is probably the strongest lumber in the east. In Boston frames are selling at $19 to $21, and random at $17 to $17.50. There is little change in hardwoods. A Buffalo dealer who recently visited Michigan was asked $21 for log run basswood. This is probably the highest price which basswood has reached for some time, and it is predicted that other classes of hardwood lumber will witness a rise in price in the near future. Birch is selling freely and is being used in no small quantity as a substitute for oak and chestnut. Maple also has improved in tone. Shingles are strong. Within the past two weeks white cedar shingles have been advanced five cents a thousand in the Chicago market. Sales of several million have been made in that market at from $2.85 to $2.90 by water and $3 by rail, and of 8-inch by water at $2.80. Clear pine lath bring $3.50 in Chicago, and No. 1 mixed $3.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Importers who usually pursue a conservative policy are advising the purchase of lumber at present prices. They argue that lower values are not probable, and that the market is in a favorable position to advance before next spring. It is announced that third quality Quebec pine deals have already been contracted for at an advance of £1 per standard on present prices. The stock of good quality pine deals is below the average. There has been a marked appreciation in Canadian red pine, prices during the last two months having advanced 20 shillings a standard. Importers are offering £12 c. i. f. for 11x3 unassorted red pine deals, but shippers refuse to contract on this basis, apparently believing that they will be able to do better. Several orders have recently been booked for red pine for shipment to South Africa. The spruce market maintains its buoyancy. Writing of that lumber a correspondent says: "The one bright spot in an otherwise dull season has been the improvement in Canadian spruce, and this despite the threatened opposition from the Austria-Hungary, Roumanian, and Bosnian whitewood exports at the beginning of the year. During the season there has been a distinct rise of 10s. per standard in all qualities of deals. Third quality 3 x 9 opened at £8 5s. c.i.f., quickly advancing to £8 10s. and the movement since then has been gradually upward to the present contract price of £8 17s. 6d. c. i. f. It is possible to purchase these goods at £9 15s. per standard in the docks, but this quotation will not hold long." A fair demand exists for waney and square pine. Owing to the dullness in the furniture and cabinet-making trades, birch and ash are quiet. Elm is held in large supply at Glasgow and Liverpool, but the stock is chiefly of inferior grades.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

William J. Scott, of Springhill, N.B., has a contract to supply 600,000 laths to Boston dealers.

The steamer Coringa is about to load a cargo of deals at Montreal for Glasgow, on account of Dobell, Beckett & Company.

It is estimated that about 2,500,000 feet of lumber will be required for the proposed buildings of the Deering Harvester Company, at Hamilton, Ont.

The Wiarton Lumber Company, of Barrow, Ont., are prepared to let a contract for logging 1,000,000 feet of hardwood logs, including beech, maple, elm and basswood.

Johnston & Beveridge, of Parry Sound, Ont., have entered into a seven years' contract to log in the Algoma district. During the coming winter they will get out 7,000,000 feet of saw logs.

A. McArthur & Son, of South Lancaster, Ont., closed a contract last week whereby they obtained possession of 800 acres of timber land situated northwest of Martintown. The price paid was $42,000.

The Lake Superior Timber Company, of Port Arthur, Ont., have entered into a centract with the Michigan Sulphite Fibre Company, of Port Huron, Mich., to supply 8,000 cords of pulp wood per annum, commencing next year.

The total quantity of lumber rafted up to October 1st by the Fredericton Boom Company was 123,320,750 superficial feet and 68,640 tons of timber. There were 52,071 joints rafted, made up as follows: 573,600 feet of hemlock, 9,774,930 feet of cedar, 3,362,490 feet of pine, 110,610,730 feet of spruce.

The New Brunswick government will offer tor sale on October 22nd the following timber licenses: Three miles on Lower Otter Brook, Cain's river, J. S. Fairley, applicant; two miles on Mispec river, St. John county, A. E. Smye, applicant; two miles north-east of Gounamitz river, William Richards & Company, applicants.

The following timber berths were sold by the New Brunswick Government at Fredericton last week: South of Enoch Baker Brook, on the St. Francis, three miles, to R. A. Estey, at $8 a mile; Parishes of St. Francis and Clair, 7½ miles, to R. A. Estey, at $96 a mile; east side of River St. Francis, 7½ miles, to R. A. Estey, at $101 a mile; Cain's River, below North Branch, two miles, to Wm. Richards, at $126 a mile; head of Little River, two miles, to William Richards, at $100 a mile.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

An unusual circumstance was recorded in local lumber circles last week. One of the largest mill operators, presumably holding heavy stocks looking for buyers, was forced to go outside his own yards to secure stocks to fill orders which he was in duty bound forced to satisfy, and which in the rush of business he had not provided for. This will give an illustration of the scarcity of high grade lumber in Ottawa and the Ottawa Valley. Prices remain unchanged for the very good reason that there are practically no stocks on which to change prices. This applies to good pine sidings, strips and shorts in all dimensions. There are practically none of the above in the hands of the manufacturers, and the dealers are holding what little they have for their car trade. By means of this high grade lumber, which is about as much sought after as anthracite, and about as easily obtainable, they can dispose of other grades—more plentiful and less sought after—in the way of mixed cars.

The smaller mills throughout the surrounding country have been repeatedly canvassed for the high grade stock spoken of, but they have not been able to satisfy any reasonable percentage of the demand.

The season's steady run on lath and shingles has found the yards depleted of their stocks this fall, and as a consequence prices of some lines have experienced a slight advance. Despite the fact that cedar shingles now rule in equal favor as the pine—in some quarters even better—the dealers find it difficult to get stock to fill orders. The local demand has been but a fair one, but the outside requests have been growing in volume. The Ottawa district lath and shingles went into the Ohio and Pennsylvania districts in large quantities during the past summer, and this fact, coupled with the continued strong demand from New York points, has had a tendency to keep the piling grounds in a rather depleted condition. From these observations a future advance would seem to be a safe deduction.

No. 1 white pine lath is quoted on a conservative basis at $2.75 to $3, while other lines remain about the same. The demand for mill run red pine lath seems to have fallen off, it being quoted 25 cents lower at $2 to $2.25. Cedar shingles, XXXX, 16 inch, find ready purchasers at $2.25 to $2.50, and clear butt same length are firm at $1.65 to $1,90, with XX quoted at $1.20 to $1.25. In pine stock, clear butts, 18 inch, sell at $2.15 to $2.40, and XXXX same length at $3 to $3.25, with XX at $1.25 to $1.50.

The stock of medium grade and cull lumber is quite large, and as the demand is readily supplied prices have become a degree easier. Pine s.c. shorts are quoted at from $11 to $14, pine box boards at from $10 to $14.50, and pine mill culls at from $9 to $14 per M. These figures, of course, represent mill and wholesalers' prices.

The old trouble, shortage of cars, has broken out in the Ottawa district again, and it threatens to assume a serious form. One Valley mill is said to stand in need of hundreds of cars to move stock already sold. Be this as it may, there is no doubt but what stocks could be moved very much easier if more cars were on hand. The movement of western wheat has, at the dictates of the wheat king, deprived the lumber trade of a large percentage of the rolling stock it was wont to rely on. As the harvest is an unusually heavy one, there does not seem to be any prospect of a betterment of conditions as far as the lumber business is concerned. In this connection it may be remarked that the movement of lumber by water this season

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was much less than it was in former years. The coal strike made impossible the arrangement of return cargoes from American points, and as the barges, Canadian and American, could not with profit be run light one way, many were tied up and the local lumbermen deprived of one important medium of transportation.

Since July over 5,000 men are said to have been hired and forwarded from Ottawa for work in the lumber camps, and still the demand has not been filled, over 2,000 more being required. The agents are hunting in all directions, and large numbers of men have been brought from points as far east as Gaspe, Que. The return of the western harvesters in about a fortnight's time, is looked for to solve the difficulty. A comparison with wages paid a few years back will give an idea of the advance in wages, which must of necessity be followed by an advance in next season's lumber prices, and which in all probability will, for lack of men, mean a shortage in this season's log output. Road cutters are receiving from $18 to $22 a month and board, where formerly the maximum figure was $12 and board. General hands and teamsters are in demand at $26 to $28 per month, classes that a few years ago received only from $12 to $15 and board per month. Log cutters are hiring at $28 to $30 and board, who were only able four years ago to command $14 to $17 and board per month. Hewers are receiving $30 per month, an advance of $10 in a few years.

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THE GLA GOW MARKET.

From Edmiston & Mitchells' monthly timber circular the following particulars of the Glasgow market are extracted:

In Quebec timber, the stock of waney and square pine logs is about 25 per cent. more than last year, while oak, elm, and ash are also in excess; but it may be pointed out that the stocks generally last year were abnormally low. In pine deals and sidings the amount on hand, with the exception of second quality, is very small as compared with previous years, while as regards spruce, the figures are 7063 standards, against 13,120 standard at 30th September last year.

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month has been about 1800 loads, and the stock is moderate, about 7800 loads. There have been no large transactions during the month, though there have been a number of sales of both first and second class waney, at prices ranging from 3s. 3d. to 3s. 6d. per cubic foot for first class, and 2s. 6d. to 2s. 9d. for second class, according to size. We hear of no transactions in square timber. Prices, however, are firm.

RED PINE.— There has been an import of 126 loads, and the stock on hand consits of about 550 loads. We hear of a good line having been placed during the month, and from other enquiries presently in the market the stock will all be required.

OAK.— The import during the month amounts to about 800 loads, and the stock consists of about 4200 loads, of which 3000 loads is Quebec and 1200 loads United States timber. The demand continues good, although railway companies are buying more sparingly than usual. Prices are firm.

ELM.—The import amounts to about 700 loads. The stock is heavy — about 4000 loads — the greater part being second class and soft wood. There has been a fair business done in first-class rock, at prices ranging from 2s. 11d. to 3s. 1d. per cubic foot, but other sorts are moving slowly.

BIRCH. — Quebec.— The import for the month amounts to about 240 loads log timber and 260 loads planks, which have come to a dull market, and had in most cases to bo stored. The stock on hand is not by any means large, but the continued dullness of the furniture trade necessarily considerably restricts the consumption, so that the quantity on hand is ample for the present market requirements. Prices have been unsatisfactory and show no signs of improving.

ASH. — The import for September amounts to over 1,000 logs Canadian and 400 logs States ash. Too much Canadian ash is being sent into this market in view of the extreme dullness of the cabinet-making trade, and the stock is now altogether too excessive. A few sales have been effected out of recent arrivals, but at miserable prices, as little as 1s. 5d. having been accepted for 13 inch average, and even at this price only a comparatively small portion was sold.

DEALS, ETC.—A good business has been done during the month, and deliveries from the public yards have been large. Owing to the moderate imports and the small stock, prices of first pine deals and first pine sidings show a marked advance. Red pine and spruce deals are also firmer. Current values are as under :—Broad first pine deals, £31 to 34 ; 11-inch, £26 to £27 ; ends and non-dimensions, $20 to £22 ; second pine deals, 11-inch and up £18 10s. to $21 ; non dimensions, £12 10s. to £15. Third pine deals, 11-inch and up, £12 to £13 ; ends and non-dimensions, £8 10s. to £10 10s. Fourth pine deals, 11-inch and up, £10 to £10 10s ; narrows, £8 to £9. Red pine deals, 9 and 11 inch, £10 to £12 ; narrows, £8 to £9. First pine sidings and strips, 9 and 10-inch average, £21 to £23 ; 11 to 12-inch average £24 to £26 ; 13 to 14-inch average, £27 to £28. Spruce deals, 9-inch and up, £8 10s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s to £8 10s. Lower port pine and spruce, 9 inch and up, £8 5s. to £9 5s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s.

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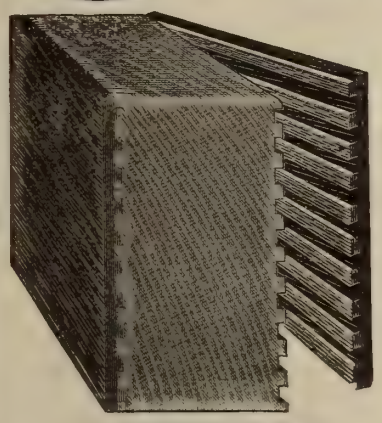

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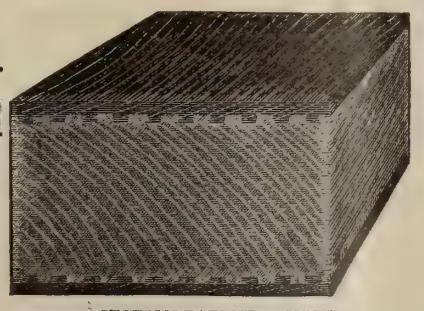

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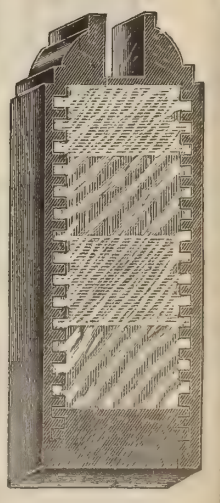

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	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine	1,504,625	1,353,666	1,815,920
White pine	568,967	558,995	383,600
Red pine	63,780	89,76	71,160
Oak	459,938	485,806	618,680
Elm	683,998	942,372	561,880
Ash	91,701	135,108	79,920
Basswood	241	464	. . . .
Butternut	142	944	. . . .
Tamarac	71	198	. . . .
Birch and Maple	459,361	307,039	164,300

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber at Boston is steady, with a fair trade. The mills are pretty well ordered up, and slow about taking orders on 10 and 12 inch: Ten and 12-inch dimensions, $21; 9-inch and under, $19; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3,2x4, 2x5,2x6,2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 to $20; out spruce boards, $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock is in steady demand, with the supply limited and prices unchanged: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 to $15.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No.1, $16 to $17.50; No. 2, $15 to $15.50.

The strong position of western pine is continued, with the market very firm. Trade is moderate with prices strong: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $82 to $85; 2½ to 3 in. $87 to $38; 4-in. $90; selects, 1 in. $68; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $70; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4 in. $82; fine common, 1-in. $62 to $63; 1¼ to 1½ in. $65; 2-in. $67.50; 2½ to 3 in. $72.50; 4-in. $82.50; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is steady at about full prices: Quartered oak, $66 to $68; plain oak,$42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $42 to $43; sap and common, $30 to $35; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple,$28 to $30; end-dried white maple, $38 to $42; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Shingles continue firm for good to best: Extra cedar, $3.60 to $3.70; clear, $3 to $3.10; second clear, $2.50; extra No. 1, $1.90 to $2; British Columbia red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $2.75 to $3.80; 18-inch, $4.25 to $4.50.

Spruce clapboards are in short supply and nominally very firm: Clear, $40 to $42; second clear, $37 to $39; extra No. 1, $22 to $32.

Laths are in small supply and very firm: One and five-eighths inch, $3.40 to $3.45; 1½ inch, $3.25 to $3.30.

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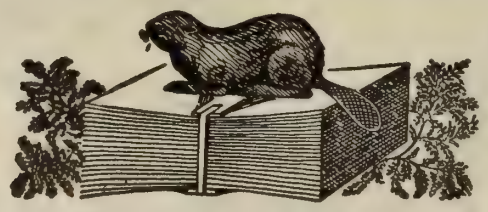

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No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 in and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	19 00
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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

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1st & 2nd, rock	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11

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1/2	"	5/4	"	7 " 18"	"
1	"	4/4	Saps and Selects		
2	"	4/4	Common		"
1	"	4/4	1 and 2, 6 and up Red Oak.		
1	"	5/4	"	"	
1	"	4/4	Common		"
2	"	4/4	No. 2 Common		"
1	"	4/4	Common Chestnut.		
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Nothing has developed during the past fortnight to weaken the lumber market. Fall trade is now in full swing, and of a volume which indicates the belief of buyers in the maintenance of prices. The optimistic feeling in the trade will doubtless result in every possible effort being put forth this winter to secure a large crop of logs, and many manufacturers are now offering to buy logs so as to ensure a supply for next season's operations. While we do not anticipate an excessively large production of logs, for reasons previously stated, the present is doubtless a time for conservatism, as it is not possible to predict what conditions shall rule next season, and a slump in prices would mean a loss on the operations of this winter, conducted as they will be at abnormal expense.

Considering the large building operations contemplated in Hamilton by the Deering Harvester Company and one or two other concerns, the high price of lumber has not yet exerted a deterrent influence. In Toronto building is also active and manufacturers of all kinds are working to their full capacity.

Hardwoods have shown remarkable strength of late, with a great scarcity of basswood. Orders are now being booked at advanced prices. The advance has been so steady and based on such sound conditions that little set-back, if any, is expected next season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

As the production of this season has mostly passed out of first hands, the spruce lumber market is somewhat featureless. The strength previously referred to, however, continues in full force, very high figures being asked for first-open-water shipments next spring. The United States has taken such a large quantity of lumber this year that wintering stocks will be unusually light. For the quarter ending September 30th there was exported to the United States from the port of St. John, N. B., Canadian lumber to the value of $198,295.88, and lumber manufactured at St. John from American logs to the value of $249,793.49.

In Montreal interest is now centred on the timber requirements of the Harbor Commissioners, tenders for which close November 3rd. Among the items called for in the specifications are 832,000 feet of hemlock planks, 120,000 feet spruce planks, 71,000 feet pine planks, 20,000 feet maple planks, 10,350 feet elm planks, 236,230 lineal feet flat hemlock, 27,890 lineal feet round hemlock timber, 864,000 feet pine face timber, 148,920 feet square pine timber, 1,644 cubic feet oak timber, and 1,000 cubic feet elm timber. Delivery of the oak and elm timber is to be made by January 3rd, 1903; hemlock and spruce planks between April 15th and July 29th; pine planks between May 15th and August 21st; pine and hemlock timber between May 20th and September 2nd; and elm and maple planks not later than March 2nd.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The mills which supply the lumber requirements of Manitoba and the Territories are experiencing a very heavy demand. It has been necessary in some instances to refuse orders on account of the inability to make delivery when desired. It is estimated that the demand for shingles is greater now than ever before, the abundant grain crop having given a stimulus to the trade. The activity is likely to continue throughout the winter. Many shingle manufacturers of the Pacific coast have not benefitted materially by the advanced prices, for the reason that contracts were in many cases entered into last spring at the prices then ruling. Since that time shingle bolts have advanced and the manufacturer's profit has been almost entirely wiped out.

UNITED STATES.

Good business is reported in every branch of the lumber trade. Sash and door factories are busy, and the scarcity of No. 1 and No. 2 doors is as pronounced as ever. The demand for lumber from manufacturing industries is unusually heavy. White pine quotations are unchanged, although individual advances are being made in some districts where there is a pronounced scarcity of certain grades. Some lengths of piece stuff and all kinds of dimension, as well as 12-inch boards, are in short supply. In Chicago sales are being made at $16 for No. 1 pine piece stuff, $11 to $12 for hemlock piece stuff, $2.80 to $2.90 for white cedar shingles, and $3 for No. 1 mixed lath. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers are making heavy shipments eastward and anticipate an increased trade as the result of the settlement of the coal strike. The most influential interests, however, are discouraging a further advance in prices on the ground that it may curtail the consumption. In Wisconsin and Minnesota $11 is being asked for No. 4 boards, while the price of No. 3 and better averages about $19. Norway piece stuff is practically out of the market. There is a considerable amount of lath on hand at Ashland, Wis., for which $3.25 is asked for No. 1 white pine and $2.50 to $2.75 for No. 2. Hardwoods generally are strong. Manufacturers report large orders booked in advance, with no prospect of lower prices in the near future. There is a disposition to use low grade hardwoods in place of pine wherever it is found practical. The supply of basswood has become a little more plentiful, although it is not yet sufficient to meet the demand. Ash and maple are not as active as elm, birch and basswood.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British timber market has become quieter. Consumers apparently do not fear an immediate advance in prices, although this may be brought about by the higher figures that are being asked for the shipments of next year. Appearances point to a rise in "spot" prices of pine and spruce deals; in fact, very favorable reports are given concerning Canadian lumber of all kinds. According to the abstract of stock compiled by Foy, Morgan & Company, there is sufficient spruce in the London market to supply the requirements at present rate of consumption for 7.83 months, while one year ago there was a supply for 11.22 months. Of pine there is a supply for 8.54 months, as compared with 8.80 one year ago. Referring to the Liverpool market a writer says: "All pine deals, red or white, are moving off in a steady pace. The buyer of Canadian goods "for futures" will find out that he is adopting the ostrich-like attitude if he does not buy at the present prices. This does not apply to deals and boards only, but to every other kind of timber—oak, elm, etc. Waney board pine is at a price now that is unprecedented. Still buyers have got to face the situation, for there is no other class of pine equal to it for pattern and machine-making requirements". In Liverpool last week a line of third quality pine, 3x7-10, changed hands at £10 5s. per standard c.i.f. Liverpool, and 3x11 at £11 15s. Spruce, 3x11 and 3x9, brings £9 15s. per standard in the docks.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Avona is loading a cargo of deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom.

S. W. Abel, of Potton, Que., has taken a contract to saw 1,000,000 feet of lumber for the Sutton Lumber Company.

The Harbor Commissioners of Montreal invite tenders in this issue for the supply of timber and planks for the year 1903. The lumber required will represent a value of about $100,000.

A timber berth of 2 miles, at the head of the Salmon river in New Brunswick, will be offered for sale at the Crown Land office, Fredericton, on October 29th. The applicant is Irving E. Murray.

The last raft of logs of the season for the J.& T. Charlton Saw Mill Company reached Collingwood, Ont., about ten days ago. The raft comprised about 3,500,000 feet of logs, and was brought from the Spanish River. The mill of the company will be kept running until well into November.

The schooner Canning Packet is loading lumber at Digby, N. S., for Lynn, Mass., the shipper being Capt. Melanson, of Port Gilbert, who has already shipped this season 2,800,000 feet of lumber to a Lynn firm. He has recently made arrangements to ship an additional 600,000 feet before the close of the season.

The report of the surveyor - general for the quarter ending September 30th shows that considerably more lumber was handled at the port of Bangor, Me., in the past three months than in the corresponding period of 1901. The figures are as follows:

	1901	1902
Dry pine, feet	4,538,386	4,963,391
Green pine	359,749	491,413
Spruce	24,724,784	30,967,404
Hemlock, etc.	7,020,588	6,591,140
Total	36,643,507	43,013,348

During the three months ending September 30th of this year, the lumber exports from St. John, N. B., to United States ports aggregated $442,689.37 in value, of which $192,895.88 was of native lumber and $249,793.49 of Maine lumber cut in St. John mills. Of the New Brunswick product pulp represented $55,020.57. Following is the statement in detail :

NEW BRUNSWICK LUMBER.

Lath	$78,644 15
Long lumber	40,429 77
Piling	6,797 80
Shingles	12,003 59
Pulp	55,020 57
Total	$192,895 88

AMERICAN LUMBER.

Clapboards	$ 4,404 00
Lath	41,029 16
Long lumber	171,726 35
Pickets	223 63
Shingles	32,050 35
Shooks	360 00
Total	$249,793 49
Grand total	$442,689 37

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LONDON TIMBER STOCKS.

Messrs. Churchill & Sim give the following figures as showing the stock of timber in the public docks at London on September 30th for two years:

		1902	1901
Foreign deals	in pieces	2,215,000	2,351,000
Battens	"	4,102,000	4,848,000
Boards	"	14,071,000	14,521,000
Wainscot Logs	"	636	933
Oak Timber	in loads	2,780	2,530
Fir Timber	"	3,122	2,312
Colonial Pine Deals and (white	in pieces	1,067,000	1,326,000
Battens (red		227,000	
Spruce ditto	"	1,097,000	1,798,000
Oak Timber	in loads	1,516	2,003
Birch Timber and planks	"	4,823	5,755
Elm and Ash Timber	"	1,804	3,032
White Pine	"	543	1,330
Red pine	"	399	182
United States Pitch Pine Timber	"	21,292	24,541
" " Deals	in pieces	96,000	179,000
East India Teak	in loads	8,533	12,648

Of Canadian lumber they say: From the St. Lawrence the arrivals are: Pine deals, 1,119,000 pieces, against 1,361,000 pieces in 1901; spruce deals 2,004,000 pieces, against 2,972,000 pieces in 1901; birch planks, 95,000 pieces, against 94,000 pieces in 1901.

From New Brunswick: Pine deals, 254,000 pieces, againt 209,000 pieces in 1901; spruce deals, 337,000 pieces, against 424,000 pieces in 1901; birch planks, 108,000 pieces, against 161,000 pieces in 1901.

Rather more pine deals have arrived here in September than was the case last year, but the market was very bare and has taken off the required quantity with hardly any give from the high prices current. Of spruce the month's supply has been quite inadequate and prices have risen to a level to which we are quite unaccustomed, without, however, in any way satisfying shippers' ideas. So long as the Americans are eager for more than Canada can supply these conditions must continue. Birch, elm, ash and white pine timber have been in better retail demand than for some time past and values are improving. Birch planks have been shipped here too freely and want holding. Oak timber has been difficult to sell at shipper's valuation.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Trade in all lines of lumber and shingles is still brisk and heavy shipments by rail and vessel have gone forward during September and early October. Although the mills have caught up to some extent on orders, there are still plenty on their books. A number of vessels are lying at Vancouver and Chemanius mills awaiting their turn for a cargo. Prices on foreign shipments are firm and rough lumber brings $12 per M at the mill's wharf. Prices on Manitoba and Eastern shipments remain about the same as quoted in former letters, rough lumber bringing $11 per M at the mill. Shingles are in good demand at $2.65 per M delivered at all points taking a 50 cent freight rate and $3 where the rate is 75 cents per 100 lbs. Logs and shingle bolts remain high in price, the former bringing $5 to $5.50 net at the camp, and bolts $4 per cord.

A number of lumber dealers from Ontario, Manitoba and the Territories are now on the Coast making contracts for next year. The dealers in the latter places contemplate stocking their yards during the winter months so as to be prepared for the early spring trade. They anticipate a much heavier demand during 1903 than has been the case during the present season.

Very few timber cruisers are in the field now, and few sales of timber lands have taken place during the past summer, although much has been offered.

The anticipated trouble with the Teamsters' Union has not materialized and the threatened strike which was to take place on October 1st unless the mills recognized the union has fallen through. The mills were willing to increase wages, but were unwilling to be dictated to from outside sources as to who they should employ.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 14th, 1902.

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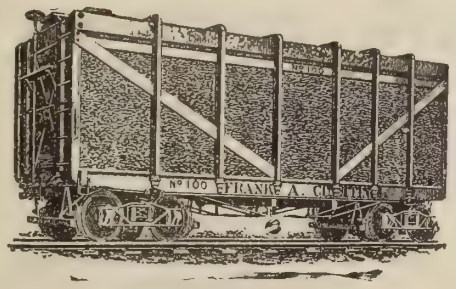

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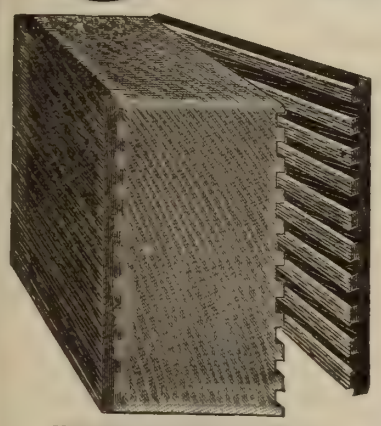

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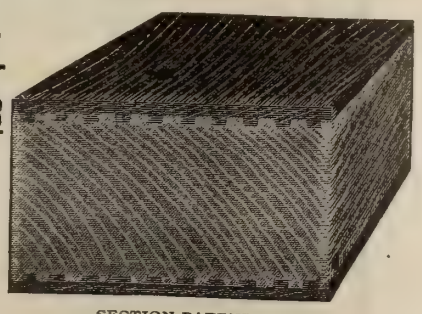

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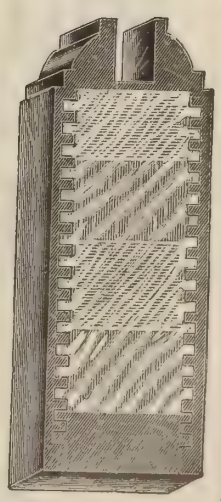

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White pine	568,967	558,995	383,600
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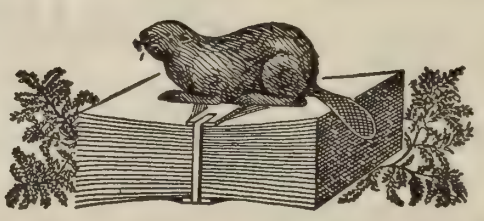

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The scarcity of cars for the shipment of lumber is seriously affecting the trade. Some manufacturers have orders booked for hundreds of cars, and much of this stock could be shipped but for the inability to obtain carriers. In other respects the situation at the mills is satisfactory. The retail demand is not large, but there is no difficulty in effecting sales. White pine stocks are light. A dealer who recently visited the Georgian Bay district states that not a single firm will carry over more than 10,000,000 feet of unsold lumber, and by far the greater number will have no stock for sale at the close of the season. In view of the competitive buying this year, we may expect that dealers will shortly place contracts in advance for their requirements of next season. Norway is very strong and likely to advance. Again this week we hear of mills shutting down earlier than usual so as to send the men into the woods.

Much talk is still heard regarding a further advance in the price of hardwood lumber. It seems that such a move has been held in check by the fear that it would stimulate the production of logs this winter to an excessive degree and possibly bring about a break in prices. With an average log input this winter hardwood prices are likely to continue firm next season.

Shingles and lath are steady and in constant demand for shipment to the Eastern States. In Toronto B. C. 6 to 2 inch shingles are selling at $3.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prices at Quebec for waney and square nber are unchanged, as no sales are king place. There has been, however, appreciation in the value of pine timr, and contracts for this winter's proiction are likely to be made at higher ices than were realized for the output the past season. There is abundant idence that spruce lumber is strong. ealers are showing a disposition to conact for the deal production of next year most regardless of price, while manucturers are disposed to hold on until ey are better able to judge as to the oit of the present advancing tendency. is safe to say that spruce lumber will be valuable asset in the early part of next ar at least. New Brunswick cedar ingles are a trifle easier. While a few eeks ago manufacturers were asking .65 for extras on Boston rate of freight, ey are now willing to accept orders at .60. It can hardly be expected that a ice above this figure can be permanentmaintained. Lath prices are steady at .40 for 1⅜ inch and $3.25 for 1½ inch, oston delivery. The mills are heavily ersold, which is likely to hold prices firm some time.

UNITED STATES.

The movement of lumber in some discts is active; in others it is rather quiet. the western country there is a heavy mand for barn and corn crib stock, and e supply of 4 and 6-inch No. 2 and No. 3 mmon strips has been materially reced. A scarcity of piece stuff and norhy lumber is reported from several arkets. On the whole, white pine prices e being well maintained. Sash and door anufacturers report that there is a growg surplus of No. 3 shop common. On erything above this grade, however, ices are strong and stocks comparativescarce, with little prospect for any lower lues for some time. Substitution of her woods has resulted in a lessened mand for No. 1 and No. 2 shop lumber sash and doors. At Duluth some sales lumber have been made for delivery in e shipping season of 1903. This is said be the earliest date that any sales for e coming year have been made in that arket. It forecasts active buying for ring delivery during the next two nths. Eastern spruce is firm, 10 and 12-h dimension bringing $18.50 to $19.50 Bangor. Hardwoods are gaining on e in point of activity. The lower grades e no longer a drug upon the market; in t, everything in the hardwood line sells adily. Frequent predictions are heard at there will be a decided advance in ices before the close of the year. If in e eastern market there is one class of nber that is not in line with the general de it is white ash. Inquiries for bassod are numerous, with the supply not ual to the demand.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There is a fair consumption of lumber in reat Britain and the market continues m, although quiet. Stocks are not avy and are firmly held for higher ices. The usual amount of house buildg is in progress, but the cabinet trade is a depressed condition. Prices of first ality pine deals continue to stiffen, one two parcels of specially wide average ving recently been sold at very high ures. The stock of pine sidings is almost hausted and prices are advancing. The me remarks apply to Quebec waney e timber and oak. Ash is slightly weaker, ranging from 1s 8d to 2s per cubic foot.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

No. 1 mixed lath is selling in Chicago at $3 to $3.25.

The Dominion government is taking tenders for the construction of four ice piers at Richmond, Que.

The steamer Santa Marina last week brought a cargo of 350,000 feet of lumber from Ashland, Wis., to Port Colborne, Ont.

F.E. Neale, representing F. Harrison & Company, of Liverpool, England, expects to ship this season 41,000,000 feet of lumber from the Miramichi and 16,000,000 feet from Restigouche, N. B.

Fuerstenburg Bros., of Saginaw, Mich., last week bought 1,000,000 feet of log run white pine from Edmund Hall. The stock was manufactured at Sarnia, Ont., and is reported to have been bought at $18.

In the Chicago market dry Norway piece stuff is scarce at $16 for short and $18 for long. Hemlock is in fair inquiry, prices at the mill ranging from $10.50 to $10.75 and in Chicago at from $12 to $12.25.

J. & T. Charlton are reported to have completed a deal whereby they become the owners of a timber tract of 170 square miles in the Spanish River territory, above Georgian Bay. The timber is composed mostly of white pine, and it is probable that a new mill will be constructed to manufacture it. It is understood to be the intention to operate the limits this winter.

The New Brunswick government will offer for sale on November 5th the following timber licenses: Six square miles on Young's Brook, branch of McCollum's brook; 3 miles on Alward's brook, branch of Canaan river; 2 miles on South Branch, Rider's brook; 3 miles at mouth North Branch, Cain's river; 3 miles on Lower Otter brook, Cain's river.

Wright, Graham & Company, of Glasgow, Scotland, quote the following prices in that market for Quebec deals and sidings: White pine deals, 1st quality, £34 to £37 16s 3d per standard; 11 in. £25 8s 9d to £28 10s; 7 in. to 10 in. £22 to £23 7s 6s; 7 in. and up by 6-9 ft., £18 11s 3d to £19 18s 9d. 2nd quality, broad, £22 to £23; 11 in. £20 to £21; 7 in. to 10 in. £15 16s to £16 10s; 7 in. and up by 6-9 ft. £13 to £14. 3rd quality, broad, £14 to £15; 11 in. £12 7s 6d to £13 5s; 7 in. to 10 in. £10 to £11; 7 in. and up by 6-9 ft. £8 5s to £9 12s 6d; 4th quality, broad, £10 13s to £11 6s 10d; 11 in. £10 to £10 10s; narrows, £8 5s to £9 5s. White pine sidings, £22 13s 9d to £24 15s per standard. Red pine deals, 9 and 11 in. by 3 and 4 in. £9 2s 6d to £9 12s 6d per standard; 7 to 10 in. by 3 in. £6 10s to £7 10s.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of October 11, say of the Barbadoes market: "Only two small parcels of white pine lumber have arrived for the fortnight, one of 22,000 feet boards, which we placed at $20.05 mixed quality, and another of 16,000 feet from Gaspe, Que., of better quality, sold at $21.30. We value first cargo arriving in the neighborhood of $24.-50 for shipping and $18.50 for seconds. In spruce the "Success" brought 90,000 feet, of which 50,000 feet were placed at $19.10 round and balance at $19.62. A cargo arriving should, we think, bring about $21 for shipping and $17 for seconds. The schooner "Success" had 320,000 Long Gaspe cedar shingles, 35,000 of which, extra quality, brought $4.90 to $5; balance are being stored. She also brought 150,-000 dimension shingles, which sold at $4.-10 for 4 inch, $5.10 to $5.20 for 5 inch, $6.10 and $6.25 for 6 inch, and $7.25 for 7 inch; also 75,000 laying cedar, sold at $1.75.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Inquiry at the local railway offices reveals the fact that the shipment of lumber is slow, the scarcity of cars already reported still prevailing. This applies alike to Ottawa and lumber centers in the Ottawa Valley. One of the leading local yards is 200 cars behind in its orders. Business as a consequence of this difficulty in transportation and the scarcity of suitable stock, is quiet. It is generally acknowledged that the greater part of the present season's cut is off the market, the scarcity of cars alone delaying the shipment of that portion which is in shape for present movement.

Part of the cut of the Parry Sound mills is being forwarded over the Canada Atlantic Railway to points in New York and the New England States. This was contracted for or rather sold outright a year ahead. The completion of the spur line from the Canada Atlantic Railway into Parry Sound makes this route available this season for the first time.

An American buyer who was in the Capital recently, said that the scarcity of southern pine and cedar lath in Pennyslvania centres was the cause of the past year's brisk demand for the Canadian white pine article. The dealers pushed the alien lath for all it was worth, but the Ottawa visitor expressed a doubt whether or not the Canadian lath could retain possession of of the Pennsylvania field once the southern brands recovered a portion of it. The presence of gum in the Canadian white pine lath does not find it favor in the mining state. There is said to be no gum in the southern pine or cedar and for this reason a preference is expressed for it.

The Ottawa market quotations in THE LUMBERMAN were submitted to several dealers to-day, but none of them felt justified in making a change. Business which opened brisk in September has for reasons already mentioned suffered a decline. On account of the scarcity of cars it is highly problematic whether the time honored fall rush immediately preceding the close of navigation will cut much figure this year. If business does not improve then prices are not likely to advance. It seems to be pretty well understood that high grade stock in and about Ottawa which has not already been sold, is being held for the winter trade. On account of the many railway connections and the greater freedom of rolling stock, this winter movement will probably be active. Dealers six weeks ago anticipated much greater business than is being transacted to-day.

An advance of ten per cent. on British quotations on waney and square timber was recently reported. Questioned as to the causes for this marked advance a prominent exporter stated that they were manifold. In the first place, many of the limits changed hands within the past twelve months at greatly enhanced values. The new owners to protect themselves have been compelled to make a proportionate advance on the price of the product of the limits. The second reason for the advance is the condition of the labor market, dealt with in these columns several times already. It is difficult to secure skilled and competent square timbermen and wages in the year have advanced from twenty to thirty per cent.

All kinds of fodder and provisions, with the exception of hay and oats, have also advanced, and this advance contributed another cause for the ten per cent. increase in selling price of square timber. The increased demand in the British market is a fourth reason quite as important as the others. It is just possible that a further advance on pending sales may be made.

No sales of limits or manufactured lumber have been reported since the last list appeared in the LUMBERMAN. There are no limits on the market, and the holders of such property are not desirous of selling except at a fancy figure, for the reason

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that lumber promises to be a good article for investment for several years to come. No sales are in contemplation and it can safely be asserted that the recent period of activity in limit transfers will be followed by one of calm.

Recent reports from the limits go to show that good progress is being made in the preparation of logs for next year's sawing. Natural conditions have so far been favorable, and the operators are looking forward to an open Fall. The scarcity of labor, however, is complained of in every quarter and it is now pretty well assured that this shortage will have a corresponding effect on the output of logs. The fact that several firms have resumed operations after a rest of years' duration, has placed an extra demand on the local labor market which it is impossible to satisfy. The natural result—men of all classes, and boys for that matter, are being engaged this season, who a few years ago would not have stood one chance in twenty of getting employment. No report of disease in the camps has been received so far, and the operators feel confident that vigilance will go a long ways towards preventing a repetition of last year's costly experience, when smallpox broke up whole lumber camps.

OTTAWA, October 21st, 1902.

The saw mill of Jardine Bros. at Rexton (formerly Kingston), Kent county, N. B., was destroyed by fire on October 27th.

Lumber firms who may propose sending men into the woods can learn, by applying at the office of this paper, where they may obtain the services of four bushmen and a cook.

The Morris-Field-Rogers Co., of Listowel, Ont., are advertising for a large quantity of white basswood and soft elm. The factory is running night and day to keep up with their rapidly increasing Canadian and European trade.

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Mr. S. O'Brien, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, writes: "I have had enquiries for my goods from Belfast, Glasgow and Tonawanda through the ad. in your good paper. I am very much pleased with it."

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 10th October, 1902. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A London firm makes inquiry for Canadian firms manufacturing articles for tradesmen's equipment, such as butchers' blocks, alarm tills, bent-wood shop chairs, light two and four wheeled carts, barrows, ladders, etc.

Enquiry comes from a Yorkshire firm for houses in Canada from whom they can purchase maple wood lumber for wringing-machine rollers.

A Colonial merchant in London having a branch house in South Africa desires to get into touch with Canadian shippers of doors, sashes, windows, dimension-lumb and deals, with a view to large shipmer for South Africa.

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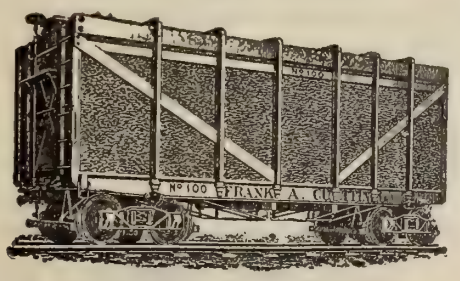

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From St. John, N. B.: Schr. Riverdale, for Boston, 1,204,000 cedar shingles, by Charles Miller. Schr. J. L. Loy, for Boston, 125,000 cedar shingles, 97,109 ft. deals, 50,077 ft. boards, 2,104 ft. scantling, by Charles Miller. Schr. I.M. Parker, for City Island, 70,122 ft. plank, 793 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Garfield White, for Boston, 5,361 ft. boards, 49,179 ft. scantling, 27,769 ft. plank, 6,426 ft. deal ends, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Cora May, for Pawtucket, 141,147 ft. boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Rewa, for City Island, 177,229 ft. plank, 24,167 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Fanny, for Boston, 113,477 ft. boards, by John E. Moore. Schr. Manuel R. Cuza, for Philadelphia, 1,440,000 laths, by J. H. Scammell & Co. Str. Ocamo, for Bermuda, 647 pcs. spruce boards, 250 bundles lath, by G. & G. Flewelling Mfg. Co.; 150 bundles lath, by R. C. Tait. Schr. Walter Miller, for Newhaven, Conn., 70,437 ft. boards, 49,268 ft. deal ends, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

From Montreal: Str. Ceylon, for Hull, 15,754 pcs. deals, etc., by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Mexican, for Antwerp, 2,554 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Marina, sailed October 16th, for Glasgow, 2,355 pieces deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 1,863 pieces deals, by J. Burstall & Co; 621 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 2,211 pieces sidings, 21 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Co; 11,481 pieces deals and boards, by McLaurin Bros; 601 pieces deals, by G. T. R. Str. Roman, sailed October 19th, for Liverpool, 14,125 pieces deals, boards and ends, by Watson & Todd; 3,901 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Co. Str. Escalona, sailed October 18th, for Aberdeen, 976 pieces deals, by G.T.R.; 874 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd; 1,811 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSFERS.

The Millar-McCool Lumber Company, of Pembroke, Ont., are reported to have purchased the township of Curtis, comprising 36 square miles of timber limits, chiefly white pine. This township lies along the limit they now own in the township of Whitman. The price is given as $140,000.

J. S. Emerson, of Vancouver, B.C., has just completed the purchase of several tracts of timber land up the coast, in addition to those he already possesses and will shortly commence the development of these on a large scale. Mr. Emerson has now fourteen miles of water front on Howe Sound and Hardy Island, owning about half the standing timber contained on the latter.

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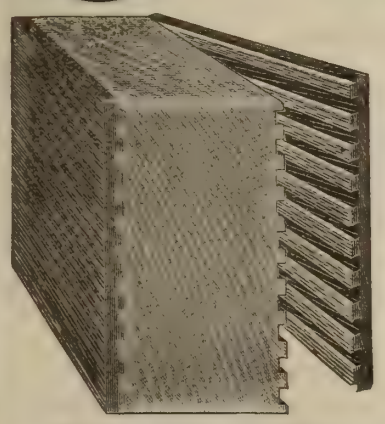

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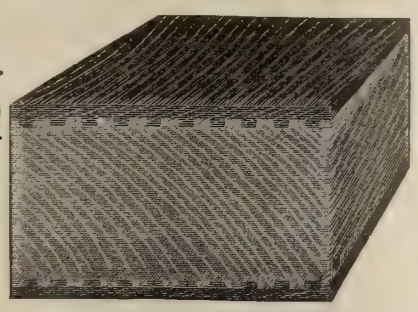

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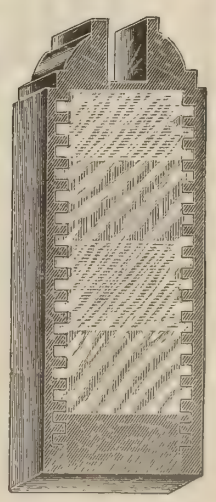

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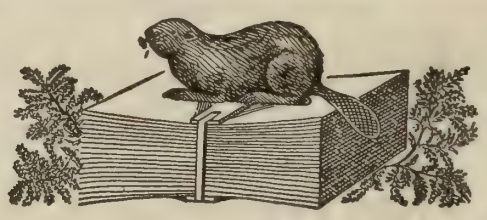

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1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 35
XXX white pine shingles	3 25
B.C. shingles 6 to 2 in.	2 90
B.C. shingles 5 to 2 in.	3 30
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	13 00

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00 $32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in.	22 00 24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in.	23 00 25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00 19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.	18 00 20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00 22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00 26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in.	21 00 24 00
1½ to 2	23 00 26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00 19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00 25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00 20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00 2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½ 50 00 60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 60 00 65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 16 00 19 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 17 00 19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00 24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3 24 00 26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2 32 00 35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 19 00 20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2	" 4 20 00 21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 31 00 33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 4 34 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 32 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 4 35 00 38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 2 60 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1	" 3 85 00 100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 2 34 00 38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$36 00 38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00 48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	48 00 52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00 32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00 36 00
2 in.	34 00 38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	22 00 26 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	24 00 28 00
2 in.	27 00 32 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00 20 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00 16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00 16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00 17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	9 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00 2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00 2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 15 2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00 3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25 1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 6 1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25 2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20 1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
2 in.	60 00
2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00
2 in.	52 00
2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	25 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	24 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 50
9 in.	19 00
8 in.	19 00
1x6	19 00
1x4	17 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$18 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50
No. 2. White Pine	3 10
Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	$80 82
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	73 75
4 inch uppers	83 85
Selects, 2½ in up	73 75
1 to 2 in.	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	59 62
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52 56
No. 2	32 45
No. 3	32 34
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47 50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40
Stained saps	30 40
Bracket plank	30 35
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
Dressing boards, narrow	23
1x10 inch shippers	21
1x12 inch shippers	$ 24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	42
4/4 B C x boards, 6" and up	13
10-in. dressing and better	28 30
10-in. common	20
12-in. dressing and better	35 37
Common, 1x12	20
No. 1 barn, 2x12	27 29
1x10	24 26
1x8	22 24
No. 2 barn, 1x12	25 26
1x10	23
1x8	21
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 38
" " 2 inch	40
Dressing	26 32
Common	20

LATH.

Pine	$3 25
Spruce	$ $3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50 $4 75
Clear butts	3 50 3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 50
Hemlock	2 20
Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

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(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 0
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	60 00
2 in	62 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in	75 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00
No. 2, 1 in.	23 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00
1¼ x 10 and 12	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in	36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in	48 00
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	32 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
6, 8 and 10 in	25 00
No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
No. 3, 10 in.	21 00
No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
Box, 1 x 4	15 00
1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
1 x 13 in and up	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00 32 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00 37 00
2½ to 4 in.	40 00 42 00
Strips	19 00 21 00
Com. and culls	13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00 30 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00 35 00
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00 24 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00 25 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 22 00
Commonand culls	11 00 14 00
1st & 2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Common and culls	9 00 11 00

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—OF—
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UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM WM. HENDRIE, ESQ., of Hamilton, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Russell House, Ottawa, on WEDNESDAY, 17th DECEMBER, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable Timber Berths, under license from the Crown, subject to the regulations of the Crown Lands Department of the Province of Quebec, namely Upper Ottawa Limits, Nos. 591, 592, 593, 594, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603 and 604, containing in all about 272 square miles. The limits will be sold in one lot.

Terms and conditions to be made known on the day of sale.

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SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to 1st December, 1902, at 6 o'clock p.m.,for the purchase of the following timber lands, viz:—Lots Nos. 19, 2nd Con.; 18, 20, 24, 25 and 26, 3rd Con.; 10, 13, 24, 25 and 28, 4th Con.; 29, 5th Con.; 23, 24 and 26, 6th Con.; 24 and 25, 7th Con., and 23, 8th Con.; all East of the Bury Road, Township of Lindsay, County of Bruce, Ont. Total acreage about 1700. The lands are timbered with different kinds of Hardwood, Hemlock and large quantities of Cedar. The quantity has been estimated for all kinds at 3,500,000 feet. Easy access to Georgian Bay for shipment. Lands all patented except one Lot, which is paid in full.

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This company has a large tract of well timbered land about 125 miles north-east of Toronto. There are large quantities of Cedar, Hemlock, Spruce, Balsam, Basswood, Cherrybirch, Maple, also considerable Pine, Elm and Ash on this tract. It is well served by two railroads, one of which is about to be extended through the centre of the property. The Company are prepared to sell this timber in blocks ranging from 5,000 to 10,000 acres, or more if desired.

There are several good mill sites on the property. This would be a good opportunity for parties who are at present cut out and looking for a new location.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The volume of trade reported by dealers and manufacturers is quite up to the average at this season of the year. Local orders have not been so numerous of late, but this is no more than could be expected, as the building season is drawing to a close. Enquiries continue to be received in large number for stock for shipment to the Eastern States and Michigan. From present indications it seems safe to predict that more American buyers will be in the market next year than was the case during the past season. We are advised that Michigan dealers who previously handled no Canadian lumber are now visiting Georgian Bay points with a view to securing a portion of their supply from this source. No buying of consequence for next spring has as yet been reported, but some important deals are expected to be closed at an early date. It is estimated that of next season's production in Western Ontario 150,000,000 feet will be shipped to Michigan points. So far operations in the woods have been satisfactory, apart from the difficulty of securing labor. There will be taken out this winter a larger quantity of hemlock than usual, but a market for this will doubtless be found without difficulty, as both lumber and timber of that variety are becoming more in favor each year.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The only change in the spruce situation is a further stiffening of prices. New Brunswick spruce deals are selling from $13 to $14 a thousand delivered alongside the ship. This is between one and two dollars higher than last fall. Spruce clapboards continue exceptionally high on account of the scarcity of stock. When a buyer wants them he usually pays the price asked without argument. Laths are almost as high proportionately as clapboards. For some brands of "Extra" cedar shingles it is possible to obtain $3.60 for Boston delivery, but the prevailing price is about $3.55.

The scarcity of labor is curtailing operations in the woods. Another restricting influence is the price of stumpage, which has reached $4 on the St. John river. It is probable, however, that the log input this winter will be about as large as that of last season.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The mills supplying the Manitoba and North-West markets are still far behind

with orders. The buying, however, has slackened, and it would appear that dealers now have their stocks pretty well replenished for the winter trade. Operations in the woods will be very active in anticipation of a heavy demand for lumber next season. Prices of British Columbia lumber are likely to be advanced in the near future. A meeting of the association controlling the output for export in British Columbia and Washington was held recently in Seattle, at which it is understood a scale of prices above that now ruling was decided upon. The prices of logs continue to advance. No. 2 are now quoted at $5.50, merchantable at $8, and flooring logs at $10.

UNITED STATES.

The general conditions in respect to the lumber trade are satisfactory. If there is any disappointment it is in the fact that the expected impetus to the demand as a result of the settlement of the coal strike has not materialized. Business, however, is quite active. A report comes from Tonawanda that at no time this season has business been as brisk as that now prevailing. The demand upon wholesale dealers of pine has been of such volume that it is feared that the supply will not last through the winter. A rough estimate of the stock at Buffalo places it at 125,000,000 feet, which will be increased before the close of navigation. The manufacturing cities are consuming lumber in large quantities and the country demand is improving, although principally for barn and corn crib material. Inroads have been made upon the supply of No. 2 and No. 3 common strips and a scarcity may develop later on. No. 4 boards are showing more life and prices have firmed up materially. In the Chicago market short dry piece stuff is quoted at $16 delivered, and long at $18 to $18.50. Common inch ranges from $18.50 to $19.50. Hardwoods are being bought up liberally by manufacturers, who apparently fear that there will not be sufficient stock to carry them through until the new cut can be secured. Basswood is exceptionally strong, the demand far exceeding the supply, and soft elm is experiencing a better call than for some time. There is a run on 2-inch elm. The brisk demand for spruce continues and a premium is often paid for prompt shipment. The higher prices for hemlock are being maintained. Dealers state that they are unable to supply the demand and keep their stock within reasonable proportions. The base price at Buffalo is $15. Michigan hemlock is selling for the most part about $1 under Pennsylvania. A drop of five cents in the price of red cedar shingles is the only feature of note. The trade is steady, with few white pine shingles on the market.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The lumber trade of Great Britain is somewhat unsettled. The volume of business is moderate, but prices have not yielded. The chief uncertainty pertains to next year's business. There is a very general recognition of the fact that if the market next season should become depressed, importers contracting at the present asking prices would stand to lose heavily. For this reason reports from this side are watched with great interest. The course of trade for the first half of next year seems reasonably clear, but beyond that time few seem disposed to venture an opinion. The immediate condition of the market is very favorable. It is confidently expected that prices of spruce will further harden. At London 3 x 9 third quality spruce is practically unobtainable in the docks, although $10 per standard is offered for 12 to 13 foot lengths. The best quality of pine deals continue scarce and bring high prices, and values for the lower grade have recently shown some improvement.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

In the Chicago market No. 1 mixed lath brings about $3 by boat.

The steamer Sydenham has jnst sailed from Montreal for Newcastle with a cargo of deals.

Pittsburg prices are as follows: No. 1 white pine lath, $4 to $4.50; No. 2, $3.25 to $3.75; hemlock lath, $3.50; 16-inch hemlock shingles, $2.65; 18-inch, $3.05.

Thomas Wallace, of North Bay, Ont., has been given a contract to supply 175,000 ties for the construction of the Temiscaming and Northern Ontario Railway.

Rafting was completed October 30th at the Mitchell boom, Maugerville, N. B. About 75,000,000 superficial feet were rafted there,or a little over half of the up-river cut.

The Canada Wood Specialty Company, of Orillia, Ont., have received a contract to supply curtain poles, rings and other fixtures to the extent of $25,000 a year for the next five years.

It is understood that the Wolvin syndicate is making arrangements to enter into lumbering operations during the coming winter on the timber limits in the Lake Metapedia district recently acquired from King Bros., of Quebec.

Prices of slack cooperage stock at Buffalo rule as follows: First-class elm flour barrel staves, $7.75 to $8; mill run fruit barrel staves, $6 to $6.25; second class, $4.50 to $4.75; first class basswood heading, 5½ to 5¾ cents; mill run, 4¼ to 4½ cents; second class, 3½ to 3¾ cents; coiled elm hoops, $11 to $11.50 for 6 foot, $10.75 to $11 for 5½ foot.

Lumbering operations along the line of the New Brunswick Southern Railway will be quite active this winter. Haley Bros., of St. Stephen, are getting out timber for box-making purposes. J. A. Gregory will manufacture 1,500,000 feet at Lepreaux, and will also take out a large quantity of spool wood. T. A. Sullivan is also taking out spool wood. W. A. Quinton will take out over a million feet for his mill at Spruce Lake and J. E. Moore expects to secure 2,000,000 feet for his rotary mill near Lepreaux.

THE EXPORT LUMBER COMPANY IN DIFFICULTIES.

Within the past week it was announced that the affairs of the Export Lumber Company, of New York, had been placed in the hands of a receiver. The news was received with some surprise, as well as regret, in Canadian lumber circles, as the company has been a considerable factor in the shipment of Canadian lumber for some time past. The Supreme Court has appointed three temporary receivers, in the persons of W. A. Taft, vice-president of the company; E. J. Hathorne, expert accountant; and B. L. Fairchild. This was done on the application of a majority of the company's directors asking for a voluntary dissolution of the company. In this application they state that the assets of the company, although in excess of the liabilities, are in such complicated shape that they are not available for immediate use to meet liabilities. The liabilities of the company are stated to be $2,358,536 and the nominal assets $3,598,920. One item of the assets is $2,015,026, representing advances to other companies; another item $977,765, representing lumber, which it is understood had mostly been pledged as security for portions of the indebtedness. The company was associated with the Atlantic Coast Lumber Company, which has also become embarrassed.

The Export Lumber Company was incorporated in May, 1879, with an authorized capital of $150,000. In 1881 branches were established at North Tonawanda, N. Y., and Montreal. In 1882 the capital was increased to $500,000, in 1885 reduced to $250,000, and in February, 1886, again raised to $500,000. A branch was established at Ottawa. In 1894 the company became selling agent for several West Virginia concerns and was heavily interested in timber and lumber in Northern New York. The branch at North Tonawanda was discontinued a few years ago. The company did an extensive export business, particularly to South America and the West Indies.

The New York Lumber Trade Journal gives the following list of creditors: Bank of Montreal,$453,959,secured by lumber at Ottawa; Baring, Magoun & Co., $64,874, secured by lumber; Guaranty Trust Company, $22,151, secured by lumber; German Bank of London, $39,194, secured by lumber; James B. Ford, $91,821, secured by lumber; Meyer Rubber Company, $112,568, secured by stock of the Atlantic Coast Lumber Company and $75,000 on a note; First National Bank, $70,889, secured by stocks and bonds; Bank of America, $50,000; Chemical National Bank, $114,611; Importers and Traders' Bank, $65,000; National Park Bank, $64,867; Western National Bank,$60,000; Merchants' National Bank, $80,000; Seventh National Bank, $47,428; Corn Exchange Bank, $5,000; Merchants' and and Traders' Bank of Brooklyn, $10,000; Third National Bank of Philadelphia, $10,000; Industrial Trust Company of Providence, $25,110; State Bank of Tonawanda, $24,960; Manistique Bank of Manistique, Mich., $24,127; Albany Bank, $15,000; People's National Bank of Charleston, S. C., $27,886; Bank of Charleston, $11,391; First National Bank of Charleston, $26,786; Loan and Exchange Bank of Columbus, S. C., $26,143; Eastern Townships Bank of Sherbrooke, Que., $35,421; Massachusetts National Bank of Boston, $23,210; W. O. Gay & Co., Boston, $51,814; George O. Currier & Son, Boston, $19,343; Courtlandt, Babcock & Co., New York, $103,303; Meyer Rubber Company, $35,500; Atlantic Coast Lumber Company, $40,100; Georgian Bay Lumber Company, $13,682; Beaver Creek Lumber Company, $11,336; Marrett Lumber Company, Portland, $34,000; J. R. Booth, Ottawa, $23,524.

It is believed that the company will be safely piloted through the present difficulties. It is thought that for some time past the company has been making money, and that the trouble is that there was too little actual cash put into a plan originally contemplating a very heavy investment, but which actually required more money than was anticipated. It is probable that reorganization will be effected and the business continued without interruption.

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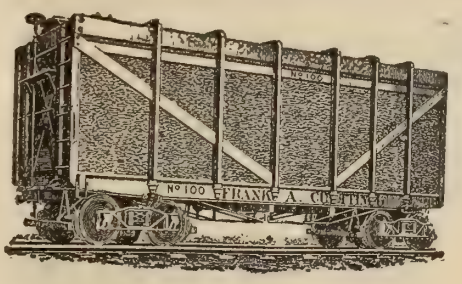

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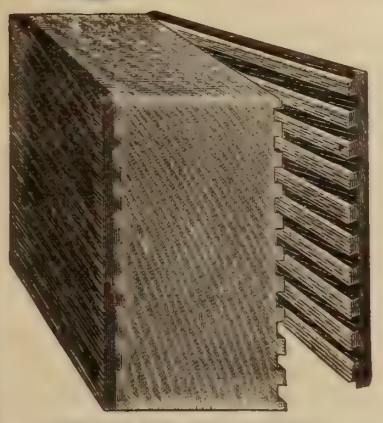

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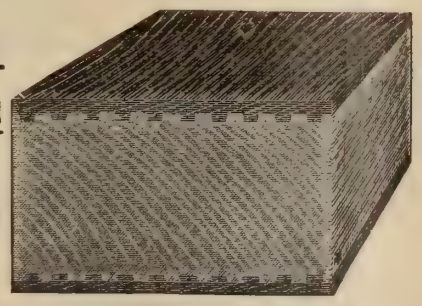

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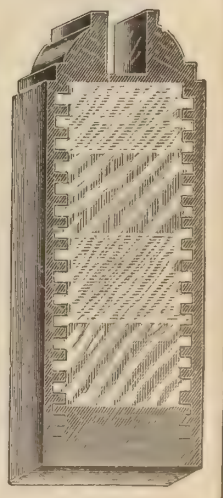

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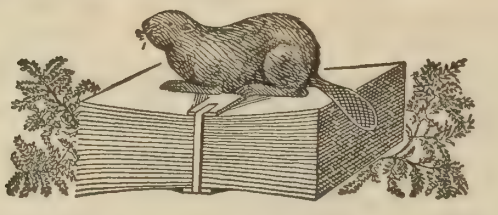

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10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	17 00

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

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No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
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1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	13
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12	20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22 24
No. 3	32	34	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25 26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 38
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers		21		

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Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 25

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2 in.	62 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in.	75 00	No. 3, 10 in.	21 00
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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

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			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

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1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

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Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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A meeting of the shareholders of Burton, Brine & Reed, timber merchants, London, England, has been called to consider the winding up of the company.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber movement in Ontario is not large, for the reason that shipping is practically tied up by the car famine. There is considerable stock waiting to be moved by rail, but the scarcity of cars has been a handicap to business. Some manufacturers have withdrawn their price lists and are refusing to accept orders until the prospects of being able to make shipment become more promising. The situation from the standpoint of demand is quite satisfactory. In the words of a prominent dealer, "business is good, and a fine winter trade seems assured." Mill men could sell more lumber if they had it, but it frequently happens that they are not able to supply the assortments wanted.

There is no shading of prices on hardwoods. The scarcity becomes more pronounced each week. Maple is less active and weaker than other woods. It is now seldom bought for furniture-making, which may account in part for its dullness. Basswood is as much sought after as ever.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The activity in the lumber and shingle business of Manitoba and British Columbia has moderated slightly, although manufacturers are still behind with orders. It is rumored that a further advance is about to be made in the price of British Columbia lumber for delivery throughout Manitoba and the Territories, and no doubt such an advance will be followed by similar action by the manufacturers of white pine. The mills of British Columbia have a great deal of lumber waiting shipment. It is estimated that the East Kootenay Lumber Company have orders on their books for 300 carloads, largely for shipment eastward. The supply of labor for logging operations is still inadequate and is greatly hampering the shingle production. The new list issued by the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association makes an advance of about 15 cents per thousand on all grades of shingles for Ontario delivery. XXX, 5 butts to 2 inches, are now quoted at $3.45; XX, $2.65; XXX, 6 butts to 2 inches, $3; XXXX, 6 butts to 23-16 inch, $3.20.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber trade of the United States is firm, although rather featureless. There continues to be a steady movement of white pine into the hands of the consumer and a corresponding disposition on the part of dealers to replenish their stocks as completely as possible. The receipts of lumber at Tonawanda during October

were larger than for any other month this year. Our Buffalo quotations this week show an advance of one dollar in 1¼ and 1½ inch cutting-up stock, $2 in No. 2 moulding strips, and $3 in 6, 8 and 10-inch barn boards. At Albany trade is quiet, stocks light, and prices firmly held, with a tendency to advance if anything. There has developed a shortage of box cull or No. 4 boards, the box manufacturers stating that they are unable to pick up this grade in northern markets. Piece stuff assortments are also badly broken, with a general scarcity of long stock of all kinds, 2x12 joist and 4 and 6-inch No. 1 fencing strips. Very few dealers have any quantity of 12-inch boards. At Cleveland stocks of good lumber, such as fine common, selects and uppers,are scarcer than at any other time this year.

Our remarks last week regarding hardwoods pretty well cover prevailing conditions. Dealers report that stocks are running low whether in the hands of producers, dealers, or consumers. It has seemed difficult to advance hardwood prices on account of the scattered supply and the competition from the small mill. This is particularly the case in respect to maple, basswood and elm.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The position of the lumber market of Great Britain is not altogether satisfactory in respect to consumption, which has recently shown a decline. The business generally is in a sound condition and not likely to be affected by a temporary decrease in consumption. An active demand continues for the better qualities of pine deals and sidings, and prices have an upward tendency. A basis as high as that now ruling is likely to continue throughout the winter months. The shortage in the supply of pine and spruce from this side has become universally recognized and accounts for the strong tone now prevailing. One report regarding the spruce market received from London says: "If spruce were to experience a really bad year at home, and large quantities were pressed upon the European market at cheap and falling prices, it would have the effect of discouraging buyers to deal liberally with the Baltic timber; but at the present time there are no signs of this. On the contrary, everything points to an expensive spruce year, probably more trying than the season just passed." For best quality spruce as much as £9 per standard c.i.f. is being asked, and at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, third quality Quebec spruce, 3x9, realized £9 10s, and Miramichi spruce, 3x7 and 8, £7 10s. A quantity of Quebec first-class rock elm brought from 80 shillings to 102 shillings per load of fifty cubic feet. Birch sold at 1s. 7d. per cubic foot for first-class stock.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

William Cook, of Vancouver, B. C., is this winter conducting lumbering operations on Hardwick Island.

Furstenburg Bros., of Saginaw, Mich., are taking over one million feet of white pine stock which they recently purchased at Sarnia, Ont.

White pine shingles in the Saginaw valley are worth $4 to $4.25 for XXX stock and $3.25 for clear butts. Cedar shingles range from $2.75 to $3.75.

Some weakness has recently been reported in Washington red cedar shingles, which are now quoted in the Chicago market at $3.08 for 5 butt to 2 inches, and $2.60 to $2.65 for 6 to 2. This is a decline of ten cents within a month.

The Fredericton Boom Company have completed rafting operations for the season, having handled 130,000,000 feet of logs on the St. John river and tributaries.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., has contracted to cut for future delivery 15,000,000 feet of white pine lumber, the greater portion of which will be next spring's sawing.

M. McNair, of Armstrong, B. C., has been given a contract to take out 3,000,000 feet of logs for the Columbia River Lumber Company's mill at Kault. The logs will be cut on the Salmon river.

White pine prices in Chicago are based on $16 for short dry piece stuff, and $18 to $18.50 for long; $18.50 to $19.50 for common inch; $11 to $12 for hemlock piece stuff, according to quality; $12.75 to $13 for inch hemlock; $2.80 to $2.85 for white cedar shingles, and $3 for No. 1 mixed lath.

Under date of October 25th,Clairmonte, Mann & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "There has been no arrival with lumber during the fortnight, but owing to the dull state of trade there is little demand. Last sales of white pine have been made at $20 to $21.30 per thousand as it runs, for two small lots. A small lot of spruce was sold at $19.21. Long Gaspe cedar shingles have been marketed at $4.89 to $5.04 per M. The "Bravo" has arrived from Paspebiac, Que., with the following: 640,000 laying cedar shingles, sold at $1.82; 78,000 long cedar shingles, sold at $4.89, 4,000 at $5.04; 128,000 dimension shingles, seld at $4.01 to $4.10 for 4-inch, $5.10 to $5.22 for 5-inch, $6.10 to $6.22 for 6-inch, $7.22 for 7-inch, and $8.22 for 8-inch.

THE GLA GOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, in their last market report, review Glasgow conditions as follows:

Business has been fairly active during the month,a considerable number of transactions having been made in pitch pine and spruce, while for Canadian timber and deals there has been a steady demand at very firm prices. There have been rather more wide first pine deals coming in recently, but the import is still considerably under the market's requirements, and prices are as firm as ever. A cargo of Californian redwood has been imported into Glasgow during the month, and is expected to meet with a ready sale in view of the high prices asked for first quality white pine. The result will be watched with interest, as hitherto redwood has not taken well in this market.

Of American hardwoods the import for October has been unusually meagre, and values are on the whole well maintained, the weak spots being walnut logs and lumber and plain oak boards.

WHITE OR YELLOW PINE.—With the exception of a small parcel per liner to Glasgow, there has been no import this month. There have been some fair sales of both first and second-class waney at full price. Stock is moderate, and prices are likely to harden.

RED PINE.—There have been a few retail sales during the month, but the enquiry is very quiet. Stock is low, but ample for all requirements.

OAK.—There has been no further import during the month, and business has been fairly satisfactory. One or two good lines have been placed and general enquiries have been numerous. Prices range from 3s to 3s 9d for first-class, and 2s 6d to 2s 9d for second-class, according to specification.

ELM.—There has been a fair demand during the month, and several sales are reported at full prices. The stock is heavy and ample for all prospective requirements.

BIRCH.—Quebec—The import of logs this month has been trifling, and of planks about 190 loads, some of which was sold "ex quay" and balance stored. There is still a considerable stock of planks on hand, but of logs there has been a moderate consumption, and prices are reported to be rather firmer. Lower Port.—There are no imports this past month, and of old stock there is still a fair quantity in store, which is moving off very slowly.

ASH.—There have been no arrivals during October from Montreal, but from the States 332 logs have come forward, which have been disposed of from the ships' side at prices ranging from 1s 8d to 2s per foot. In Quebec ash the amount of business done has been trifling, but one or two small sales of 12-inch wood are reported at about 1s 6d per foot.

DEALS, &c.—Business during the month has been of a satisfactory nature, and deliveries from store and ship's side are well maintained. Imports still continue moderate, and stocks,while accumulating, are low. Prices of all kinds are firm. Current values are as under: Broad first pine deals, £31 to £34 per standard; 11-inch, £26 to £27; ends and non-dimensions, £20 to £22. Second pine deals.—11-inch and up, £18 10s to £21; non-dimensions, £12 10s to £15. Third pine deals.—11 inch and up, £12 to £13; ends and non-dimensions, £8 10s to £10 10s. Fourth pine deals.—11 inch and up, £10 to £10 10s; narrows, £8 to £9. Red pine deals —9 and 11 inch, £10 to £12; narrows, £8 to £9. First pine siding and strips.—9 and 10 inch average, £21 to £23; 11 to 12 inch average, £24 to £26; 13 to 14 inch average, £27 to £28. Spruce deals —9 inch and up, £8 10s to £9 10s; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s to £8 10s. Lower port pine and spruce—9 inch and up, £8 5s to£9 5s; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s to £8 5s.

DOORS AND MILL WORK.

The tone of the demand for doors and mill work over the country has shown continued improvement of late and this has been fully as noticeable in the opening days of November as during any similar period for some time. In some sections demand for a month past has been inclined to be dormant, but this condition, says the American Lumberman, has been materially emaliorated during the past few days at many points. Distributers generally report a tremendous quantity of orders for small lots of stock and odd work, with a fair intermixture of carload lots, but with no indication of speculative buying. Judging from appearances one would infer that retail dealers are anticipating a s ump in prices and are holding off in their buying until they are able to secure bargains. If this is what they are waiting for, the opportunity has probably already passed, as prices are in much better shape this week than they have been, especially on carloads; notwithstanding which they are still too low for the average carload jobber to interest himself in them to any extent. Most wholesalers are satisfied with doing a big business in small lots and for this class of trade they are getting good prices, in which there is a fair margin of profit. They do not care to dispose of stock work in carloads on which they cannot make a handling bill.

The report from the door and millwork factories at Buffalo, N.Y., is that they are running to the limit of their capacities and the feeling in regard to prices is much improved. One mill owner says that he is getting a dollar more to the door than he did early in the season. There is an immense amount of home demand, so that all the building that can be crowded in this winter will be done.

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BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

The following prices were realized for Canadian lumber at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on October 29th :

Pine—Ex. Prome, from Montreal—13 ft 3 x 11 in. third quality, £12 15s per std.; 12 ft. 3 x 11, £12 15s; 6-13 ft. 3 x 11 in. fourth quality, £11 ; 9-13 ft. 3 x 9-10, £9 10s ; 6-13 ft. 3 x 9, £9 10s ; 6-13 ft. 3 x 7-8, £9 ; 6-13 ft. 3 x 7, £8 15s ; 6-13 ft. 3 x 5-6, £8 5s. Ex. Everingham, from Montreal—14-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. fourth quality, £10 5s. Ex. Strathaven, from Gander Bay, Que., 12-16 ft. 3 x 11-17 in. first quality, £20 5s ; 9-11 ft. 3 x 4-10, £19 5s. Ex. Huntcliff, from Quebec—11-13 ft. 3 x 10 in. third quality, £10 10s ; 10-13 ft. 3 x 9, £10 15s ; 9-13 ft. 3 x 7-8, £10 5s. Ex. Simonside, from Quebec 6-14 ft. 3 x 10-11 in. unassorted red, £9 5s; 7-17 ft. 3 x 7, £7 15s. Ex. Yola, from Quebec 11-13 ft. 3 x 12-20 in. first quality, £19 7s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Montreal—9 ft. 3 x 7-11 in. third quality, £10 5s ; 6-8 ft. 3 x 7-19, £9.

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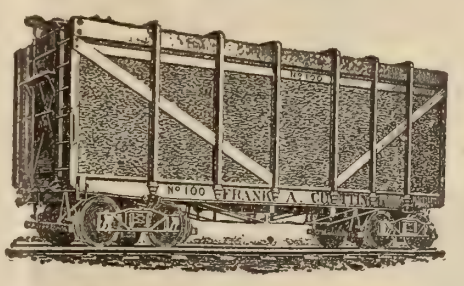

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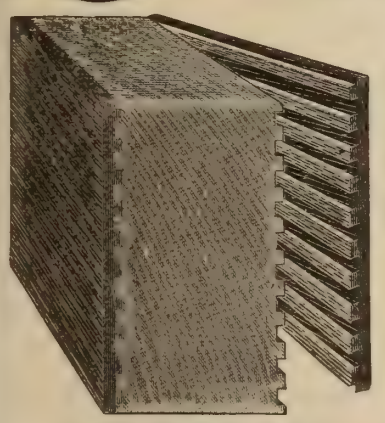

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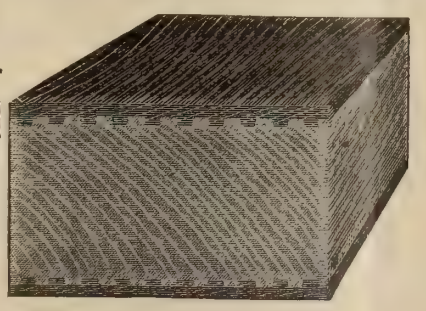

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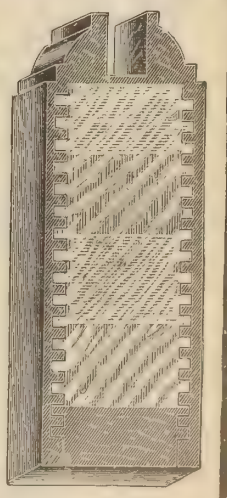

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	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu ft. 1901	Cu. ft. 1902
Waney white pine	1,504,625	1,446 889	1,830,120
White pine	570,818	585,432	384,440
Red pine	63,780	89,9 7	71,160
Oak	488,100	498,261	653,520
Elm	712,468	942,372	561,920
Ash	91,745	135,245	79,920
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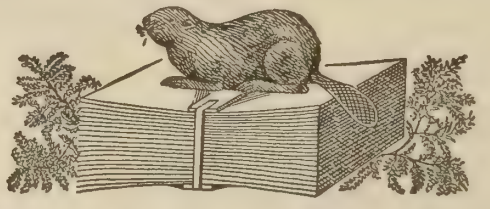

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The activity of the lumber business, as reported from week to week, is reflected by the statement of exports to the United States. During September, the last month for which complete returns have been compiled, the quantity of lumber exported from Canada to that country was 96,227,000 feet, perhaps the greatest amount that has been sent over in one month for some years. Nevertheless, this quantity would have been greatly increased had it been possible to obtain cars to move all the lumber awaiting shipment. In Ontario white pine prices, while unchanged, show unmistakable evidence of hardening. A Georgian Bay manufacturer reports the sale of all his 1½ inch No. 1 cuts and better at $48 at the mill. The possibility of the log production being curtailed by unfavorable weather conditions is having its effect upon future prices. Some United States concerns have buyers now in the market, and we may shortly expect to hear of sales of next season's production being made. Birch and basswood lead the hardwoods in point of strength. It seems to be the opinion of the trade that both these lumbers must go higher, as manufacturers are compelled to pay from $1 to $2 per thousand more for their logs, and it has been found almost impossible to get a sufficient number of men for work in the woods. Very little stock is being carried into the winter; in fact, buyers have almost given up looking for basswood. While the supply of hemlock is relatively larger, prices continue firm. There seems little prospect of lower prices this winter, and consumers in need of stock may profit by buying at present prices.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Within a short time it will be possible to give the figures of wintering stocks of lumber at Quebec, and it is believed that these will be shown to be smaller than last year. The low freight rates have enabled shippers to get their lumber across the water on very reasonable terms. Prices of spruce lumber are firm, the strongest item being clapboards, which have been in short supply for some time. Logging operations are now engaging much attention. So far there has been too much rain for successful work, and should snow fall before the swamps and ground are frozen it will make operations very difficult. A large operator on the St. John river states that on account of bad weather, high wages and the difficulty of obtaining men, the production of logs will be somewhat smaller than last year.

UNITED STATES.

The conditions of the lumber market are much the same as have prevailed for some time past. Each week has emphasized the scarcity of white pine stocks. Buffalo and Tonawanda have this season received a large quantity of lumber, but the demand has been so great that the supply in the hands of wholesale dealers is scarcely up to the average, and it is predicted that there will be a shortage before next spring. No. 1 cuts in 2-inch, 5-4 fine common and siding strips of good quality are scarce. At Tonawanda a slight advance has been made on some grades of fine common, selects and uppers, although the list as a whole is practically unchanged. Chicago is short of piece stuff and inch lumber. No. 3 boards are quoted there at from $14 to $15, and No. 4 boards at from $12 to $13. In point of strength hemlock stands out prominently. In the Eastern States stock is being shipped green from the saw in order to supply the demand. The shutting down of some of the water mills has caused a further hardening of spruce prices. Ten and 12-inch dimension is getting scarce and random spruce is a trifle stronger.

The reports received regarding the lath market are somewhat conflicting. In the Minneapolis district prices are said to be unsteady, and as the building season is about over lower prices are talked of. In the east, however, lath are very scarce and all offerings are quickly taken at current prices. Shingle prices are firm, the drop of five cents in the price of red cedars having been recovered, while white pine shingles have advanced about ten cents at Tonawanda.

GREAT BRITAIN.

For some time the exceptional strength of spruce lumber in the British market has been commented upon. While other classes of lumber have occasionally shown a tendency to weaken, spruce has remained firm. It was a surprise, therefore, when

about one week ago a slight weakness in spruce developed, at a time when the general market was strong. This weakness is confined to the narrow sizes, namely, 7 and 8 inch. The cause of the weakness seems to be the heavy stock of narnow sizes now in stock at Liverpool. As compared with one year ago the stock of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce deals is 7,000 standards larger, and of this increase the greater portion is 7 and 8 inch. It Is believed, however, that the consumption will take care of the available stock, as during the month of October 12,470 standards were consumed in Liverpool, as compared with 8,550 standards in same month of last year. At London the dock stocks make a very different showing, spruce deals and battens being less than twelve months ago and the only class of lumber that shows a decrease. For square and waney timber there is steady demand and stocks are in such shape as to ensure a firm market for some months to come. At Liverpool square and waney pine, red pine, elm, birch, and ash all show a considerable decrease as compared with same time last year. This is also the case at London, the exception being oak timber, the stock of which is larger. Much attention is being directed to the prices which are likely to prevail for next spring delivery, but as no transactions have taken place, any opinions advanced are merely conjecture.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Lovestaken is loading deals at Miramichi, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

No. 1 mixed lath are quoted in Chicago at $3 by water, with the demand fairly good.

Ritchie Bros., of Aylmer, Que., have recently sold 3,000,000 cull lath at $1.25 per thousand.

Pittsburg prices are as follows: 16-inch hemlock shingles, $2.65; 18-inch, $3.05; hemlock lath, $3.50.

The steamer Skuld sailed last week from Montreal for Hull with deals and grain, completing cargo at Three Rivers.

The Columbia Lumber Company which operates at Golden B. C., is planning to handle 5,000,000 feet of logs at that point this winter.

White pine shingles are scarce in the Saginaw valley and bring $4.25 for stocks. Clear butts are worth $1 less. Cedar shingles are selling at $2.25 to $2.90.

Ramsay township council is asking for tenders up to December 16th for supply of a large quantity of bridge timber. Particulars may be obtained from T. C. Foster, of Clayton.

The Imperial Veneer Company is in the market for 1,000,000 feet of hardwood logs delivered at any point between North Bay and Scotia Junction before the 1st of May, 1903.

Cockburn & Sons, of Sturgeon Falls, Ont., are reported to have recently sold 250,000 feet of common pine at $15 at the mill. The balance of their season's cut was sold last spring.

The barque W. W. McLaughlan is loading lumber at Bear River, N. S., for Buenos Ayres, Clarke Bros. being the shippers. The schr. Frank W. Pickles is loading at Annapolis, N. S., for the West Indies, the cargo being supplied by Pickles & Mills.

The United Lumber Company, of Halifax, N. S., shipped during the past season 12,000,000 feet of lumber to European and South American markets. They are preparing to take out 20,000,000 feet of logs this winter on the St. Marys, Gaspereau, and Jordan rivers.

J. & T. Charlton, of North Tonawanda, estimate that they will be able to manufacture about 175,000,000 feet of lumber from the tract of pine timber on the Spanish river recently purchased from Booth & Shannon, of Pembroke, Ont. The tract is traversed by logging streams in such a manner that the average haul will not exceed one mile.

Logging operations in the Dauphin district of Manitoba this winter are quite active. Camps are being established in the Riding Mountains by Ritchie Bros., Shaw Bros., and James Shoud, and in the Duck Mountains by Briggs Bros. The Northern Lumber Company, Hanbury Lumber Company, Swan River Lumber Company, Peter McArthur and Makenzie & Mann will operate their limits on Lake Winnipegosis.

The Sutherland-Innes Company, of Chatham, Ont., refer to the cooperage stock market as follows: "The manufacturers appear to be getting all the orders they want for stock, and the coopers getting all the stock they need. There is a little shortage in No. 1 stock, on account of the mills not being able to joint stock up fast enough, the weather having been very much against jointing stock. The demand for apple-barrel stock still continues, but not very lively. Prices remain practically the same as last month, with the exception of No. 1 staves, which are advancing a little on account of the scarcity already referred to. All the manufacturers want now is good drying weather, when they will be able to take care of their orders to good advantage. No. 2 staves still continue low in price, but the surplus is getting pretty well cleaned up, so that we look for a good price for No. 2 staves in the spring."

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

At the court house here yesterday the British Columbia limits of the Maclaren Ross Lumber Company were sold as a sequal to the dissolution of partnership. Keen interest was shown in the sale, which was attended by both Canadian and American operators. The limits are 56942 acres in extent with a well equipped saw mill, and sold for $169,500. The property was sold in three separate parcels, two of which were bought in by Mr. J. C. Browne, lumber brocker, of Ottawa, and the third by Mr. H. J. Jenkins, head of the H. J. Jenkins Lumber Company, of Minneapolis.

The first parcel consisted of about 23,600 acres of timber land situated in the Seyward district, Vancouver Island. It was sold to Mr. Browne for $113,000, to which figure it advanced in the bidding from $50,000. The limit is accessible, compact and well wooded, and is considered a good bargain at the price paid.

The second parcel, also bought by Mr. Browne, contained in all 32,942 acres and sold for $24,000. The property is in the following lots: 9,280 acres in New Westminster district; 6,720 acres in the Chilliwack district, another of 15,900 in the same, and a third of 1,042 acres also in this district. These cover scattered territory and are not as well wooded as was the land in the first parcel, hence the difference in price.

The third parcel, the one secured by Mr. Jenkins, is not wooded. It contains about 400 acres situated on the Fraser river about three miles from New Westminster. On it stands a well equipped saw mill and accessory buildings.

It is understood that the American firm will take possession of the mill forthwith. Mr. Browne, however, will not operate his newly purchased limits just at present. He refused to express any intention, and said that he alone was interested in the deal.

Reports from the limits in the Ottawa district show that operations which are well under way were interfered with by the constant rains of October. On limits remote from the railways, the foremen are having trouble with deserters. Few days passed during the past month in which one or more men did not take French leave. To fill orders, local agents were forced this year to engage practically all the men and many youths who offered themselves for employment. The roaving class of spasmodic workers were well represented on the limits, with the work of which many were wholly unacquainted. It is this class that is giving trouble, the members taking advantage of the open season to get out from the remote limits before winter sets in and shuts them out from civilization for six months or more.

The swamps and lowlands are all full of water and the lumbermen are hoping for early frosts so that good "bottom" can be procured before deep snow comes, otherwise it will be difficult to transport logs.

Davidson & Thackray, of Ottawa, have secured a $15,000 order from South Africa where the firm recently sent a representative. The order called for sashes, doors etc.

There is no relief in the car famine and the shippers are sending out stock by barge. Several are loaded daily at the mills along the Ottawa river. Local dealers report a falling off in orders from American points. The inability to move stock has put a damper on business.

G.L. Burtis, the lumberman of Munising, Mich., is erecting a large mill at Thessalon, on the Georgian Bay. The mill will have an output of 25,000,000 feet. The car shortage has not been felt at Thessalon, as the shipments are mostly all made by water.

McLachlin Bros., large mill at Arnprior has closed for the season. Gillies Bros, mill at Braeside is still running. None of the Ottawa mills have closed down.

OTTAWA, November 13th, 1902.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Lumber prices in nearly all grades have risen during the past week. Rough lumber now retails in Vancouver at $13.00 per thousand. The railway list has advanced, and it is probable that prices will be raised on nearly all grades shipped east to Manitoba, Ontario and all eastern points within the next few days. The principal cause of the advance is the rise in the price of logs. The demand has been active during the past summer, with the result that but few logs are in the water, and it is anticipated that there will be a scarcity owing to the camps not being able to run to their capacity during the wet weather of the winter months. Contracts are being let by the mills to jobbers at from $6 to $7 at the camp. Wages continue high and men are scarce, at wages ranging from $3 to $5 per day.

The shingle market remains good, and prices are firm with a tendency to advance. Some of the mills are refusing orders for next summer shipment, as prices of lumber, logs and shingle bolts will doubtless advance before spring.

Shipments to the Orient are active and prices remain firm. It is expected that new markets will open shortly in South Africa for Canadian producers. Not much lumber has been shipped there as yet, as the Australian. Japan and other countries have kept foreign shippers busy during the year.

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EXPORTS OF LUMBER.

Statistics compiled by the Treasury Department of the United States show that during the month of September of this year there were imported from Canada 96,227,000 feet of lumber, valued at $1,433,501. In September of last year the imports of lumber were 69,893,000 feet, valued at $943,667. The gain for this year is thus 24,334,000 feet. This gain is equally as marked when the first nine months are taken into consideration. During the first nine months of 1900 imports from Canada were 374,804,000 feet; during the first nine months of 1901, 388,533,000 feet; during the first nine months of this year, 518,180,000 feet.

For the fiscal years ending June 30th, for eleven years the imports were as follows:

Year.	Quantity, feet.
1892	663,226,000
1893	742,351,000
1894	514,461,000
1895	600,700,000
1896	786,001,000
1897	883,770,000
1898	353,134,000
1899	423,720,000
1900	680,069,000
1901	490,570,000
1902	664,751,000

The value of the lumber imported is higher than for any previous year. The value reported to the customs houses on which duty is paid is the buying price in Canada. The figures for the different years are as follows: 1892, $11.37 per thousand feet; 1893, $11.06; 1894, $11.92; 1895, $11.41; 1896, $10.82; 1897, $10.26; 18.98, $9.91; 1899, $9.88; 1900, $10.27; 1901, $12.93; 1902, $13.88.

For the month of September the value is given as $14.90 per thousand feet. This is an advance of $5 per thousand feet from the low price reached in 1899. It should be remembered also that much of the best lumber of Canada is shipped to Great Britain.

LONDON STOCKS.

Churchill & Sim give the stock of timber, deals, etc., in the public docks at London on October 31st as follows:

Foreign deals	2,570,000	pieces
Battens	4,640,000	"
Boards	15,047,000	"
Wainscot logs	623	"
Oak timber	2,926	loads
Fir timber	3,355	"
Colonial pine deals and battens	1,278,000	pieces
Spruce ditto	1,408,000	"
Oak timber	1,440	loads
Birch timber and planks	4,838	"
Elm and ash timber	1,770	"
White pine	585	"
Red pine	399	"
United States pitch pine timber	19,494	loads
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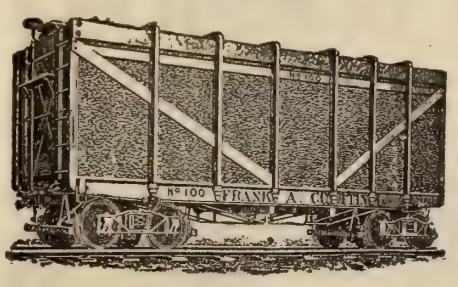

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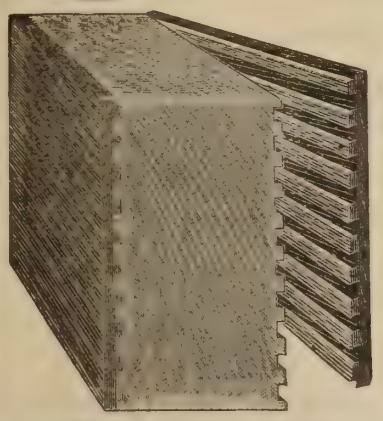

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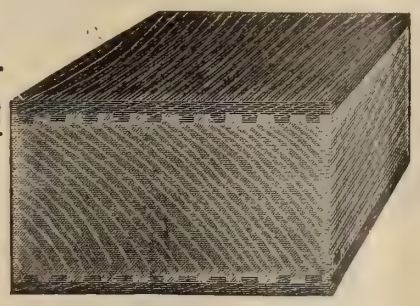

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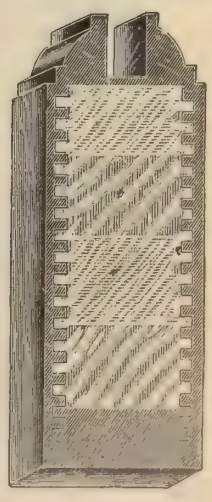

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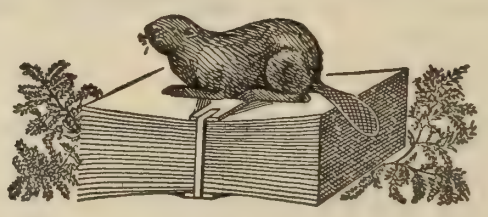

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1¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$36 00	$42 00
½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1 c10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	19 00	20 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding mill run	18 00	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		16 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		13 00
½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in		3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 65

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds		$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in		22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in		23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2		17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.		18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2		20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in		21 00	24 00
" 1½ to 2		23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼		16 00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½		23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3		25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2		24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	3	24 00 26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½"	2	32 00 35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½	19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2	34 00	33 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$36 00	38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	22 00	26 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	24 00	28 00
2 in.	27 00	32 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m.	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	20 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	15 00	16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	9 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	3 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 15	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 6	1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25	2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in average & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order,	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide		$75 00	
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.		75 00	
2½ and 3 in.		80 00	
4 in.		80 00	
Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide		$70 00	
1¼, 1½ and in.		70 00	
2½ and 3 in.		75 00	
4 in.		75 00	

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide		55 00	
1¼ and 1½ in.		58 00	
2 in.		60 00	
2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide		70 00	
4 in.		70 00	

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide		38 00	
1¼ and 1½ cutting		51 00	
2 in.		52 00	
2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide		60 00	
4 in.		60 00	

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		50 00	
1¼ x 6 in. wide		52 00	
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		48 00	
6 in. wide		50 00	

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide		45 00	
1¼ in., 6 in. wide		50 00	
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide		47 00	
in., 6 in. wide		50 00	

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		30 00	
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		26 00	

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.		30 00	
10 in.		25 00	
9 in.		23 00	
8 and 7 in.		24 00	
No. 2, 12 in.		25 00	
10 in.		22 00	
No. 2, 9 in.		20 00	
8 and 7 in.		22 00	
No. 3, 12 in.		21 00	
10 in.		19 50	
9 in.		19 00	
8 in.		19 00	
1x6		19 00	
1x4		17 00	

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide		$15 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		16 00	
1 in., 7 in. wide and up		17 00	
1 in., 13 in. and up wide		$18 00	
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide		19 00	

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide		33 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		33 00	
1 in., 10 in. and up wide		34 00	
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide		35 00	

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX		4 00	
Clear Butts		3 00	
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.		3 75	
Clear Butts		2 75	

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine		3 50	
No. 2. White Pine		3 10	
Hemlock		2 70	

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	80	82	1x12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common		20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22	24
No. 3	32	34	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25	26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8		21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	38
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch		40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers		21			

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$ $3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75	00	
2½ and 3 in.	80	00	
4 in.	85	00	
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68	0	
2½ and 3 in.	75	00	
4 in.	80	00	
Fine common, 1 in.	55	00	
1¼ and 2½ in.	60	00	
2 in.	62	00	
3 in.	70	00	
4 in.	75	00	
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42	00	
1¼ and 1½ in.	50	00	
No. 2, 1 in.	24	00	
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42	00	
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00	
Dressing 1¼ in.	34	00	
1¼x10 and 12			40 00
1½ in.			34 00
2 in			36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.			38 50
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in			48 00
No. 2 Mou ding Strips, 1 to 2 in			34 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.			30 00
6, 8 and 10 in			26 00
No. 2, 10 in.			24 00
No. 2, 12 in.			26 00
No. 3, 10 in.			20 00
No. 3, 12 in.			23 00
Box, 1 x 4			15 00
1 x 6 to 12 in.			17 00 17 50
1 x 13 in and up			20 00
1¼ and 1½ in.			19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.			14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 0
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	13 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	1	20
Common and culls	0	14 00	Common and culls		12

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ONE AND A HALF MILLION FEET OF one, two and three inch White Pine Lumber, Mill Run, from good large Logs. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier, Ont., Canada.

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WE HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 FEET DRY PINE in 1, 2 and 3 inch common and better, prefer selling in bulk. Will quote freight rate to Buffalo, Chicago or Toronto on application. Correspondence solicited. N.B.—Would like to correspond with consumers of hardwoods. ST. JOE ISLAND LUMBER CO., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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SMALL CARGO CEDAR POSTS ½-4½ TO 6 inches, balance 6 inches and up, No. 1 strictly. The same to be delivered at Olcott, Niagara Co., N.Y., this month if possible. Also wanted 150,000 feet white basswoods, 1 and 1¼ inch delivered next spring. NEWFANE BASKET MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Newfane, N. Y.

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UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM WM. HENDRIE, ESQ., of Hamilton, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Russell House, Ottawa, on WEDNESDAY, 17th DECEMBER, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable Timber Berths, under license from the Crown, subject to the regulations of the Crown Lands Department of the Province of Quebec, namely. Upper Ottawa Limits, Nos. 591, 592, 593, 594, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603 and 604, containing in all about 272 square miles. The limits will be sold in one lot.

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WANTED—ONE INCH SPRUCE SUITABLE for manufacturing boxes. Can use 20,000 feet daily. Also pine deal ends. AUGER & SON, Quebec.

WE HAVE ABOUT ONE MILLION FEET choice hemlock which can be cut in any size or length. Can make rail shipment to North Toronto. SIMEON LEMON, Kettleby, Ont.

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SMALL BASSWOOD LOGS 8 TO 15 INCHES in diameter, 11 feet long. Can take unlimited quantities. Will give price per piece f. o. b. Write first instance, BOX 101, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED

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FOR SALE

TIMBER LIMIT, 8½ SQUARE MILES, LICENSE No. 204, season 1902-03, in the Township of Calvin, District of Nipissing, Province of Ontario, and Water Power Saw Mill on said limit, situated on the Amable Du Fond River and on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, 13¼ miles east of Eau Claire. Apply to JOHN MACKAY, Renfrew, Ont.

WANTED

750 Boom Chains, ⅝ and ¾, 10 to 12 feet long.

N. N. WRIGHT & CO.,
CUTLER. ONT.

IMPORTANT SALE

A FARM, 9 x 40 ARPENTS, WITH AGRIcultural implements complete; flour mill, modern door and sash factory, saw mill complete, shingle mill, planers; all these mills are operated by water power, and are situated on the river bank; booms; 16 miles of timber limits, of which 10 miles are well wooded with cedar and spruce; dams; camp with sleighs; horses, vehicles, saws, chains, cooking utensils, also private residence. For particulars apply to JOSEPH ROY, Riviere Blanche, Matane Co., Que.

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500,000 FEET DRY 1½ INCH LOG RUN SOFT Elm, mill culls out, delivered at Erie, Pennsylvania. Address C. G. & H. H. McLAUGHLIN, Columbus, Ohio.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Owing to the car shortage, lumber salesmen have been taken off the road, as manufacturers and dealers consider it unwise to increase their obligations until they are able to discern when the stock now ready for shipment will be moved. The car famine has in large measure paralyzed the fall trade and caused great inconvenience to consumers in need of stock. Many retail dealers bought sparingly earlier in the year in the hope that prices might weaken. They are consequently in need of the stock that has been ordered. Under such conditions it is difficult to estimate the current lumber demand. The open weather has permitted out-door operations to be carried on without interruption and consumption of lumber locally is exceptionally large. Every factory for which lumber furnishes the raw material is operating to its maximum capacity, with orders booked far in advance.

The stocks held by manufacturers are lighter than for many years. The upper grades have practically passed out of first hands, and before the mills commence operations next spring the quantity of lower grades will be reduced to a very low point. Dimension of all kinds is in good demand, also lath and shingles, which are getting stronger almost every week.

Operations in the woods have thus far been expensive. The ground is soft and the swamps full of water and not frozen hard enough for teaming purposes. These conditions have greatly deterred successful work and increased the cost of logs, which in turn will be reflected in lumber prices.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association have put into effect a new price list covering all points on the Canadian Pacific Railway and branches between Moose Jaw and Winnipeg. By this list many grades of fir and cedar lumber are advanced, the important increases being as follows: No. 1 clear red cedar finish, 1x8 to 12 inch, $5; 1x14 to 18 inch, $10; 1x20 to 24 inch, $16; clear squares, 3x6 inch, $5; 7 to 10 inch, $10; No. 1 clear siding, 1x6 inch, $4.50; ½x6 inch, $2; No, 1 clear ceiling, 1x6 inch, $4.50; fir finish, $1 advance on all sizes; ship-lap, $1; fir flooring, $2 on 1x4 or 6 inch edge grain and $1 on other kinds. On other items advances ranging from 50 cents to $1 have been made. It is believed that no difficulty will be met with in maintaining these prices, as the demand is unusually active. A shortage of logs as the result of unfavorable weather for operations in the woods is causing much anxiety, and some of the mills may be compelled to close down.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber demand throughout the United States is quieter, although no signs of weakness are displayed anywhere. Very little buying of next season's production has taken place, dealers evidently preferring to postpone the placing of contracts until after the turn of the year. Such sales as have been made indicate that there will be no break in the price of white pine. The steady appreciation in value of this class of timber is shown by the recent purchase of a large tract of standing timber in Minnesota at a stumpage value of $10.60 per thousand feet. Some items of pine lumber have advanced within the past week. The scarcity of 10 and 12-inch boards has tempted holders to advance their quotations, and in some cases the higher prices have been paid by buyers. Ameeting of wholesale dealers is shortly to be held in Cleveland, when it is thought that No. 2 shelving, No. 1 shop, A selects and uppers will be advanced. Buffalo reports a pronounced scarcity of 12-inch white pine box lumber, but the supply of other grades is fairly good and larger than at Tonawanda. Chicago prices are unchanged, $16 being the ruling quotation for cargo lots of short pine piece stuff, $18.75 to $19 for long timbers, and $19.50 to $30 for small timbers of good lengths. Hardwoods are showing pronounced strength. Prices have stiffened somewhat and advances are in prospect in the near future. Several dealers at Buffalo are asking $1 more for maple and claim to be unable to supply the demand for thick stock. Elm and basswood are also scarce. The tone of the hemlock market is stronger than for several weeks and the supply greatly broken. It is predicted that the base price at Tonawanda will reach $20 before next season.

GREAT BRITAIN.

A correspondent who usually takes a conservative view of trade prospects predicts that all things considered British

importers are now justified in looking upon the bright side of affairs. He believes that prevailing conditions indicate that present prices will be maintained for at least the first six months of next year, and advises buyers to contract at the prices now asked. The outlook for next year is hopeful, although, of course, circumstances may transpire in the meantime to change the present strong trend of the market. The import of sawn and planed timber by Great Britain for the first ten months of this year was nearly one million loads in excess of the import of last year. From Canada the import of hewn timber was 73,336 loads, as against 82,516 loads last year, a decrease of 9,180 loads. Of sawn lumber the import was 1,451,163 loads, as compared with 1,239,004, an increase of 112,159 loads. The effect of this increase in the quantity of Canadian sawn lumber is offset by the probability that next year a smaller quantity of Canadian lumber will be marketed in Great Britain. Spruce is firm and the weakness temporarily created at Liverpool by the abundaut stock of narrow sizes is passing away. No transactions for first-open-water delivery have as yet been reported, although one or two small contracts are believed to have been closed.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The receipts of lumber by vessel at Tonawanda this season are estimated at 410,000,000 feet.

Albert Smith & Sons, of Amherst, N.S., have purchased from Charles Bent the timber on a lot at Fort Lawrence for $1,700.

Mutchenbacker Bros., of Rosseau Falls, Ont., expect to turn over between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000 feet of logs this winter, mostly hemlock.

At Manistee, Mich., pine piece stuff is selling at $16; inch white pine at $18 to $20.50; hemlock, $10 for short, and $12 to $18 for longer stock.

In Chicago lath are held at $3 and $3.50 for No. 1 mixed and No. 1 white pine respectively. In New York the prevailing price for No. 1 is $3.50.

The Arthur Hill Company, which has operated on the Georgian Bay the last eight years, cutting something like 250,000,000 feet of timber, is winding up its lumbering operations near Midland, having had about 15,000,000 feet manufactured this season.

At the Crown Land Office, Fredericton, N. B., the following timber berths will be offered for sale on December 3rd: Two square miles on North river, west of Intercolonial Railway, Hazen Crossman, applicant; 5½ square miles on Little Meransey Brook, branch of north-west Oromocto River, John Sheehan, applicant.

Under date of November 11th, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce in the fortnight, but we learn that two cargoes of the former have been contracted for a $25.50 and $25.75 for shipping and $21 and $21.75 for seconds. In spruce the small lot mentioned in our last was sold at $19.22. As the season is approaching dealers show more willingness to operate, and first receipts should bring fair rates. We understand that a small cargo has been sold on C & F terms equal to about $22.50 landed, which we consider a very full price. Shingles have been sold at $4.89 to $5.01 or long, as to quality; $4.01, $5.22, $6.22 and $7.22 for 4.5, 6 and 7 inch respectively and $1.82 for cedar laying."

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

A new lumber railway connecting with the Parry Sound branch of the Canada Atlantic Railway was completed last week. It is 15 miles in length and runs from Whitney Station on the Canada Atlantic Railway to Lake Opeongo, connecting the St. Anthony Lumber Company's mill at the station and its limits bordering on the lake. The construction of this road entails a saving of about 50 miles in the transportation of logs and naturally makes a big reduction in the time consumed. With the completion of the road, work on which was started 15 months ago, the company will be enabled to operate its mill all the year round. Two log trains a day will be run, assuring a steady supply. The road cost $200,000 and involved considerable rock cutting and trestle building. Several of the trestles are 400 feet in length. There are few of these logging railways in Eastern Canada, although they are common in the States and Western Canada. Mr. J. R. Booth has one running from his limits in the Madawaska district. It connects with the Canada Atlantic at Madawaska. By this road Mr. Booth has established a record of 24 hours from the "stump to the saw," whereas by the water route the movement of logs usually consumes six months and in dry seasons often a year or more. The St. Anthony Company, it is expected, will do equally as well. The new road runs through Algonquin Park, Ontario's natural reserve.

Unprecedented activity in the lumbering operations in the Kippewa district are reported. Mr. H. B. Shepard, President of the Shepard and Morse Lumber Company, and Mr. Peter Whelen, Canadian manager, who have just returned from the company's limits in that district, bear the news. This is the first year in five that this firm has carried on operations in that field. It has four large camps at work making logs and another engaged getting out square and waney timber. Other firms working in the district, several after an absence of years, are the Hull Lumber Company, Robert Hurdman, the Rideau Lumber Company and Edward Moore, of Ottawa, and McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior. Some are getting out logs and others square and waney timber. Fully 2,000 men are engaged, a great increase over last year's numbers. The weather so far has told against the work. A month ago snow fell and ice formed and it was concluded that winter had "set". Rain has fallen almost continuously ever since, however, and the streams are at the high level natural to spring. The low lands are soggy and afford but poor footing for men and horses. Early frosts are hoped for, as they guarantee good "bottom". The output of logs and square timber will be large.

The mills in the Ottawa district have either closed or are preparing to close for the season. An odd shipment of lumber is being made by barge and a few carloads are being shipped by the Canada Atlantic and Canadian Pacific Railways.

The high insurance charges placed on the St. Lawrence route has driven the export lumber trade in a measure from Montreal and Quebec to Portland and Boston. As a consequence lumber which was formerly shipped from Ottawa to the Canadian sea ports by barge is now forwarded by rail to the American ports.

The return of the western harvesters to Ottawa has afforded some relief to the labor market. Many of these men are being engaged for work on the limits and as they have had experience in past seasons they are welcome. Wages have advanced; the latest monthly schedule, board included, running from $26 for road makers to $32 for log makers.

OTTAWA, Nov. 22nd, 1902.

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

At the present time the demand for N.B. cedar shingles is rather light. Stocks in manufacturers' hands are also light. The retail yards throughout New England are just fairly stocked. There are but few shingles going into consumption at the present time, and the demand will, as a result of this, be rather slow until the yards commence to buy in anticipation of their spring requirements.

Prices seem to be firm, and as there is no excess of stock in the two higher grades anywhere in manufacturers' hands, there is every likelihood that the shingle producers will get present prices for all they have, if their courage holds good, for the shipments of the next six or eight weeks ought to clean out the entire stock left over from this season's operations. It is quite likely that the winter-cut shingles (which are not as good as the summer-manufactured article) may be sold during January and February at something less than present going quotations. Every indication, however, would point toward an early spring market that will take all the shingles that can be found, at prices certainly as high, and probably somewhat higher than the present market figures. There is a small surplus of Second Clears and Extra Ones, and on these grades we are inclined to believe there may be some shading in prices.

Present quotations F. O. B. cars Boston rate of freight are: Extras, $3.50; Clears, $3.00; Second Clears, $2.40; Clear Whites, $2.30; Extra Ones, $1.75. These figures are easily obtained when anyone is found who wishes the shingles. Any cut in these prices on the part of manufacturers would only tend to alarm the retail trade, and less shingles would be sold than if the above quotations are rigidly adhered to.

Indications are that the production of winter-sawn shingles will not be any larger, if as large, than the output of last winter. Such being the case, it is an absolute certainty that all shingles now on hand, as well as those made during the winter, can be marketed at present prices, provided, as above stated, that manufacturers do not get anxious and endeavor to force the market, which at the present time would seem to be the height of folly.

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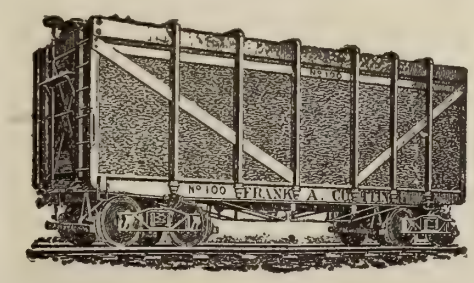

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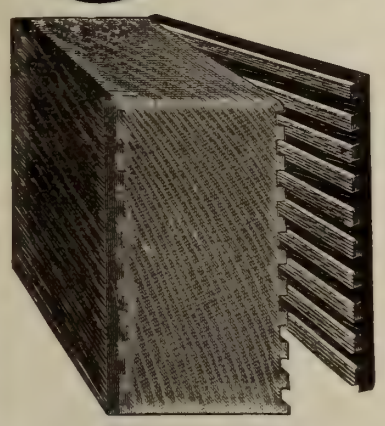

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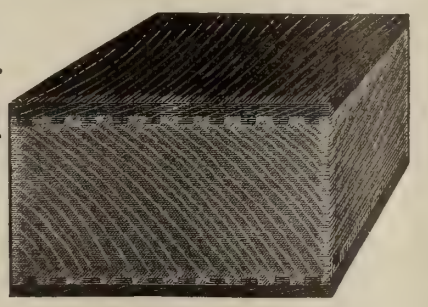

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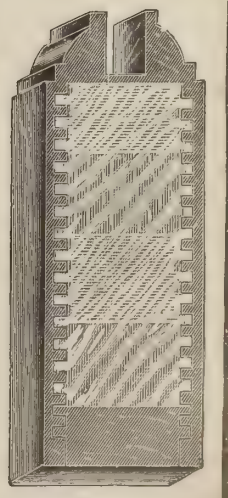

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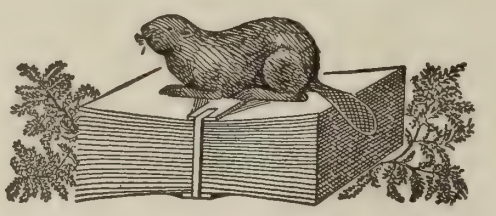

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1 in. x 8 in. and up.		$36 00 38 00	strips		16 00 20 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up		42 00 48 00	Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts		14 00 16 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.		48 00 52 00	Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock		17 00 20 00
Pine, good strips :			Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock		15 00 16 00
1 in.		30 00 32 00	Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings		15 00 17 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.		32 00 36 00	Pine s. c. strips		13 00 15 00
2 in.		34 00 38 00	Pine, s c. shorts		11 00 14 00
Pine, good shorts :			Pine, box boards		1 00 14 50
1 in.		22 00 26 00	Pine mill culls		9 00 14 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.		24 00 28 00	1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
2 in.		27 00 32 00	1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m		20 00 24 00			

1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M :		
No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles :		
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 15	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles :		
Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 6	1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25	2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	25 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 50
8 and 7 in.	24 00	9 in.	19 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	17 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$18 00
1 in., 6 in. wide.	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	19 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up.	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine		3 50	No. 2. White Pine 3 10
			Hemlock 2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	80	82	1x12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common		20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22	24
No. 3	32	34	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25	26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8		21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	38
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch		40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	32
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		20
1x10 inch shippers		21			

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼x10 and 12	40 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	1½ in.	34 00
4 in.	85 00	2 in	36 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in	34 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	60 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
2 in	62 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
4 in	75 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00 17 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1 x 13 in and up	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	19 00
		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda :

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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IMPORTANT SALE

A FARM, 9 x 40 ARPENTS, WITH AGRICULTURAL implements complete; flour mill, modern door and sash factory, saw mill complete, shingle mill, planers; all these mills are operated by water power, and are situated on the river bank; booms; 16 miles of timber limits, of which 10 miles are well wooded with cedar and spruce; dams; camp with sleighs; horses, vehicles, saws, chains, cooking utensils, also private residence. For particulars apply to JOSEPH ROY, Riviere Blanche, Matane Co. Que,

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Lumber prices appear to have settled down to a winter basis, and the fluctuations for the next two months are likely to be very slight. Navigation is about closed, mills are shut down, and manufacturers are now in a position to estimate the quantity of unsold stock. That it will be found exceptionally small is admitted on all sides. The upper grades of pine are about out of the market, and before spring they will be very eagerly sought for. A large manufacturer informs the writer that there would be no difficulty in advancing the price of No. 1 and 2 cuts and dressing, but that it is not considered advisable to do so, as it would probably encourage the use of substitutes for white pine and when the supply had become greater there might be found to be less demand. There is a good enquiry for box lumber, considerable shipments being made to the Eastern States. Hardwoods remain high and firm. A shortage in supply prevails generally, but especially in basswood, elm and ash. Dealers are refusing orders for basswood on account of the scarcity of stock. In Toronto shingles are remarkably firm, although the consumption is not large. British Columbia shingles are likely to be advanced. The active demand for logs is a splendid indication of the strength of the lumber market. Manufacturers evidently fear a mild winter with its consequent effect upon logging operations and are endeavoring to protect themselves against such a contingency by arranging as far as possible for a supply of logs in advance.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber is unusually scarce, but as the demand has slackened the prices generally remain unchanged. There has been a further slight appreciation in the price of clapboards, which are now selling on the basis of $42 to $42.50 for extras, Boston delivery. Shingles are steady although some of the smaller manufacturers are shading prices slightly.

The shipments from the St. Lawrence are practically completed for the season. It is believed that they have been lighter than last year, owing to the fact that the high insurance rates have caused shippers to export to a greater extent via the United States ports. Wintering stocks at Quebec are small.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In this issue will be found the price list adopted by British Columbia manufacturers on lumber for delivery at Manitoba points. Following this list comes the announcement, unofficially, that it is the intention of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association to advance the price of shingles ten cents per thousand, to take effect on April 1st next. This advance has become necessary on account of the increased price of logs and higher wages and insurance rates. The lumber demand throughout Manitoba and the Territories has slackened somewhat, but present indications point to a fair trade throughout the winter and an early and active spring demand. The recent fire at Norman by which 14,000,000 feet of white pine were destroyed has stiffened the price of that class of lumber.

UNITED STATES.

Receipts of white pine at distributing points have been quite large of late, and wholesale dealers will go into the winter with a larger supply than was anticipated one month ago. They continue to make heavy shipments to interior points, indicating that retailers do not regard their supply as more than ample to meet the requirements of their customers. Prices of pine have, if anything, strengthened during the week. No. 2 and No. 3 grades of shop common have been somewhat weak for some time past, but as the result of an investigation made by Minneapolis dealers the supply was found to be much smaller than estimated and accordingly prices have stiffened. In the Chicago market No. 4 and No. 5 boards are in excellent demand and within a month prices of No. 4 boards have advanced fully $1 per thousand. Factory lumber, especially in selects and better, is very firm. Numerous orders for door and mill work are reported from Chicago, where the wholesale trade is more than seasonably active. From Cleveland, Ohio, it is learned that hemlock and Norway piece stuff continues strong, this being particularly true of Norway in 2 x 12 of all lengths. The price of 18 foot lengths and under is $23, with steady buying at this price. Box manufacturers are making liberal purchases of No. 4 lumber.

The shortage in lumber stocks is forcibly illustrated by the supply at Alpena. The docks there will go into winter quarters with less than 2,000,000, feet as against 20,000,000 feet at the close of navigation last year.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Although the British lumber market is quiet, the undertone is strong. A statement has been issued by the Swedish Saw-Mill Owners' Association giving the basis of an agreement which has been reached for curtailing the log production this

winter. It appears that seventy-nine leading shippers in Norrland and Dalarne, representing an export of over one billion feet, have agreed to reduce the quantity of logs taken out by about 21 per cent. This has established a conviction that there will be no excessive supply next season and for this reason importers are more inclined to contract. Very little business has been done as yet in Canadian lumber, but prices are stiffening in all directions. It is reported that a London buyer recently offered £66 per standard for some first quality dry pine boards, landed on dock. Spruce prices are firmer, Recent sales reported include a quantity of second quality spruce deals, 3x9, at £9 15s per standard c.i.f. London, and some third quality at £9. For landed stocks agents are asking £10 10s for 3x9 seconds, £9 15s for thirds, and £8 15s for fourths.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Manufacturers in the Minneapolis district are paying $6 to $7 a thousand for cutting timber and driving it to the boom company's reach.

The Bell Telephone Company are calling for tenders for poles, to be delivered next spring, for the building of a line from Sault Ste Marie to Thessalon.

Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company will carry over in Ontario this winter over forty million feet of lumber and logs. They have not bought heavily for next season's stock.

A two square mile timber limit at Young's Cove, Grand Lake, N. B., was sold by the New Brunswick Government last week to the St. John Sulphite Pulp Company at $55 a mile.

Capt. Carter, of Maccan, and Albert Pugsley, of Athol, N.S., have purchased a block of timber land in Nova Scotia belonging to the estate of the late James Skidmore, of Canaan. The consideration was $4,600.

G. Strevel, of Winnipeg, Man., has secured the contract from the Canadian Northern Railway to take out 250,000 ties during the present winter. His camps will be located at Banning, about fifty miles from Fort Francis.

Shingle prices in the Saginaw Valley are said to be a little easier. Dealers are quoting $4.10 for XXXX white pine shingles and $3.10 for clear butts. Cedar shingles are worth $3.90 for 4 x 18 inch stocks and $2.90 for clear butts.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa is asking for tenders up to December 24th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 318, situate in the Province of British Columbia, to the east of Harrison Lake. The berth contains an area of 1080 acres.

The saw mill at Trout Lake, B.C., has passed into the hands of a syndicate represented by W. Cowan and D. L. Kinman, who are calling for tenders for the cutting of 1,500,000 feet of logs to be delivered at Trout Lake before the opening of spring. The timber limit secured by the syndicate contains 600,000,000 feet of fir, spruce, cedar and hemlock timber.

The demand for slack cooperage stock has subsided, as a result of which there has been a slight decline in prices. At Buffalo jobbers quote 6-foot patent hoops at $11 to $11.25 and 5½ foot at $10.50 to $10.75. Heading is without change, 5½ to 5¾ cents for first class and 3½ to 3¾ cents for second-class. Staves are firm and somewhat higher, the quotation being $7.75 to $8 for first class elm and $4.50 to $4.75 for second-class. An effort is being made to advance the price of flour barrels.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSFERS.

A.E. Alexander, of Campbellton, N. B., is announced to have disposed of his timber limits and mill property on the north shore to a syndicate, of which D. Richards, of Campbellton, is a member. This price is said to be $110,000.

A deal is reported to have been closed by which the timber limits and mill property of E.D. Davison & Sons, of Bridgewater, N.S., have passed into the hands of a New York syndicate. The limits comprise 210,000 acres and are claimed to be the most valuable timber property in Nova Scotia. The consideration is believed to be about one and one-quarter million dollars.

ADVANCE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER.

Following is the new price list put into effect by the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association for delivery at points on the C. P. R. and branches between Moose Jaw and Winnipeg :

FIR.

FINISH—S. 1 S. or S. 2 S., 1 and 2 clear stepping, 1¼, 1½ or 2 in. x 10 or 12 in. edge grain, $38 ; flat grain, $33 ; 1, 1¼, 1½ or 2 in. up to 12 in. wide, $32 ; from 14 in. to 20 in., $37. No. 1 and 2 clear, 2 x3, 2x4, 2x6 and 2x8 in., $30.50 ; 4x4 in., $33 ; 5x5 and 6x6 in., $35.50. No. 1 and 2 rabitted door and window jambs, $33. Above in lengths of 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 feet. Add $1 per M for each additional 2 in. over 20 in. in width. Edge grain finish same price as edge grain stepping, but only in widths up to 12 in.

CASING AND BASE.—No. 1 and 2 clear, 5 or 6 in. casing, moulded to pattern, $33.50 ; ¼ round or O. G., $31 ; 8, 10 or 12 in. base, moulded to pattern, $32 ; ¼ round or O. G., $30. In lengths of 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 feet. All casing and base ¾ inch in thickness. Special thicknesses $5 per M more. All mouldings according to B.C. moulding list, M 4,000. Edge grain casing, $2.50 per M extra. Edge grain casing, base, $5 per M extra.

SHIP LAP.—6, 8, 10 and 12 in., 10 to 16 ft. common, $21 ; 6 to 12 in., 10 to 16 ft. common boards, S. 1 S. (finished ¾ in.), $20 ; ⅜ in. common boards, $10 ; No. 4 and 5, 6 and 8 in. ship lap grade T and G. (flooring or siding), $22. When widths are specified, $1 per M extra.

FLOORING.—No. 1x4 or 6 in. edge grain, $33 ; flat grain, $29.50. No. 1 and 2, 1x 4 in. edge grain, $31 ; 1x6 in. edge grain, $29 ; 4 or 6 in. flat grain, $27 , 3, 4 or 6 in. edge and flat grain mixed, $26. Flooring 18 feet long, $1 per M extra. 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. flooring, $1 more than 1 in. per M. We do not keep a stock of No. 3, 1, 1¼, 1½ or 2 in., and therefore we can only fill in such quantities as may come out in running stock to make Nos. 1 and 2. Above in lengths 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 feet.

CEILING. — No. 1 and 2 1x4 or 6 in. beaded or "V" joint, $27 ; No. 3 1x4 or 6 in., $25. No. 1 and 2 ⅝x4 or 6 in. finished ½ in. thickness, $23 ; No. 3 ⅝x4 or 6 in., $20. Above in lengths 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 feet. Special patterns at same price in quantities of 2,000 feet or more. Ceiling worked two sides, $2 per M extra. Thickness less than 1 in. charged as 1 in.

WAINSCOTING.— No. 1 and 2 1x4 in, (only) beaded and "V" joint, 3 to 4 ft., $22.

SIDING.—No. 1 and 2 1x6 drop siding, $27 ; No. 3, $26 ; No. 1 and 2 ½x6 in. bevel, $19.50. 4 in. siding, $2 per M less. Above in lengths 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 ft.. Thickness less than 1 in. charged as 1 in.

DIMENSIONS.—S. 1 S. and E., 2x4, 2x6 in., up to 16 ft., $19.50 ; 2x8, 2x10, 3x4, 3x6 in., up to 16 ft , $20 ; 2x12, 4x4, 4x6, 6x6 in., up to 16 ft., $21.50. Dressed ⅜ in. scant each way. 2x4, 2x6 in., up to 24 ft., $20 ; 2x8, 2x10, 3x4, 3x6 in., up to 24 ft., $21 ; 2x12, 4x4, 4x6, 6x6 in. up to 12x12 in., up to 24 ft., $22 ; 2x14 in. to 3x 14 in. up to 14x14 in., up to 24 ft., $23 ; 2x16 in. to 3x16 in. up to 16x16 in., up to 24 ft., $24.50 ; 2x18 in. to 3x18 in. up to 18x18 in., up to 24 ft., $25 ; 2x20 in. to 3x 20 in. up to 20x20 in., up to 24 ft., $25.50. From 25 to 35 ft. add $1. Dressed ¼ in. scant of size in rough each way. Dressed ⅛ in. scant, $1 per M extra. In the rough, $1 per M extra. From 31 to 35 ft. add $1.50. Above in lengths 36 to 40 ft., add $2 per M ; 41 to 45 ft., $2.50 ; 46 to 50 ft., $3.25 ; 51 to 55 ft., $4.25 ; 56 to 60 ft., $5.50; 61 to 65 ft., $7 ; 66 to 70 ft., $9.

LATH.—⅜x1⅜x4 ft., bundled in 50's, $4.

RED CEDAR.

FINISH.—S. 1 S. or S. 2 S., No. 1 clear, 1x8 to 12 in., 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 ft. long, $45 ; 1x14 to 18 in., $55 ; 1x20 to 24 in., $68. 1¼ and 1½ in. more than 1 in., $1 per M ; 1¾x2 in., $2 ; 3 in., $3 ; ½x8 in. to 12 in. less than 1 in., $5 ; when widths are specified $2.50 per M extra ; when lengths are specified $2.50.

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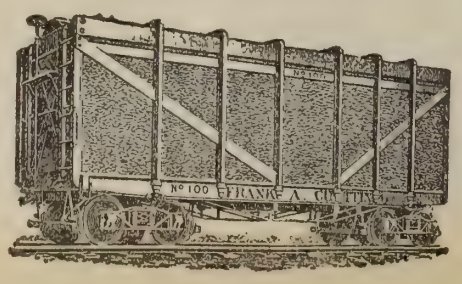

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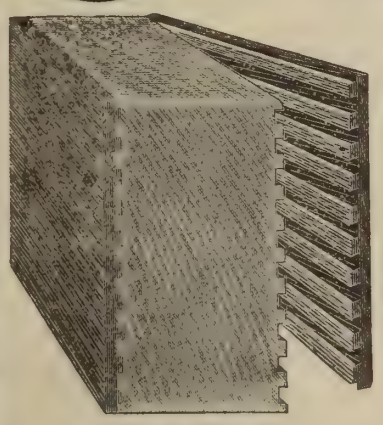

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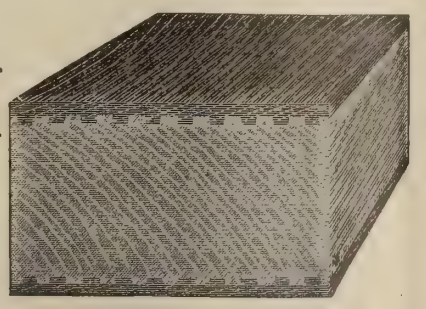

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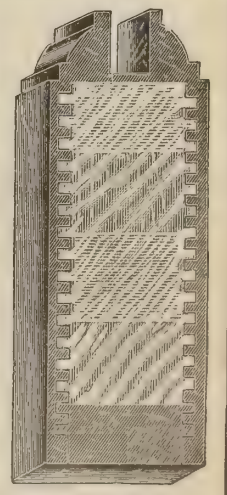

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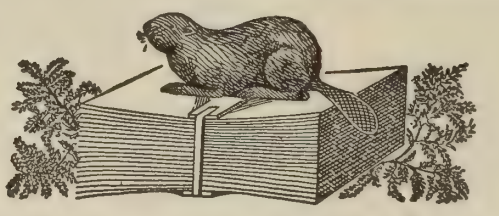

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1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up 18
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12 27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10 24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8 22 24
No. 3	32	34	No. 2 barn, 1x12 25 26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 21
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No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1x13 in and up	20 00
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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

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1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 00 11

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

With navigation closed and the mills shut down, the lumber business is settling down to a winter basis, although there is still considerable activity on account of the large quantity of lumber that must be shipped by rail to fill orders. The demand during the first week of December was unusually large, many inquiries for stock being received from the United States. While the general price list is unchanged, it is quite usual to hear of sales of special stocks at extraordinary prices. A statement has been given out showing that the cut of logs this winter on the Georgian Bay district is likely to be greater than last season. The statement might be regarded as sufficient to cause weakness in lumber prices, but it seems that the demand for Canadian white pine has become too well established to be so affected. There is, also, the uncertainty that weather and labor conditions may restrict the estimated cut. The prevailing weather, however, is about what is desired and operations in the woods are progressing satisfactorily. Operators who are taking out logs for sale report a large number of prospective buyers.

Toronto dealers are now doing a fair trade in both pine and hardwoods, but are compelled to refuse orders for certain classes of the latter on account of the scarcity of stock. Shingles are moving freely for this season of the year, white cedars being particularly active and in good demand for the Ameriean trade.

Tenders have just been taken for the annual supply of pine and hemlock lumber for the City of Toronto, and the result will probably be known this week.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The figures of lumber shipments from the port of Montreal for the past season have been published and show an increase of 13,000,000 feet over last year. In addition to the shipments from Montreal there were exported to Great Britain by way of Boston over 25,000,000 feet of Canadian pine and spruce. The total shipments are larger than was generally anticipated and must leave very light stocks on this side. Manufacturers in the Maritime Provinces are asking very high prices for their next season's production of spruce deals. It is said that offers of $13.50 per thousand feet delivered on wharf have been refused, the manufacturers holding out for $14. They contend that this figure does not represent more than a fair margin of profit, as the cost of logging and manufacturing promises to be excessively high. In view of the uncertainty as to the prices which will rule in Great Britain next year, buyers are not disposed to contract heavily at the prevailing market price. Very few operators in New Brunswick are taking out birch this winter owing to the difficulty of handling the stock at a profit.

UNITED STATES.

Our price list this week shows a few changes in quotations. At Albany No. 3 cuts have been marked down to $25 to $30, while 2-inch shaky clear stock has been advanced to $45. In the Bay City and Saginaw markets 10-inch No. 1 barn boards have been reduced $1 to $24, 7 and 8-inch to $23, 10-inch No. 3 to $19, 9-inch to $18.50, and 4-inch to $16.50. Inch box lumber, 13 inches and up wide, has been reduced to $17, and 1¼, 1½ and 2-inch, 7-inches and up wide, to $18. These reductions do not indicate a weak market, but rather a re-arrangement of prices to conform with the winter stock held at the particular points. From Buffalo, for instance, comes the report that box lumber is so scarce that it must soon be advanced and that such action is likely to be followed by higher prices for barn boards and such grades. The movement of lumber throughout the Eastern States is entirely satisfactory. Export trade has been quite active and sales to retail dealers have been in excess of that of several previous weeks. Buying by wholesale dealers is pretty well at a standstill. In some quarters the opinion is advanced that prices of pine may shrink a little during the holiday season and that there will then be opportunities for picking up stock to advantage. Soon after the turn of the

year, however, there will doubtless be active buying for next season's trade. The condition of the hardwood market is reported to be greatly in favor of the seller. If the dealer has the lumber he can get almost any price he may ask. Dealers at Buffalo and Tonawanda are very short of basswood and thick maple.

Lath prices are firmer. At Albany both pine and spruce lath are quoted 15 cents higher at $3.40. Shingle prices are firm and expect to remain so throughout the winter.

GREAT BRITAIN.

While the British timber market is firm, it cannot be said that importers are showing much disposition to contract for next season's supply. In some quarters the prediction is made that there will be a further advance in the price of Canadian lumber; other members of the trade are equally certain that lower prices will be witnessed. The stock at the leading ports is sufficient for the requirements of the winter, and if the consumption should decline there would probably be some pressure to sell before the opening of navigation next year. Importers regard the prices asked by some shippers as excessive. This may result in postponing the placing of contracts until later than usual in order to determine to what extent present asking prices shall form the basis for first-open-water transact ons. Spruce and pine in the better grades are decidedly firm, while the poorer qualities are scarcely steady. Two sales of St. John spruce, to go forward by the "Head" line of steamers to Dublin, Ireland, have been made at £8 10s c.i.f., including one-third 7-inch. Square and waney pine timber is firm. The stock of square pine at West Hartlepool is low.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

In the New York market spruce lath is extremely scarce and is quoted at $3.50.

John McIver, of Cape Croker, Ont., purposes taking out 100,000 feet of maple logs this winter.

Montgomery Bros., of Buffalo, report a winter stock of about 15,000,000 feet, of which 1,000,000 feet is hardwood.

The Rathbun Company, of Deseronto, Ont., have five shanties operating on the line of the Central Ontario Railway.

Haines & Company, of Buffalo, have a cargo of pine en route from Little Current, Ont., to their yards. The freight rate on this cargo was $2.25.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., are this winter operating five camps on the Onaping river and one on the Vermillion river.

A.R. Mann is taking out 500,000 ties at Blais Pass, east of Fort Frances, Ont., for the Canadian Northern Railway. George Strevel, of Winnipeg, has a camp near Atikokan and will take out 300,000 ties.

D.E. Sprague, of Winnipeg, is this winter operating in the Lake of the Woods district. He will take out about 7,000,000 feet of logs, which will be transported to Winnipeg over the Canadian Northern Railway.

At a recent auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, a quantity of birch from Miramichi, N. B., sold at 8½d per cubic foot. Ten pieces of rock elm timber, 39-46 feet in length and 10½x12 inches in diameter, from Quebec, brought 95 shillings per load of 50 cubic feet.

From May 13th to September 14th of this year the Charlton Saw Mill Company, of Collingwood, Ont., manufactured 22,000,000 feet of lumber, 10,000,000 lath, 400,000 feet of tub bottoms, 50,000 feet of pail bottoms, and 150,000 setts of barrel heads.

Fire on November 29th in the yard of Smith, Fassett & Company, North Tonawanda, N. Y., destroyed nearly 300,000 feet of the better grades of white pine. The loss is estimated at $14,000 and is fully covered by insurance.

About nine million feet of logs will be taken out this winter in the vicinty of St. Martin's, N.B. The largest operators are: The O'Neill Lumber Company, 3,500,000 feet; Fulmer & Co., 3,000,000 feet; J. P. Mosher & Co. and J. McDonogh, about 1,000,000 feet each.

The Great Northern Lumber Company, Limited, who own saw mills at Conception and Mount Tremblant, Que., intend cutting about 4,500,000 feet of lumber at their Mount Tremblant mill during the coming season. The managing director of this company is Solomon Cole.

The Nepigon Railway Company are prepared to let contracts for supply of 30,000 cedar and tamarac railway ties, half of which is to be delivered before the 1st of March, 1903, also for 1,000 feet of logs, pine, spruce, tamarac and cedar, delivered east end of Lake Jessie by May 15th. Particulars may be obtained from A. McComber, Port Arthur, Ont.

During the past season F. E. Neale, of Chatham, N.B., representing Frank Harrison & Company, of Liverpool, England, made the following shipments of lumber: From Miramichi, 41,190,385 superficial feet; from Campbellton, 14,955,127 feet; from Jacquet River, 1,214,812 feet; making a total of 57,360,324 feet, or 28,970 St. Petersburg standards. Mr. Neale's total shipments from Miramichi for the last four years have been 125,000,000 feet.

The British Columbia shingle manufacturers have officially announced an advance of 10 cents in the price of shingles, to take effect April 1st. The demand for shingles is so great that in spite of new mills having gone up the supply is insufficient for the market. Thus the advance in price. It is expected that there will be heavy orders for goods to be delivered before the first of April. The prices of shingles, f. o. b. on cars, are as follows: XXX 6 to 2 inches, 160 lbs., $1.85; XXXX 6 to 2 3-16 inches, 170 lbs. $2.00, 5 x 5 to 2 inches, 180 lbs., $2.25; 2x 6 to 2 inches, 160 lbs., $1.35. For plain dimension shingles 50 cents is added to the above price, and for fancy butts $1 per thousand is added to the above price.

A Cardiff correspondent of Timber, of Liverpool, Eng., says: "The most important arrival this week has been that of the "Prince Louis" with a valuable cargo of British Columbian pine timber. The whole of her cargo is for Messrs. Robinson, David & Co., Ltd., who are the sole importers of British Columbian pine in the Bristol Channel. The firm received an experimental cargo of this wood last year, and they have had no reason to regret their enterprise, the whole of the wood having been practically cleared out at satisfactory prices. The specification per the "Prince Louis" is exceptionally fine, and embraces 288 sawn logs and 6,012 sawn planks, or altogether 1,567 loads. The logs range from 40ft. to 105ft. in length, and vary from 12in. to 24in. square, whilst the planks are from 11in. to 28in. in width, and up to 40ft. in length. The timber is clean sawn parallel throughout, and as it is not only free from sap, but a good deal of it does not contain a single knot, it is especially suitable for high-class work in which beams of exceptional length and size are required. It is also well adapted for deck planking, ship masts, spars, etc.

THE GLA GOW MARKET.

From the monthly report of Allison, Cousland & Co. we extract the following particulars regarding the Glasgow market:

Business during the past month has continued to be satisfactory. Imports, especially of white pine deals, have been very moderate. Yarded stocks have been largely drawn on, and stocks in public yards will probably be light by the end of the year. Prices all round have been very firm, with a gradual but steady advance. It must not, however, be overlooked that the general outlook is not overpromising. The shipbuilding and other allied timber consuming industries are now feeling the want of new orders. Merchants and saw millers hold fairly heavy stocks, and they complain that there is considerable difficulty in obtaining an adequate advance necessary for consumers.

WHITE PINE.—The stock of 1st class wood now in the market is very limited and prices are high. 2nd class wood is held firm at 2s. 6d. to 2s. 9d. per c. ft. Square.—Business is quiet. Prices remain unchanged.

RED PINE.—Stocks are light with a moderate consumption.

ELM.—There has been less inquiry. Prices for 1st class wood are easier. Holders seem more inclined to reduce stocks. Grey and soft are as unsaleable as ever.

OAK.—The demand keeps steady and prices are practically at last month's figures.

BIRCH.—The stock is small and prices are inclined to harden.

ASH.—Inquiries are few and the stock on hand is likely to meet all demands for some time to come. Prices keep low.

PINE.—Firsts—Stocks of all sizes are scarcer, and are practically all in merchants' hands. Parcels arriving are readily disposed of at good figures. Seconds—Have not advanced much in price; good broad deals are wanted, but undersized are less asked for. Quotations—Regular and Broad, £19 5s. to £22; Undersized, £13 15s. to £15 16s. 3d. per St. Petersburg standard. Thirds—Are in fair request. Prices are somewhat firmer. Quotations—Regulars, £12 14s. 4d. to £13 15s. Undersized, £10 6s. 3d. to £11 per standard. Fourths—The stock must now be very light, and although prices are firm there is but a very moderate inquiry. Quotations—Regulars, £9 19s. 4d. to £11. Undersized, about £8 18s. 9d. per standard.

RED PINE.—The import has not been large and prices are firmer for all sizes.

SPRUCE.—Prices are well maintained at £7 4s. 4d. to £9 12s. 6d. per standard.

N. B. BIRCH.—The stock of logs is small. Planks are not heavy in stock, but there is no great demand and prices are if anything easier. Quotations—£7 4s. 4d. to £7 18s. 1d. per standard.

DEALS, BATTENS AND BOARDS.—Business is but moderate and prices are little changed.

SPRUCE.—A large and steady business has been done and prices are firm. 2nd quality average is quoted at £7 4s. 4d. to £9 12s. 6d. per standard.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSFERS.

Brown & Howie, of Vancouver, B. C., have just disposed of six square miles of leasehold timber limits, situated on the Upper Squamish river in British Columbia, to H. McDougall, of Seattle, representing certain American lumbermen. The limits contain a quantity of pine, cedar and fir, estimated at 62,000,000 feet. The consideration is reported to be in the neighborhood of $6,000.

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MONTREAL LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The export of lumber from the port of Montreal for the season of 1902 shows an increase of 13,655,785 feet over the previous season. The principal shippers were as follows :

	Feet.
Watson & Todd	51,311,775
W. & J. Sharples	42,344,225
Dobell, Beckett & Co	40,475,000
R. Cox & Co	35,324,183
J. Burstall & Co	20,066,117
The McArthur Export Co	16,438,728
The Charlemange L. Co	14,428,674
McLaurin Bros	7,000,000
E. H. Lemay	4,335,000
Railway Companies, etc	5,220,000
Total to Great Britain, Continent, South Africa and South America	236,943,702
Total shipment for season of 1901	223,287,917
Increase for 1902	13,655,785

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS

From Chemainus, B. C.: Str. Atlantic, for the United Kingdom, 1,388,000 feet lumber. Barque Helios, for east coast of South Africa, 725,000 feet lumber. Str. John A. Briggs, for Cape Town, South Africa, cargo of lumber.

From Halifax, N.S.: Dec. 1, str. Loyalist, for London, 101,549 ft. lumber, value $982. Dec. 2, str. Bavarian, for Liverpool, 307,594 ft. deals, etc., value $2,961. Dec. 4, schr. Olinda, for Demerara, 180,071 ft. lumber, value $1,766.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Loyalist, for London, 2,520 bundles shooks, by A. Cushing & Co; 310,940 ft. deals, by W. M. Mackay; 1,430 bales pulp, by St. John Sulphite Pulp Co. Schr. Ida May, for Weymouth, 50,170 ft. spruce boards, 600,000 cedar shingles, 100,000 spruce shingles, 200,000 laths, by A .Cushing & Co. Schr. Ida M. Barton, for Boston, 104,062 ft. boards, 255,000 ft. spruce shingles, 200,000 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Tay, for Boston, 33,907 ft. deals, 49,143 ft. deals, 10,298 ft. scantling, 62,888 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. J. L. Colwell, for Newhaven, 92,614 ft. scantling, 62,583 ft. plank, 50,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Rosa Mueller, 1,426,000 laths, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Fraulein, for City Island, 174,995 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co.

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ONTARIO LOG PRODUCTION.

Reports have been received at the Crown Lands Department, Toronto, showing the estimated production of pine saw logs and square timber in Northwestern Ontario this winter. The quantities given for the respective agencies are as follows, in feet board measure :—Sudbury, 121,000,000 ; Parry Sound, 171,000,000 ; Biscotasing, 40,000,000 ; Whitney, 50,500,000; Webbwood, 150,000,000; Sault Ste. Marie, 130,000,000 ; Port Arthur, 13,000,000 ; Arnprior, 40,000,000 ; Pembroke, 100,000,000 ; Peterborough, 44,000,000 ; Rat Portage, 25,000,000. Total, 884,500,000.

In addition there will be a large number of railway ties, probably 1,500,000, as well as quantities of telegraph poles and fence posts, hardwood, hemlock, etc.

The quantity of pine cut in the same districts during the winter of 1900-01 was 658,000,000 feet, and during the winter of 1901-02 850,000,000 feet. It is apparent from the reports of the timber agents that the chief difficulty the lumbering firms are experiencing is scarcity of labor. Men are hard to get and wages are high. Provisions and other supplies are also dear, and the expenses of operating correspondingly greater. These conditions may prevent lumbermen from getting out the estimated quantity.

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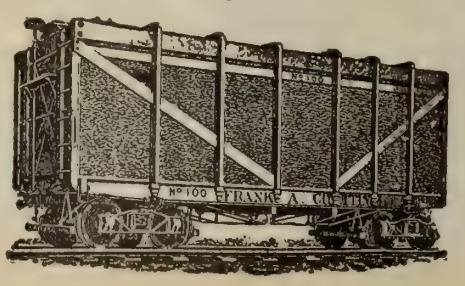

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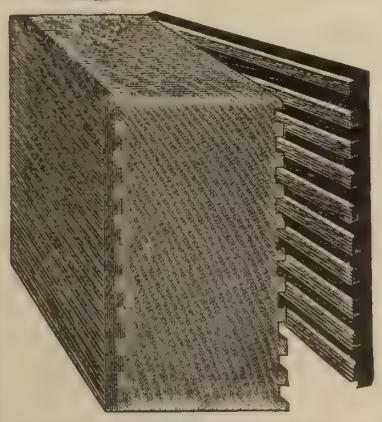

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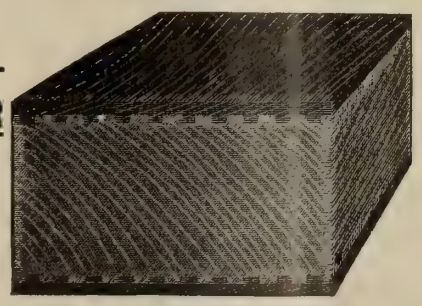

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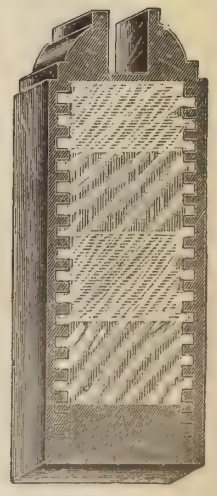

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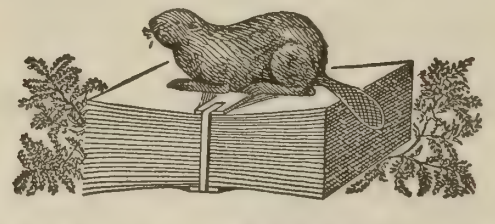

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Despite the nearness of the close of the year there continues to be a steady movement of lumber by rail. The demand from industrial establishments keeps up remarkably well and indicates that the stocks held by consumers are not large. Present prices of white pine offer little incentive to buyers to place orders for future delivery, yet some orders of this character are being booked by Toronto dealers. Both the pessimist and the optimist are to be found in the trade. The former bases his convictions on the reported large crop of pine logs and the belief that the crest of the present era of prosperity has almost been reached. The optimist, on the other hand, points out that wages are so exceedingly high and labor so scarce that the cut of logs is likely to be restricted thereby, and that nothing short of a general business depression, which is not likely to reveal itself, could restrain prices from maintaining their present level. The balance of opinion favors the hopeful view and a satisfactory trade for 1903.

Whatever may be said of pine, it is generally admitted that higher prices for hardwoods are likely to rule next year, as the advance that has taken place has not been proportionate with the appreciation in the value of lumber of the coniferous variety. Inquiries for basswood, oak and birch are quite numerous. Shingles have recently fluctuated somewhat in price, but the bulk of the sales of XXX white pine have been made around $3.25 wholesale in Toronto. Dealers complain of the difficulty in securing a regular supply o white pine shingles owing to the smaller quantity now manufactured.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The demand for lumber has fallen off somewhat sharply, due in large measure to severe weather. The building requirement for the year, however, is largely supplied, and a continuance of quiet conditions may be expected for the next few weeks.

Manufacturers of British Columbia shingles have decided to discontinue night shifts in all mills and in addition to curtail the daily output by twenty-five per cent. By this means the shingle production of the province will be curtailed by fully sixty per cent. This has been found necessary on account of the present scarcity of logs and high price of timber. It is said that manufacturers have been turning over their output at little or no profit.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Reports from the British market emphasize the prevailing disposition to postpone the closing of contracts for lumber until a universal basis of prices has been fixed. Neglect to do this in the past has resulted disastrously. Importers regard the prices asked by shippers as excessive, especially in regard to Baltic timber. No business of importance has yet been concluded with the North of Europe exporters, although usually half the first-open-water stocks of the following year have been placed by December. Contracting for Canadian lumber has been on a smaller scale than usual, although there seems to be less opposition to the prices asked by shippers. This is probably due to the lighter stocks of Canadian pine and spruce that are held at one or two of the leading importing centres. In the Surrey Commercial Docks at London the stock of pine deals on November 30th this year was 596,757 pieces, as compared with 695,520 pieces one year ago. The corresponding figures for spruce were 557,003 and 752,750 pieces. Battens and ends also show a decrease. There has been good buying at recent auction sales, for the reason that it is possible to purchase stock at a lower cost than orders can be placed for delivery next spring. It is pointed out that current prices leave the importer but a very small margin of profit. Second quality Quebec spruce, 3 x 9, is being sold liberally at £10 5s. per standard. Indications point to lower prices for pit props. There is a continued enquiry for oak logs of large size, also for wagon planks.

UNITED STATES.

More interest is now centred in white pine dimension than in any other class of lumber. A short time ago the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association declined to advance the price of dimension, on the ground that the conditions creating a scarcity were of an exceptional character and likely to be remedied in the near future. Nevertheless, individual firms are advancing their quotations. During the past season less dimension timber was manufactured than usual, for the reason that greater returns could be obtained by sawing the logs into inch lumber. Out of this unnatural ratio in prices grew the present shortage in dimension stock. In other respects the market is quiet and featureless. Upper grades are in good demand, while on the lower grades a concession of fifty cents per thousand is being offered by a few manufacturers who are anxious to realize. There has been very little buying of next year's stock and present appearances indicate that it will not start until after the turn of the year. A volume of business almost equalling that of the past season is generally predicted, and it is thought that prices of white pine will rule near the present basis. Hardwood prices, however, are expected to advance, as the stock at the mills is about 500,000,000 feet less than last year. Dealers are refusing orders for future delivery excepting on condition that the price then ruling is to be paid. There continues to be a strong demand for and marked scarcity of basswood. Efforts have been made to further advance the price of hemlock, but cutting of prices by some of the smaller concerns has discouraged this movement. The base price in New York city is $16.50.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

XXXX white pine shingles are selling in the North Tonawanda market at $3.75.

J. L. Black & Sons, of Sackville, N. B., expect to cut 4,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

The Hanbury Manufacturing Company, of Brandon, Man., are reported to have purchased timber limits in British Columbia.

Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company have sold to Ontario parties all the lumber they had left on the mill docks at Midand, Ont., about 2,500,000 feet.

Watson & Todd, of Montreal, are reported to have secured the 1903 cut of McLachlin Bros.' mill at Arnprior. It will aggregate fully 40,000,000 feet, including white and red pine.

About eight hundred men are engaged this winter in the woods in the Port Arthur district, taking out saw logs, piles and ties. The North Shore Timber Company are not operating this season.

In Chicago prices of hemlock by carload are steady at $13.50 to $14,and sales from the yards are being made at $15 to $15.50 for ordinary lengths. In dimensions 2x12 and upwards the price at the yards ranges from $17 to $18.

The contract for scantling and curbing required by the City of Toronto during 1903 has been awarded to Reid & Company, of Esplanade street, as follows: 4x4 pine, $17.39 per thousand; 4x10 pine, $18.39; 4x4 cedar, $15.39.

Davidson & Thackray, of Ottawa, last week received a cablegram that the steamer Tartar Prince, en route from New York to Cape Town, had been burned at sea. This firm had on board the vessel a stock of doors, sash and flooring for South Africa, and are heavy losers through the fire.

During the past season there were received in the Saginaw river by water 60,247,059 feet of lumber, as compared with 100,000,0000 feet last year. Considerably over 100,000,000 feet of this stock came from Ontario. Two rafts of logs, aggregating 6,000,000 feet, were received from Canada, the timber being cut on deeded lands.

According to the National Coopers' Journal, prices of cooperage stock are likely to advance in the near future. Staves are firmer with a rising tendency, and it is predicted that No 1 staves will seek a higher level permanently before very long. Hoops are high in price and not likely to go back to former figures. Heading does not look so encouraging, but manufacturers are likely to take some action to secure a larger margin of profit. The corn crop of the United States is an important factor in bringing about and extending these conditions.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of Movember 22nd, say that there have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce within the fortnight, with the exception of 30,000 feet from the La-Have river, which was sold at $26.15 for shipping, and $21.65 for seconds. Both pine and spruce are wanted. Last sales of shingles have been made at $4.89 to $5.04 for Gaspe long cedar, $1.82 for cedar laying, and $1.65 to $1.70 for spruce laying.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

The representative of the CANADA LUMBERMAN to-day discussed prices with several local dealers. A careful scrutiny of the latest quotations in the market page showed but one change, that on pine 8 up s. c. sidings quoted at $15 to $17 per M. Latest figures are $16 to $19, with few, if any, selling.

Lumber manufacturers are at present engaged stocking up, and aside from the fact that standing stock is not to be had, it is difficult to get a promise on future cut. The manufacturers are endeavoring to ascertain "where they are at,"and until they locate their bearings they will not hastily discuss contracts for future cuts. While some have already made contracts for next summer's cutting, they are quoting fancy prices simply to stand off would-be purchasers. Reliable reports show that a considerable quantity of the future cut was again secured by English buyers at standing prices. The demand coming from the Americans has and will continue to have a tendency to keep prices in Ottawa and district buoyant. Said one dealer, "As long as the Americans come over and purchase stock at the "must have it at any cost" figures, the market will be unhealthy. Lumber is bringing more than it is really worth on this side, but we must rest content to be governed in this matter from across the line. Until manufacturing conditions change and it is found inexpedient to pay the ruling high price for Ottawa lumber, the local supply will command its own price."

Inquiries in other quarters went to show that high grade lumber is not to be had and ordinary stuff continues firm. Lath and shingles are scarce.

The most significant feature of the rather dull market, however, seems to be contained in the fact that English buyers have renewed orders for next summer's cut at prices as high as reigned a year back.

The arrival of winter will give an impetus to the movement of supplies to the limits and assist the jobbers in getting their stocks of pulp wood to the stations. The fact that snow held off several weeks later this year than last, seriously inconvenienced the movement of supplies to the distant limits. The lakes and rivers have all "taken" since the recent cold snap and the lumbermen are happy.

W.H. McAuliffe has again secured the cut of spruce at the St. Anthony Lumber Company's mill at Whitney. He thus controls all the cut of spruce of 1903.

The Upper Ottawa Improvement Company, at its annual meeting held last week,decided to build a fleet of five boats, two large steel tugs, two alligator tugs, and one small tug, a propeller. These boats will be placed in commission on lake Temiscamingue and the Upper Ottawa. With them the towing business hitnerto carried on by Mr. Alexander Lumsden, ex-M.P.P., will be continued. This move will give the company entire control of the business on the Ottawa river. Debentures for $120,000 will be issued to meet the cost of the extension of operations. The company elected the following officers: President, Hiram Robinson; secretary, G. B. Greene; directors, J. R. Booth, Hiram Robinson, Alex. Fraser, C. Berkeley Powell and F.P. Bronson.

OTTAWA, December 15, 1902.

LUMBERING OPERATIONS AROUND LITTLE CURRENT.

[FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Messrs. J. & T. Conlon closed down their mill at Litt'e Current about the 20th November, having cut out all their stock. This firm installed a band saw as auxiliary to their gang in the large mill and have also added an electric light plant. Their capacity for next season will be in the neighborhood of 20 million feet.

The W. & A. McArthur Company, Limited, closed their mill down about the 1st of November, having cut out their stock. They had a very successful season, cutting about 22 million feet by running day and night continuously from the 1st of May throughout the summer season without any hitch. They have 300 men in their camps at Beaverstone. At present they have four camps on their limit at Beaverstone, and expect to get out about 18 million of logs. They have also just closed a deal with Messrs. Sims Bros. for about 8 million feet more of high class logs, which they expect to get early in May. This will give them ample stock for their mill for the ensuing season.

The Anderson mill is now rented to Mr. C. Stewart, late of Honora, a practical mill man, who is open for contracts to saw. Messrs. Smith & Henderson will in all probability have their stock cut by Mr. Stewart.

Messrs. Sims Bros. have about 85,000 pieces on skids now and will get in over 100,000 logs. They have two camps and about 150 men employed.

Messrs. Smith & Henderson will probably get out one million feet of white pine, Norway and hemlock with one camp and 35 men.

Messrs. J. & T. Charlton are operating on McGregor Bay with one camp and 30 men, taking out cedar ties, posts and telegraph poles. This company also have a camp and about 60 men taking out pine logs north of Killarney. They will probably get out 3 million feet there for their Collingwood mill.

The McArthur Company have about 8 million feet on their dock, and J. & T. Conlon have about 2½ million of lumber to be shipped first thing in the spring.

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THE LONDON MARKET.

The pine deal market in London was very firm during November, and for special sizes and qualities rates have been obtainable which, if they are to become normal, must tend to check the consumption of the article in the long run. Messrs. Churchill & Sim say that for spruce deals this market has also been quite steady, but the demand has not been very free and there is no further rise. Oak timber and birch planks have been in fair demand; the market for birch timber being adversely affected by the increasing supplies of the latter. For elm and ash timber there is no change to record. White pine timber has suffered in price whenever more than retail sales have been attempted.

From the St. Lawrence the import has been as follows:

	1902	1901
Pine deals	1,338,000 pcs.	1,811,000 pcs.
Spruce deals	2,704,000 "	3,743,000 "
Birch planks	112,000 "	97,000 "

From New Brunswick:

	1902	1901
Pine deals	357,000 pcs.	216,000 pcs.
Spruce deals	619,000 "	502,000 "
Birch planks	122,000 "	194,000 "

Current prices are as follows: St. Lawrence pine deals, 1st, bright and dry, regular sizes, £22 to £29 5s. per standard; oddments, £15 to £22 5s. 2nd bright and dry, regular sizes, £18 10s. to £23 5s; oddments, £13 10s. to £16 5s. 3rd, bright and dry, regular sizes, £11 10s. to £14 5s; oddments, £8 10s. to £11. 4th bright and dry, regular sizes, £10 5s. to £11 10s; oddments, £8 5s. to £9 10s. St. Lawrence spruce deals, 1st, regular sizes, £13 to £15 per standard; 2nd, regular sizes, £10 to £10 10s; 3rd, regular sizes, £9 15s. to £10; 4th, regular sizes, £9 to £9 10s; battens, £7 to £8 5s. New Brunswick spruce deals, £9 to £10 per standard; oddments, battens and fourths, £7 5s. to £9.

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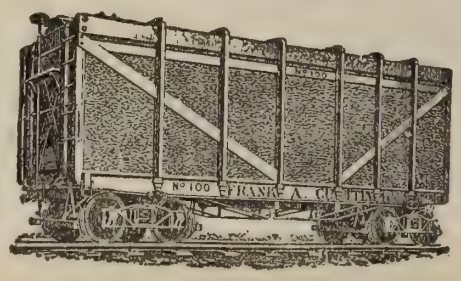

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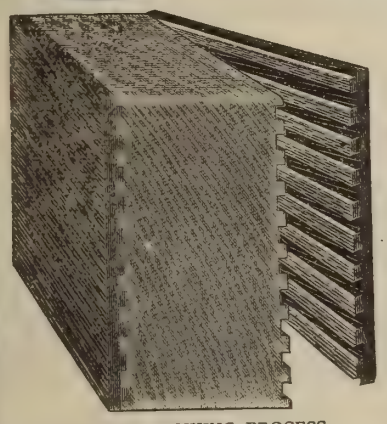

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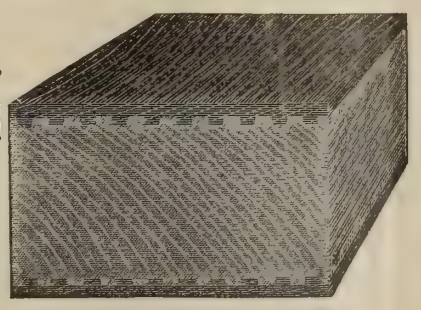

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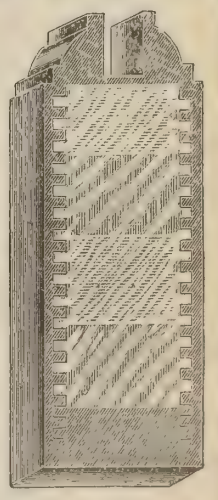

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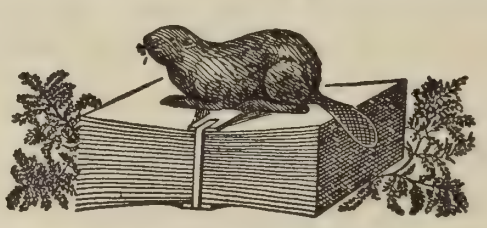

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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

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1¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$36 00	$42 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	19 00	20 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding mill run	18 00	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		16 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		13 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in		3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 65

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¾ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2	23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¾	18 00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2.	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds. 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds. 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3	24 00 26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2	32 00 35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½	19 00 20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4	20 00 21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	31 00 33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4	34 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	32 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4	35 00 38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2	60 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 "	3	85 00 100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2	34 00 33 00

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$36 00	38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	22 00	26 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	24 00	28 00
2 in.	27 00	32 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	20 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	9 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mil run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 15	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	00	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 6	1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25	2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	
No. 2. White Pine		3 10
Hemlock		2 70

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

¼ inch average	17	12
⅙ " "	24	29
⅐ " "	27	29
⅛ " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1½, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	8 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	80	82	1x12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	03	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common		20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22	24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25	26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8		21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	40
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	20
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		32
1x10 inch shippers		21			

LATH.

Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$	$3 40

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 0	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 0		
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	34 00
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in.	75 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1 x 6 & up.	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x10	18 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	34 00	1x13 and up	20 00
1¼ x10 and 12	40 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
1½ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m on Tuesday to insure insertion in he current week's issue.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

As the year draws to a close and active business is cast aside for the purpose of taking the annual inventory, it is not possible to point to a weak spot in the lumber market. Prices have maintained a surprising degree of strength throughout the fall months, and as the winter goes by there seems little prospect of lower prices. Reports from the Ottawa Valley tell of active buying of the 1903 cuts for the British market. It is predicted that within three weeks the entire production of th ttawa Valley for that market will have been contracted for. Notwithstanding recent statements to the effect that prices were on a parity with those of last year, some of the largest manufacturers state that they have placed their stock at prices fully ten per cent. higher than ruled one year ago. In the Georgian Bay district buying has not yet become active, as dealers are reluctant to pay the high prices asked by manufacturers. This applies particularly to mill run; when a manufacturer is willing to dispose of the upper grades at reasonable figures he has no difficulty in finding a buyer. Of the past season's production good lumber has been scarce for some time, and recent buying of mill culls has greatly reduced the quantity of that grade in the hands of manufacturers. Red pine deals have strengthened and promise to command a better price next season. The car shortage is still of a serious nature. One manufacturer reports that he has 3,000,000 feet of lumber waiting shipment.

The hardwood situation is favorable to the holder of stock. The comparatively small advance that has taken place in the price of hardwood lumber and the high cost of labor and supplies has discouraged logging operators this winter, and consequently a very light stock will be taken out in some districts and not a large stock in any district. It is hoped that by restricting the log production it will be possible to advance the price of hardwood lumber to a higher basis.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The advances that have been made in the prices of British Columbia lumber and shingles for local consumption and for shipment eastward is likely to be followed by higher quotations on export lumber. It is proposed to issue a new classification and schedule which will mean an average advance of about $3 per thousand. This step has been rendered imperative by the high price of logs and the prospect that still higher prices will prevail. At the present time the ruling price on the coast for logs is from $7.50 to $8 per thousand, and it is expected that this will be increased by at least one dollar at the beginning of the new year. The fact that many manufacturers have their storage room filled up as the result of inability to secure cars to make shipments is given as a further reason in favor of curtailing the production of lumber and shingles. In point of demand the trade is in a very satisfactory position, and inquiries for spring delivery have been numerous of late.

UNITED STATES.

In some sections of the United States there have been heavy snow-storms within the past week, causing a temporary check to the demand for lumber. The incidents of the week, however, have been favorable to the market and have produced a feeling of hopefulness in a continuance of the prevailing prosperous conditions. Throughout Minnesota there is a decided scarcity of white pine dimension and a strong move has been taken by wholesalers to further advance the price. This has met with some opposition owing to the fear of hemlock competition. Individual firms are ignoring the association price list and are making an advance of fifty cents. No. 4 boards and strips are also scarce and in a position to be advanced in price. Norway is another lumber that meets with quick sale and for which an enlarged demand is anticipated in the spring. At Ashland, Wis., one of the largest holders of Norway has advanced the price fifty cents per thousand. Hemlock is firm, contracts being placed at $10 for delivery next season, on a stumpage basis of $2. Dealers in the Buffalo and Tonawanda markets report a fair local demand and considerable ship-

nents to the east. There has been an excessive demand for 12-inch box lumber, especially for export. This grade is quoted at $20 in Tonawanda, the highest price ever paid for it in that market. Hardwoods are firm, with a small supply. Ash is seasonably active, although orders are usually for small lots. The shingle market is somewhat stronger, the recent weakness having passed away. Lath is more plentiful. No. 1 pine sells in the Buffalo market at $3.75 to $4, and No. 2 at 50 cents less. There is considerable demand for cheap lath, but it is hard to find.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Dullness prevails in timber circles in Great Britain, and there is not likely to be much life to the market until after the holiday season. Prices have been well maintained. Canadian deals are decidedly firm, spruce being about ten shillings per standard higher than it was one month ago. Pine is also held at a slight advance owing to the fact that the quotations of shippers for spring delivery are above the autumn closing figures. Importers, however, are by no means unanimous in their opinions that shippers will be successful in obtaining asking prices. In another column will be found the results of an auction sale held in London, at which second quality spruce brought £10 10s per standard, against £10 5s one week earlier. A cargo of British Columbia pine from Chemainus brought splendid prices. It is a difficult proposition to analyze the British market at the present time. Shippers are holding prices very firmly, while importers are refusing to contract until a lower basis is reached. Which factor will be successful will depend to some extent upon the consumption during the next few weeks and upon the demand experienced from the Continent and South Africa. Germany has placed orders for some stock, but has not taken as much as usual.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Upper Woodstock Wood Manufacturing Company, of Woodstock, N. B., recently received an order for about 300,000 broom handles.

J. & W. Duncan, of Montreal, have purchased the cut of L. Villeneuve & Company's mill at St. Jerome, Que. It will be sawn for the New York market.

A timber berth of two square miles, situated on the north-west branch of Swan Creek, in New Brunswick, will be offered for sale by public auction at Fredericton on December 31st.

The East Kootenay Lumber Company, of Cranbrook, B. C., have secured the contract to supply the C. P. R. with 725,000 railway ties. This is one of the largest contracts for ties ever let in Canada.

The W. & A. McArthur Company, of Little Current, Ont., will put in about 30,000,000 feet of logs this winter. It is reported that they have sold fully one-half of the cut of the mill for next season.

The Edward Hinds Lumber Company are endeavoring to make arrangements to have 20,000,000 feet of logs sawn at Duluth, Minn., this winter. There is more winter sawing in the Duluth district this season than usual.

George Gordon & Company, of Cache Bay, Ont., had 3,000,000 feet of logs sawn at Little Current, Ont., the past season, in addition to that manufactured by their own mills. Their red pine was sold for export to England.

At the Crown Lands office, Fredericton, N. B., there were sold on December 17th a timber berth of 2½ square miles, situated between Little and Middle rivers, Gloucester county. The purchaser was J. H. Barry, of Fredericton, at $277 per mile, and the applicant was Frank J. Morrison. A two-mile berth at Lower Bay Du Vin was sold to M. Salter at the upset price.

Under date of December 6th Messrs. S.P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce since we last wrote, and both are wanted. First receipts should command full rates. There is little or no inquiry for shingles, and no arrivals have taken place."

An advance of fifty cents on 16-foot hemlock boards was recently made at Buffalo. In New York City 50 cents was added to the price of 10 and 16-foot lengths No. 1 boards, 8, 10 and 12 inches, either rough, single surfaced, or tongued and grooved, which makes a difference now of $1 between the stock in question and 12 and 14-foot lengths.

The lumber cut on the St. Croix river, in New Brunswick, this winter will amount to about 27,000,000 feet. H. F. Eaton & Sons and James Murchie & sons will cut 6,000,000 feet each; Granville Case will cut 2,000,000 feet, and the Eastern Pulp Wood Company 3,000,000 feet. On the west branch Mercier & Sons are operating for Todd & Sons, and McLellan & Hill for Eaton & Sons.

J. Fred Ritchie is reported to have taken up a timber limit along the Arrow Lakes, in British Columbia, containing 150,000,000 feet of cedar, fir, spruce, and pine, with cedar largely predominating. The timber is easily accessible for logging purposes and can be floated down the Columbia river to Arrow Head, where a shingle mill will likely be built.

Messrs. Wright, Graham & Company, Glasgow, quote the following as ruling prices for pine deals and sidings:—White pine deals, 1st quality, broad, £33 to £35 15s per standard; 11 in., £26 10s to £28 10s; 7 in. to 10 in., £22 to £23 7s 6d; 7 in. and up by 6-9 ft., £18 11s 3d to £19 18s 9d. 2nd quality, broad, £21 6s 3d to £22 13s 9d; 11 in., £19 18s 9d to £20 12s 6d; 7 in. to 10 in., £15 2s 6d to £15 16s 3d; 7 in. and up by 6-9 ft., £12 7s 6d to £13 15s; 3rd quality, broad, £13 15s to £14 8s 9d; 11 in., £11 13 9d to £12 7s 6d; 7 in. to 10 in., £10 to £11; 7 in. and up by 6-9 ft., £8 5s to to £9 12s 6d. 4th quality, broad, £10 6s 3d to £11; 11 in., £9 12s 6d to £10 6s 3d; Narrows, £8 5s to £8 18s9d. Sidings—1½, 1¾ and 2 inch, £23 7s 6d to £26 2s 6d per standard. Red pine deals are quoted at: 9 and 11 in. by 3 and 4 in., £9 12s 6d to £11 13s 9d per standard; 7 to 10 in. by 3 in., £8 18s 9d to £9 5s.

PIECE STUFF AND BOARDS.

While there has not been much change in white pine prices in the last few weeks, there are some price features that are of interest. Good lumber, says the American Lumberman, seems to be steady with no particular advance, present or immediate prospect, and with no decline for that matter, but the scarcity of piece stuff, which has been a feature of the market during the year, is more accentuated and is leading to some serious discussion as to the advisability of a slight advance. In the Wisconsin valley there is noted decided strength in No. 4 boards and strips and an advance of $1 a thousand is being strongly recommended, but such action would only accentuate the anomalous condition of the piece stuff market and make an advance in the latter the more necessary.

It is said that in the Minneapolis district wholesalers who are short of this class of stock are actually paying a premium of from 25 to 75 cents and yet selling to the retail trade at the list prices, thus incurring a positive loss. Such a situation is intolerable and unless the official list is advanced it seems likely that individual lists will be gotten out recognizing the actual advance in the wholesale market on piece stuff of 14-foot and up in length—for there seems to be a plenty of the short.

The cause for the piece stuff shortage this year seems to be found in the disposition of the mill men to cut their coarse stock into boards rather than 2-inch, and the situation in low grade boards and strips in the Wisconsin valley would indicate a continuance of the practice.

Nevertheless there promises to be a larger output of piece stuff in proportion to the total cut next year than this. Almost certainly the yellow pine people will be influenced by the firm price of that part of their list this year as contrasted with the weakness in upper grades and dressed lumber. Again, the white pine people, especially in Minnesota, are cutting more closely than ever before. That might hardly seem possible, but everything that will make a 2x4 is likely to be brought in and that process will not be confined to pine but will extend to tamarack, spruce or anything else that is found upon the land.

There should be an easier situation in piece stuff in 1903 than there has been this year, and yet we have seen so many expectations fail of realization and the lumber market has so belied experience and attempt at control that it is hardly safe to predict with assurance the outcome of next year's operations.

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Hastings	China and Japan	142,516
Hastings	Yokohama	25,404
Hastings	Shanghai	653 09
Hastings	Wilmington, Del	875,843
Hastings	Ostend, Belguim	956,449
Chemainus	Sydney	1,166,082
Hastings	Sydney	1,251,030
Hastings	Fremantle	595,669
Hastings	Iquiqui	879 020
Hastings	Sydney	1,082,562
Hastings	Taku	1,380,414
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,378,381
Hastings	U. K.	1,080, 73
Hastings	Japan	57,612
Hastings	Taku	121,611
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	1,000,233
Chemainus	South Africa	1,665,061
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,508,402
Chemainus	Sydney	731,419
Chemainus	Sydney	849.427
Hastings	Cardiff	940,090
Hastings	Sydney	16,211
Hastings	Kobe	4,011
Hastings	Yokohama	7,796
Hastings	Sydney	13,976
Hastings	U. K.	1,413,650
Hastings	Melbourne	1,179,206
Chemainus	U. K.	1,162,839
Hastings	Fremantle	1,113,464
Chemainus	Sydney	1,077,134
Hastings	Hamburg	38,033
Hastings	Sydney	116,625
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	1,358,714
Hastings	Yokohoma	29,078
Hastings	Taku	1,914,772
Hastings	Sydney	53,129
Hastings	Yokohoma	20,162
Chemainus	Sydney	1,393,099
Chemainus	Sydney	1,151,219
Hornby Isl, B.C.	Santa Rosalia	205,876
Hastings	W Coast S. A.	671,732
Hastings	Delagoa Bay	974,760
Chemainus	Adelaide	1,304,967
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Hastings	Taku, China	401,370
Hastings	Sydney	261,404
Hastings	Iquiqui	681,947
Chemainus	West Coast S.A.	965,735
Hastings	Greenock	1,178,754
Hastings	London	1,000,949
Hastings	Sydney	1,154,190
Hastings	Kobe	854,820
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,210,357
Chemainus	West Coast S. A.	737,653
Chemainus	West Coast S. A.	859,587
Hastings	Japan	52,322
Hastings	Japan	16,730
Chemainus	West Coast S. A.	772,219
Chematnus	West Coast S. A.	869,053
Hastings	Freemantle	942,261
Hastings	Yokohama	17 266
Chemainus	Valparaiso	768,573
Hastings	Iquiqui	1,234,488
Chemainus	U. K.	1,388,279
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Spruce—Ex. Dora, from Saguenay, Que.—14 ft. 3x9 in. second quality, £10 10s and £10 5s per std. Ex. Netherholme, from Quebec—13-13 ft. 2x7 in. first quality, £12 5s ; Ex. Prome, from Quebec—9-13 ft. 3x9 in, second quality, £12 10s. Ex. Aquila, from Quebec—11 ft. 3x9 in. second quality, £9 15s and £8 10s; 10-11 ft. 3x9, £8 15s. Ex. Langford, from Quebec—13 ft. 3x10 in. fourth quality, £8 5s ; 12 ft. 3x10, £8 5s ; 10-16 ft. 3x6, £7. Ex. Nyanga, from Montreal —13-15 ft. 3x9 in. third quality, £9 5s.

Birch—Ex. Evangeline, from Halifax—3-20 ft. 3½x6-15 in., 9d per cubic ft. Ex. Carlisle City, from St. John, N.B.—7-19 ft. 3x10-16 in., 1s per cubic ft.; 3-18 ft. 3x9, 11d ; 3-18 ft. 3x7, 9½d. Ex. A. R. Thorp, from Halifax, N.S.—20 ft. 4x7 in., 10d per cubic ft.; 4-19 ft. 3x10, 11d; 3-19 ft. 3x9, 9½d , 6-21 ft. 3x8, 9d.

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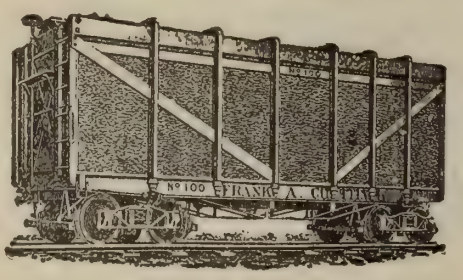

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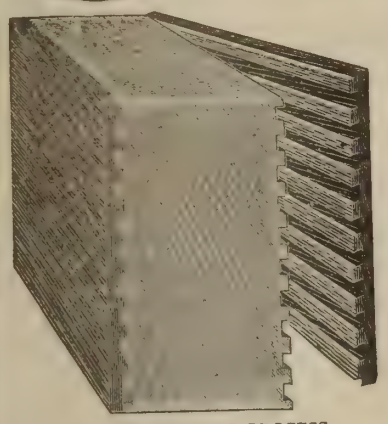

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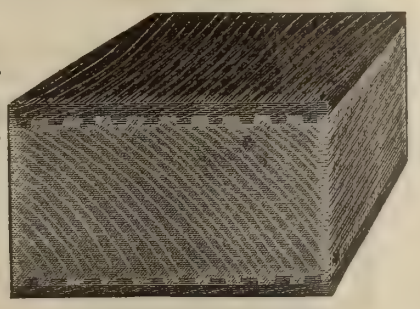

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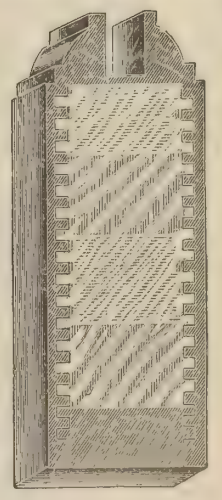

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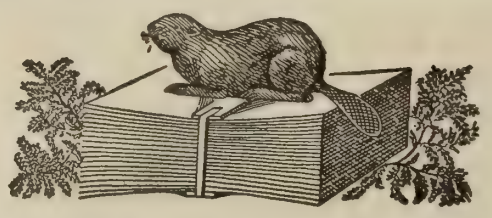

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Pine Shingles : Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 15 2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00 3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25 1 50
Cedar Shingles : Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 6 1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25 2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20 1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
2 in.	60 00
2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00
2 in.	52 00
2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide.	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6	19 00
1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide.	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50
No. 2. White Pine	3 10
Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	80	82	1x12 inch shippers $ 24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up 18
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common 20
to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12 27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10 24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8 22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12 25 26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 40
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 20
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common 32
1x10 inch shippers		21	

LATH.

Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$ $3 40

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

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(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75	00	2 in 36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80	00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in. 38 50
4 in.	85	00	No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in 48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68	00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in. 34 00
2½ and 3 in.	75	00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in. 30 00
4 in.	80	00	6 8 and 10 in 26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55	00	No. 2, 10 in. 24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58	00	No. 2, 12 in. 26 00
2 in	62	00	No. 3, 10 in. 20 00
3 in.	70	00	No. 3, 12 in. 23 00
4 in	75	00	Box, 1 x 4 15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42	00	1 x 6 & up 17 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50	00	1x10 18 50
No. 2, 1 in	24	00	1x12 20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42	00	1x13 and up 20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00	Dressing 1¼ in. 24 00
1¼ x10 and 12	40	00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in. 19 00
1½ in.	34	00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. 14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in 40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips 19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 22 00 4 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d. soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd. soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11 00

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TO THE LUMBER TRADE.

In the February number of the CANADA LUMBERMAN will appear a compilation of statistics referring to the lumber trade of 1902. As in previous years, circulars have been sent to lumber producers throughout the Dominion, and it is hoped that they will assist us as heretofore by giving as much information as possible regarding the production and sale of lumber and the conditions which prevailed in the trade throughout the year. By means of their hearty co-operation we hope to present a review of much value to the lumber fraternity. Those who have not yet returned their circulars are respectfully solicited to do so as soon as convenient.

We shall be pleased to receive reports from different sections of the Dominion as to the production of lumber and quantity of unsold stock on hand at the close of the year. Persons sending such reports will confer a favor upon the publishers.

The brigatine Ethel Clarke is loading lumber at Bear River, N.S., for Cienfuegos.

A steamer has been fixed for four voyages from Miramichi, N. B., to w.c. England next spring at 40 shillings for deals.

Gillies Bros., of Braeside, Ont., manufactured during the past season 40,000,000 feet of lumber, 4,000,000 laths, 18,000,000 shingles, and 100,000 ties.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Business in lumber is of the kind that characterizes the close of each year. Except for urgent requirements buyers will not increase their obligations until they start into the new year. Little fault can be found, however, with the lumber situation. The number of inquiries which have been received by manufacturers and dealers is taken as a strong indication of an early and active spring trade. Pine mill culls were singularly active during December, and the quantity of unsold stock in mill yards is much less than was predicted two months ago. While prospects are bright for all kinds of lumber and present prices will doubtless be sustained for some months to come, there are evidences of a rise in the price of both hemlock and basswood lumber. The demand for hemlock is gradually expanding, whereas the production of logs this winter will not be above an average quantity. The cost of obtaining logs is fully $1 per thousand more than last season, and by many it is predicted that an advance of $2 in the price of lumber will follow. The main condition affecting basswood is the decided scarcity of that lumber. For some time dealers have found great difficulty, on account of the scarcity, in filling orders, and in some cases have been obliged to refuse large bills. Recognizing the situation, several dealers are quietly contracting with manufacturers for their 1903 production, the result of which promises to be severe competition and higher prices. Export trade is an important outlet for basswood, and during the past season several large shipments were made to Great Britain and Germany.

Reports from the logging districts tell of favorable conditions, and if there should be no setback the production of pine this winter will doubtless be as large as last season. Woodsmen are now more plentiful. A government official places the square timber output of the Ottawa Valley this winter at 2,000,000 cubic feet, as compared with 1,875,000 cubic feet last season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

From every quarter comes the report of firmness in spruce lumber prices. Shippers have contracted for a considerable quantity of deals for export to Great Britian, and several mill cuts have been purchased for the American market. Local buying also is active for this season of the year, the farmers evidently being in good condition financially. Perhaps the condition which exerts a greater influence on prices

that anything else is the prospect of a shortage in the log supply. Owing to high wages, scarcity of labor, and weather conditions, it is predicted that the production of spruce logs in Quebec and New Brunswick will be much smaller than last winter. One manufacturer advises us that he expects to secure spruce enough to stock only one mill, whereas three mills were stocked last season. The supply of both lumber and shingles is so small that a material reduction in the log input this winter would be certain to result in higher prices next year.

UNITED STATES.

A meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association is to be held this week to revise the price list on lumber. There are indications that an advance of fifty cents will be made on piece stuff, the supply of which is very short. No.4 boards are also showing strength and have been advanced one dollar per thousand by several manufacturers in the Wisconsin Valley. It is doubtful whether the stock of pine lumber on hand at the lake markets will be sufficient to take care of the winter trade, particularly as there continues to be a large demand from the east. In Chicago trade is active and building operations fully twice as large as at the corresponding date one year ago. Prices there are firm, based on $17.50 for short pine piece stuff delivered. Box manufacturers in the Eastern States are doing a splendid trade. Sales of 10-inch box lumber have recently been made in Buffalo at $19 to the consumer, which is considered a very good price. Hardwoods remain firm. Maple is strong and there is a movement of beech to take the place of it. The supply of basswood is so small that it is possible to obtain almost any reasonable price. Ash and elm are more plentiful than the other hardwoods.

Logging condititions in the Lake Superior district are excellent and every effort is being put forth to secure a large crop of logs. The east makes complaint regarding the continued warm weather, which in many place has spoiled the roads. Logging operators state that they are constantly visited by dealers wishing to purchase their logs with the idea of having them sawn to required specifications.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Agents of shippers have abandoned all efforts to secure business until after the Yuletide holidays. Buying for immediate requirements has been confined largely to the better class of lumber, the stock of which is much lighter than of the lower grades. Owing to the large import from the Baltic, a disposition is shown by sellers to moderate their asking prices. It is estimated that the quantity of Baltic rough boards in the London docks is sufficient to supply the requirements for the next nine months. These conditions do not apply to Canadian lumber, both pine and spruce deals being in lighter supply than one year ago. The unfavorable statistical position of Baltic lumber, however, is likely to exert a sympathetic influence upon Canadian stock. Recent public sales brought good prices for the regular sizes of pine and spruce deals, 8 inch and under showing a slight weakness.

The number of lumber cargoes received at Cleveland, Ohio, during the past season was 558, and the amount of lumber delivered 279,000,000 feet. Of the lumber received Michigan furnished 221 cargoes, Ontario 120, Wisconsin 122, and Minnesota 95.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The quantity of lumber exported in 1902 from Montreal to South America was 863,000 feet.

Guilford V. Peck has purchased the lumbering property of Howard Stevens at Memel, N. B.

W. J. Trenouth & Bro., of Powassan, Ont., are only taking out about 1,000,000 feet of logs this winter, mostly hemlock and spruce.

B. W. Gagnon, M. P., of St. Stephen, N.B., states that the cut of logs in Charlotte county this winter will not exceed 10,000,000 feet.

In the Philadelphia market spruce plastering lath are stiff at $3.50 for eastern lath and $3.65 for West Virginia lath. Hemlock lath rule about $3.50.

The receipts of lumber at the Tonawandas by vessel this season were 407,922,933 feet, 44,673,487 feet less than in 1901 and 3,000,000 feet less than in 1900.

The timber limits formerly owned by the Bank of Ottawa and situated near Prince Albert, N.W.T., have been sold to Telford & Company, who are operating them this winter.

D. E. Sprague has commenced cutting logs near Sprague, Minn. He is also cutting logs along Rainy Lake, which will be shipped over the Canadian Northern road to his saw mills at Winnipeg.

Jacob A. Shaver, of Ancaster, Ont., has purchased for next season's sawing about 700,000 feet of logs, including 400,000 feet of white pine and 300,000 feet of white and red oak and some chestnut.

The Hamilton & Merriman Company, of Menominee, Mich., have disposed of their 1903 cut of lumber to Francis Beidler & Company, of Chicago. The cut will amount to 45,000,000 feet, and the consideration is about $750,000.

The Moyie Lumber Company, of Moyie, B.C., are operating four camps this winter. They have one at Swansea, one near Monroe Lake, and one on the Clark ranch. The East Kootenay Lumber Company have 150 men employed in lumbering operations this winter.

The following timber berths will be offered for sale at the Crown Lands office, Fredericton, N.B., on Wednesday, January 7th: Three square miles north of Canaan river, J. H. Barry, applicant; two square miles at Roberville Sett, Gloucester county, J. J. S. Hachey, applicant; two square miles north of Newcastle Creek, John P. Yeamans, applicant.

The Shepard & Morse Lumber Company, of Ottawa, after a lapse of five years have decided to resume operations. The company has several large camps at work on its own limits in the Kippewa district taking out logs. A contract has also been entered into with Alexander Lumsden, ex. M. P. P., whereby the Shepard & Morse concern will secure all of the better class of logs cut on the Lumsden limits this winter. It is expected that between six and seven million feet will be secured by this move alone.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa is asking for tenders up to January 14th for a permit to cut timber on Berth No. 1039, comprising section 30, township 2, range 12, in the Province of Manitoba, containing an area of one square mile; also until January 21st for licenses to cut timber on Berth No. 1037 on the north side of Bad Throat river, comprising ten square miles, and Berth No. 1036, comprising section 30, township 4, range 10, containing one square mile, both in the province of Manitoba.

Stocks at the present time, says the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen, are very evenly balanced in the lower grades, but in many instances are in bad shape in the upper grades, some of the items being out of stock almost altogether. A feature of the market is considerable buying by the Chicago and Kansas City packing houses of No.4 lumber for packing purposes and boxes. Lath is selling well, bringing the list price. Mixed of good quality are sold for $3, while the straight white pine lath brings $3.50. White pine shingles are rather an erratic sort of an article, selling in some instances 25 cents off the list and in other cases selling at the list prices.

THE LUMBER TRADE AT DULUTH.

In accordance with their annual custom, the inspectors and shippers of lumber at Duluth have prepared their annual statement of the production, shipments and other matters of interest of a statistical nature, relating to the mills on the Duluth-Superior harbour for the year ending December 1.

Early in the season it was expected that the production and shipments would both be less than in 1901, but, on the contrary, there has been an increase in both directions. The following comparative statements, December 1, 1901, to December 1, 1902, will be of widespread interest in the lumber trade:

	feet.
Production, 1902	442,585,000
Production, 1901	423,511,000
Shipments, 1902	465,230,000
Shipments, 1901	449,470,000
Total on hand, 1902	119,417,000
Total on hand, 1901	142,062,000
Total for sale, 1902	66,161,000
Total for sale, 1901	51,503,000

The production of lumber on the Duluth-Superior harbour was 19,074,000 feet greater than in 1901. Compared with stocks on December 1, 1901, there was 23,645,000 feet less lumber on hand on the same date this year, and there is an excess of 14,658,000 feet for sale as compared with a year ago.

The report states, also, that rail lumber shipments for water shipment will bring the total shipments by water from the head of Lake Superior to about 550,000,000 feet for 1902.

IT PAYS TO ADAERTISE IN THE LUMBERMAN.

Mr. J. S. O'Brien, of Antigonish, Nova Scotia, whose advertisement has appeared in the weekly CANADA LUMBERMAN for three months past, writes:—"I paid draft for advertisement, and I must say that I never felt that I got as good value for any money paid by me. I am astonished at the circulation your paper has. It seems to go everywhere. I don't want you to think I am giving you blarney. I am not. I say what I think. I look upon your paper as a friend. I wish you the success you most undoubtedly deserve."

EXTENSIVE TIMBER LIMIT SALE.

A dispatch from Ottawa says that it is learned on good authority that McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, have purchased from Alex. Barnet, of Renfrew, a pine timber limit on the Petawawa river comprising one of the largest blocks of high grade pine tributary to the Ottawa river. The price is said to be in the neighborhood of $1,000,000.

DOORS AND MOULDINGS.

A large buyer of Canadian white pine doors and mouldings is open to contract with a mill for their entire output of No. 3 and 4 qualities of doors and all their mouldings during 1902. Write in first instance to "Empire," CANADA LUMBERMAN.

The annual meeting of the Hardwood Manufacturers Association of the United States will be held at the Grand Hotel, Cincinnatti, Ohio, on January 27th and 28th, 1903.

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REMARKABLE HARDWOOD SITUATION.

Perhaps we have made the observation before, but it will bear repetition, that in the hardwood business the present is a really wonderful condition. Probably never before, in proportion to the demand, has there been such a small amount of hardwood lumber available. The scarcity of dry stock affects everybody but the few heavy consumers and perhaps a few heavy dealers who contract their supply so far ahead that they are not affected by the conditions of a year. Not only is this so but all parts of the country are in substantially the same shape. There is no lumber worth speaking of anywhere at the mills or in the markets of the east or west.

The American Lumberman says that the scarcity is almost the same in all the diffe ent kinds of woods. Some are in more plentiful supply than others, but in none is there a satisfactory quantity. Not only are consumers and dealers looking for stock but manufacturers themselves. There are many heavy saw mill men who have their regular trade that they wish to supply. Being unable this year to meet the requirements of their customers from their own stocks they are in the market for additional supplies. Producers who never did such a thing before are now trying to buy. This is particularly noticeable with the quartered oak producers. Instances have been known where such people have within a week paid $4 a thousand more for common quartered oak than they would have had to pay four weeks ago and they are unable to find at any price the quantity that they want.

As to first and second quartered oak the market is almost bare and it is hardly possible to quote a price which will fairly represent the market. In Chicago there is a wide range, with its lowest limit at above $60. Red quartered is practically exhausted. An anomalous condition is seen in the prices of plain sawed red and white oak. They are almost as scarce as quartered sawed, but the price has advanced hardly at all within the last six months. One reason for this may be that the supply of plain sawed oak can be replenished with much ease as compared with quarter sawed, though, of course, in either case there remains the problem of drying.

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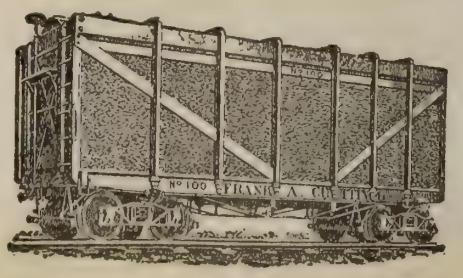

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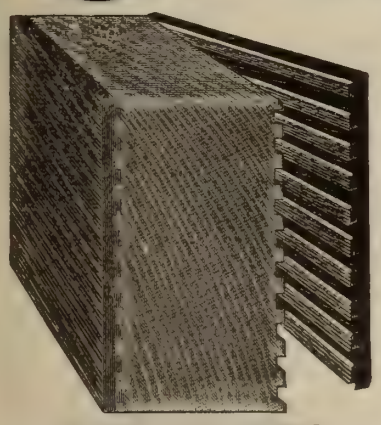

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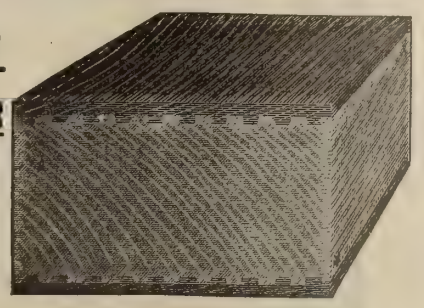

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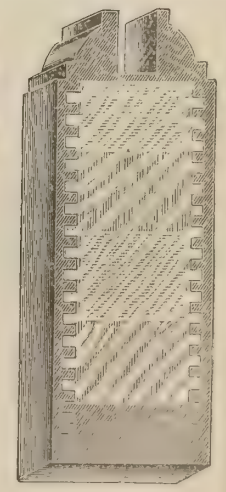

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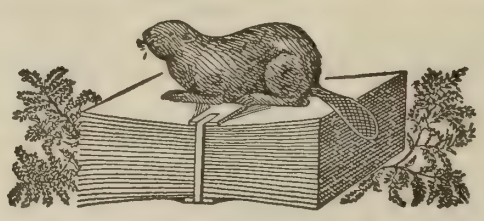

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The developments of the past week have but borne out the prediction that there would be a firm market for lumber throughout the winter months. We are told of the visit, even at this early date, of Chicago and eastern buyers to the mills in the Georgian Bay district for the purpose of picking up suitable lots of dry stock and of arranging for a supply for spring shipment. Already a large percentage of the white pine cut of the coming season has been placed under contract, and we have reason to believe that the prices have been very favorable to the seller.

The Ottawa Valley production of deals for the British market, which will be less in quantity than last year, has to a large extent been purchased by the middlemen. W. & J. Sharples have secured the Edwards and Hawkesbury cuts; Watson & Todd the Arnprior cut of McLachlan Bros.; Cox & Company the cut of Maclaren & Company, Buckingham; The McArthur Export Company the cut of Gillies Bros., Braeside; Duncan, Ewing & Company the cut of McLaurin & McLaren, East Templeton, and Dobell, Beckett & Company and W. & J. Sharpels the cut of the Three Rivers mills. The balance of the cuts are under negotiation and will no doubt be immediately contracted for. The price, in nearly every case, represents an advance on last year's figures.

In hemlock and hardwoods the market is steadily gaining strength and seems likely to reach a higher basis for the 1903 production. Some classes of hardwood lumber are so scarce that dealers have abandoned all efforts to find a stock sufficiently large to handle at a profit, and are devoting their attention to placing contracts for the new cut.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Quebec spruce lumber is being contracted for quite freely, a large portion of the deal production having already been purchased at an advance on last year's prices. On account of the increased cost of logging there seems little probability that the cut will be any larger than last year, while by some it is predicted that the quantity of logs taken out for lumber will this season show a reduction. The increased cost of stumpage will also tend to sustain prices. The figures of the Miramichi lumber trade have been given out. The total shipments for the season were 122,000,000 feet, a decrease of 7,000,000 feet as compared with the previous year. The

winter stock shows a reduction of approximately 15,000,000 feet.

The lumbermen regard the outlook for spruce lumber in a very favorable light. Logging operations are progressing satisfactorily and most of the mills expect to secure a full stock of logs. In some parts of Nova Scotia, however, limited operations are the rule and loggers are giving more attention to cutting pulp wood.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumbermen of the west are in good spirits over the successful year just closed and the prospects for a continuance of the good times. In Winnipeg alone $2,395,000 was expended in 1902 in building operations, and at outside points there was corresponding activity, which called for a large consumption of lumber. During the current year farm building improvements promise to be an important factor in the lumber trade, and dealers are already stocking up to meet the demand. Prices remain about stationary, with a disposition to buy at present values in anticipation of an advance towards spring. In British Columbia the high price of logs overshadows every other feature of the lumber business. Record prices have recently been paid, with no prospect of an immediate change to a normal basis.

UNITED STATES.

The price list committee of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association at a meeting last week decided to make no advance in the price of dimension timber. One of the main objections was that the beginning of the year was no time to make such an advance, which might discourage prospective building operations. Fear of competition from yellow pine was advanced as another reason for continuing the price on the old basis. It was decided, however, to make an advance of $1 on No. 1 4-inch fencing in all lengths and No. 2 4-inch fencing in 16 foot lengths. Eight inch selects were made the same price as 10-inch, which is equivelant to an advance of $1. The statements given out at the meeting showed the white pine trade to be in a prosperous condition. While trade is light owing to weather conditions, there is a bright outlook for an active spring business. Box makers at Buffalo have advanced prices, in some cases equal to 10 per cent. Norway pine is scarce and other lumber is taking the place of it in many cases. Prices of hardwood lumber are steadily growing stronger, under the lead of quarter sawed oak. The scarcity of basswood has not been relieved, and it is remarkable that prices do not advance sharply. Black ash, elm and red birch sell freely, while maple is quieter. There continues to be an excellent inquiry for spruce. Clapboards are practically out of the market and there is an improved demand for laths, which have recovered the slight weakness which prevailed a fortnight ago.

GREAT BRITAIN.

In respect to business for the coming season little can be said, as there have been no new developments during the week under review. The buying tendency is exceptionally dull, buyers and sellers showing no desire to come together. Importers seem to fear a retrograde movement which would render unprofitable contracts closed at present prices. Still the prospects for the new year are fairly prosperous and business is sure to become more active in the immediate future. Prices for lumber in stock are very firm; 3 x 9 second quality spruce is quoted at £10 10s and third quality at £9 15s per standard. It is predicted that prices for next season will be 10 shillings in advance of 1902 contract figures. Of pine the Timber News says: Canadian pine is realizing unheard of prices, particularly the first quality broads and planks. The broad pine is unusually scarce; in fact, all pine is scarce, but the broads especially so. The last sale of a small line of 3 by 12/22 1st pine, 12/13 feet, was arranged at £33 10s per standard, but it is extremely doubtful if similar stocks could be had now even at this fancy figure. For the plank (3 by 11) £31 10s is being obtained, in small quantities, for good shipments. Second and third quality plank and deals are proportionately as dear.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The city of Sherbrooke, Quebec, is asking for tenders up to January 20th for supply of 50,000 feet of lumber.

A. J. Seaman, of Port Arthur, Ont., has secured the contract to manufacture 1,600,000 feet of lumber at Nepigon, where he is setting up a portable mill.

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Company is taking tenders for the supply of 5,000 spruce, pine or tamarack piles for the construction of a flour mill and elevator at Fort William, Ont.

At North Tonawanda lath are as scarce as ever and dealers are just about cleaned out of this item. Shingles are a little more plentiful than usual, but they are held at good prices.

It is reported that Buffalo dealers will make a further advance in the price of hemlock lumber, which is now selling on the basis of $15. The demand, especially for boards, is strong.

McArthur Bros. have contracted with the Escanaba Woodenware Co., of Escanaba, Michigan, for 40,000 cubic feet of rock elm, to be shipped to London, Eng., by vessel early next spring.

The Turner Lumber Company, of Midland, Ont., are putting in 50,000,000 feet of logs this winter, 25,000,000 of which will be manufactured at South River and 25,000,000 feet at Midland. They also are holding over 10,000,000 feet of logs to be cut at Midland the coming season.

December business at Saginaw, Mich., was fairly good in box stuff, the demand holding up active, and there is a belief that box lumber will be a scarce commodity before spring. Some orders are placed for stock to be delivered early in the year.

In Chicago pine piece stuff is selling on the basis of $18.50 to $19; 1-inch A select stock, $70 to $75; 1¼ to 2-inch shop, $50; clear finish, $80; thick uppers, $90; No. 1 common stock boards in 8 and 10 inch widths, $23.50 to $24; No. 1 fencing, $28; 2x12 in 14 and 16 foot, $22.50; hemlock piece stuff, $15.50 and $16.

During the past season Buffalo received by lake 208,586,000 feet of lumber, as against 200,548,000 feet in 1901. The stock of white pine in that city is larger than one year ago, though this is not true of hardwoods. Bay City dealers report a good trade in hardwood lumber. Up the lines of railroad log run hard maple is quoted at $13 to $13.50, basswood at $20 and hemlock at $9.50.

Large quantities of pulp wood will be taken out this winter in the province of Quebec. In the St. Maurice river over 20,000 cords will be cut. The Laurentide Pulp Company expect to get out 50,000 cords in the Grand Mere district, and the E.B. Eddy Company will secure the same amount in the Gatineau district and the Temiscaming district. The Belgo-Canadian Pulp Company is figuring on securing at least 20,000 cords, while the export to the United States will be larger than usual.

Logs are so scarce in British Columbia that recently a buyer offered $8 per thousand feet for the contents of two booms which are lying at one of the up-coast inlets. Ordinarily the logs, which were fir, would not bring more than $4.50 or $5 per thousand, although for several months they have brought from $6.50 to $7 per thousand. These excessive prices are due to the labor famine. The wages of woodsmen have been higher during the past fall than for many years past. Competent men can secure almost any pay in reason.

John Kilburn, a large logging operator in Quebec, reports the outlook for the season's work to be very promising. The cut in Quebec this winter will be about up to the average. Mr. Kilburn will cut from 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 feet in Quebec, and on the American side about 1,500,000. The cut on the Allegash this winter will not be as heavy as last winter, but there will be a larger cut on Black River. John McConnell, of Marysville, will cut from 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 feet on the Black River, he being one of the heaviest operators. The output on the Tobique this season promises to be as large as last.

A. A. Scott, of McGregor, Ont., expresses the following views on the cooperage stock market: "No. 1 and sugar stock has been in good demand all season. The result is, I believe, there is little or no stock of this class in the hands of manufacturers. The price for this grade of stock has advanced from 50cents to $1 over last season's figures. There is, however, a large stock of No. 2 staves on hand which are being offered at a reduction of from 50 cents to $1. The demand for hoops has been good all season, and prices have advanced from 50 cents to $1. I am safe in saying that we need net expect a shrinkage in prices for either hoops, heading or No. 1 stavesd uring 1903.

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Birkenhead	2,005,242
Manchester	34,754,366
Barrow	5,118,365
Preston	3,426,000
Cardiff	20,139,606
Sharpness	14,324,589
Bristol	3,471,005
Barry	1,850,879
Avonmouth	2,637,118
Newport	3,633,104
Swansea	3,466,251
Glasgow	15,896,385
Ayr	669,332
London	10,293,428
Sutton Bridge Dock	755,216
Limerick	3,518,190
Londonderry	1,866,856
Belfast	3,626,546
Dublin	11,595,324
Cork	1,872,574
Youghall	506,043
Drogheda	454,060
Bantry	801,035
Malaga	856,501
Lisbon	598,378
Bilboa	554,684
Valencia	842,368
Cora Blanca	96,572
Santa Cruz	1,197,306
Melbourne (Australia)	3,192,195
Total	200,662,534

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HARDWOODS AT BUFFALO.

Of the hardwood market at Buffalo the American Lumberman says:

Demand is such that practically all dealers report a decrease of stock and no prospect of making up the deficiency right away. The scarcity of quartered oak is such that the present price, $66 to $68 for inch, is not considered enough. One dealer is certain that it will be $70 inside of two weeks. Others agree that the tendency is in that direction. The scarcity of oak is equaled by that of basswood and cherry. Basswood does not go up materially, as it is used in many branches of the business that cannot afford to pay a high price. Cherry makes its own price. Every dealer has his own and if the first customer fails to pay it the second takes it. There is some white ash on the market, but it is not in much demand. Black ash and elm sell well, and red birch is wanted everywhere. There is less call for maple than formerly.

DOORS AND MILL WORK.

The new year starts in with bright auspices for the manufacturers and distributers of doors and mill work. Scarcely any of the distributing houses have been actively canvassing the trade during the past two weeks, but their attention has been devoted mainly to closing up the work of the old year, inventorying of stock and preparations for an active prosecution of business starting in this week through the year. Still there has been a fairly good trade, many door men pronouncing the demand the past week as being of unusual volume and urgency for the holiday season and the general expression having been that December was, all things considered, one of the best months of the year. Door men usually expect very little business in December, but the past month was a record-breaker and carried with it a good augury for an active trade during the rest of the winter and spring.

The attention of Canadian lumber manufacturers is directed to the announcement of William Sutcliffe, Sons & Company, of Liverpool, England, on page viii of this paper. They wish to secure the British agency for a Canadian firm at present unrepresented on the other side.

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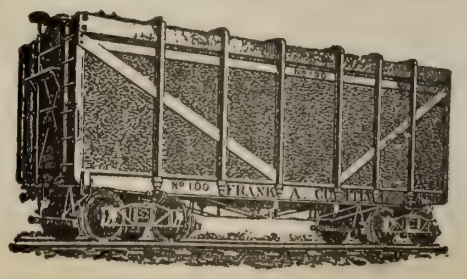

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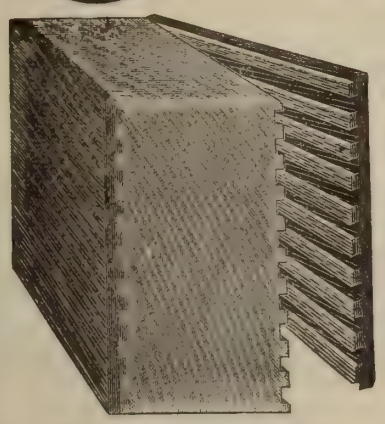

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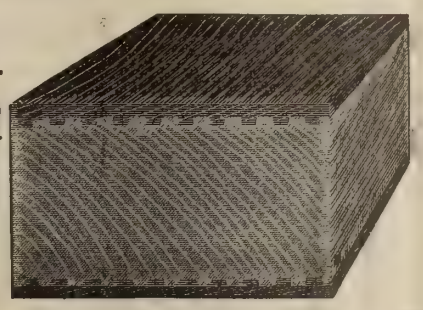

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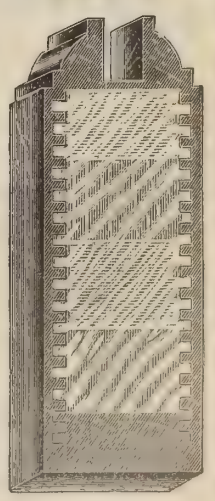

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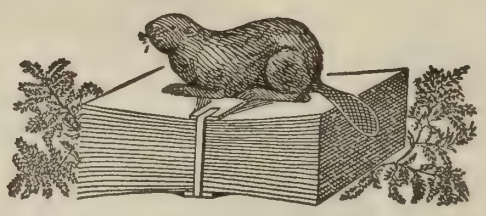

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2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	19 00	20 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding mill run	18 00	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		16 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		14 50
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X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in		3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 65

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Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
" 1½ to 2 "	23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1¼"	3 24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2 32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
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OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$36 00	38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips : 1 in	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	32 00	36 00
2 in	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts : 1 in	22 00	26 00
1¼ in and 1½ in	24 00	28 00
2 in	27 00	32
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	20 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	9 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M : No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles : Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 15	2 40
xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
xx, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles : Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 6	1 90
xxxx 16 inch	2 25	2 50
xx, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in	70 00
2½ and 3 in	80 00	2½ and 3 in	75 00
4 in	80 00	4 in	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in	58 00	4 in	70 00
2 in	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in	60 00
2 in	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x5 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in	30 00	8 and 7 in	22 00
10 in	24 00	No. 3, 12 in	21 00
9 in	23 00	10 in	19 00
8 and 7 in	23 00	9 in	18 50
No. 2, 12 in	25 00	8 in	19 00
10 in	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 25

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	80	82	1x12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up		24
1 to 2 in	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common		20
2 to 2 in	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		20
1 to 2 in	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12		27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22	24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25	26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8		21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35	40
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	30
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		32
1x10 inch shippers		21			

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

LATH.

Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$ $3

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

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2½ and 3 in	80 00		38 50
4 in	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	
Selects, 1 to 2 in	68 00		48 00
2½ and 3 in	75 00	No. 2 Mou ding Strips, 1 to 2 in	24 00
4 in	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in	55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in	58 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
2 in	62 00	No. 2, 10 in	24 00
3 in	70 00	No. 2, 12 in	26 00
4 in	75 00	No. 3, 10 in	20 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in	42 00	No. 3, 12 in	23 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in	24 00	1x6 & up	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x10	18 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	25 00	1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in	34 00	1x13 and up	20 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in	19 00
1½ in	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda :

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st &2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st &2nd, soft	18 00	20 0
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Commonand culls	9 00	11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The most noticeable features of general market conditions are the strength of prices and the marked degree of hopefulness as to the outlook for spring business. There does not seem to be an unfavorable indication. Architects throughout the province have a large volume of work in their hands, with instructions to proceed with building operations as soon as possible in the spring. This branch of industry promises to consume fully as much lumber as during the past year, when a very satisfactory trade was done. In the face of the present price of lumber and other materials, the bright outlook for building is regarded with significance.

There is not the slightest indication of a break in lumber prices. Manufacturers report that the number of buyers visiting their mills is increasing almost daily, and that they show a willingness to contract for stock at current prices. A few manufacturers are accepting $18 for log-run pine, while others are holding for $20. There is very little dry stock to be obtained. It is not uncommon to learn of manufacturers who cut as much as 20,000,000 feet the past season having less than 1,000,000 feet of unsold stock in their yards.

Everyone in the hardwood trade is looking for an advance in prices. They point out that the appreciation in hardwoods has not been in proportion to that in pine, and that it is each year becoming the more difficult to secure hardwood logs. For mill-run birch from $17 to $18 at the mill is being asked. Dealers are endeavoring to purchase hardwood logs so as to ensure a supply of lumber.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The statement of the wintering stocks at Quebec has been issued and shows a decrease in many items as compared with one year ago. Although the supply of waney pine was 1,830,120 cubic feet, or 400,000 cubic feet more than one year ago, the stock carried over is 100,000

cubic feet less. These figures indicate a materially larger export. Of square pine the stock is 200,000 cubic feet less, resulting largely from a decreased supply. In the hardwoods birch and elm are in lighter stock, while oak and ash are heavier by 60,000 and 25,000 cubic feet respectively. Spruce deals are represented by 8,000,000 feet, a light stock, although 1,300,000 feet more than one year ago. The present outlook is for a strong market in the spring.

In Quebec and New Brunswick logging operations are active, although until recently mild weather prevented successful work in Nova Scotia. The log production will not be excessive. Manufacturers are holding firmly to prices, and from the number of inquiries received expect to have no difficulty in disposing of their season's production at good prices. New Brunswick shingles and laths are still scarce.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The present quiet season in the lumber trade is welcomed by manufacturers, who will thus be enabled to reduce the number of unfilled orders on their books. The building trade throughout the west was so active last year that in the fall there developed a great scarcity of building material, as the result of which many buildings, especially in the city of Winnipeg, remain in an uncompleted state. Weather conditions until the close of the year were favorable for outdoor work, but it was found impossible to secure material. Every effort will be made to resume work early in the spring, and the movement of lumber in anticipation thereof may be expected shortly. Prices of British Columbia lumber continue firm, with no indication of a decline.

UNITED STATES.

From point of demand from retailers and consumers the past week has been quiet. Prices on all classes of lumber, however, have been maintained. Buyers are now contracting for the 1903 cut, and in many cases the prices paid are higher than one year ago. Fear of a further advance in the spring has stimulated business and brought into the market buyers who intended to defer purchasing until the spring. The outlook for the new cut is very bright, although it is believed that manufacturers will discourage further advances, on the ground that if prices can be kept normal the consumption will be larger. The box shook trade is active and there may be an advance in box material in the near future. At Buffalo and Tonawanda there is a great scarcity of 2-inch cuts, which have been marked up to $55 to $57 for No. 1, and $43 to $45 for No. 2. A price record was recently made in Boston, when upwards of $100 was paid for wide widths of white pine.

Hardwood lumber is stiffening in price, the scarcity of dry stock being almost without a parallel. Considering the light supply, prices should advance still further. There is no supply of basswood.

The shingle market is a little quiet but stocks are small. In the Saginaw Valley white pine are worth $3.10 and $4.15.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Statistics of stocks on hand on December 31st last have been received as yet only from the port of Glasgow. These clearly explain the high price of first-quality pine deals, the stock of which is but 456 standards, as compared with 713 standards one year ago. Of second-quality pine the stock is but 1,186 standards against 507 standards at same time last year. It is difficult to account for the disparity between the two stocks, and many importers are of the opinion that the lower prices for second-quality pine will stimulate consumption. There is a slightly larger stock of third and fourth quality pine, but red pine is less than one-third that of last year. Quebec spruce deals is in heavier stock, the supply being 5,054 standards, against 3,752 standards one year ago. It is not known how far these figures reflect the stock situation at other British centres, but it will probably be found that London and Liverpool have a lighter stock comparatively. The stock of red pine is so light that there should be a favorable opportunity for early imports in the spring. The stock of oak logs is considerably increased from last year, although prices have advanced and now range about 3s. 6d. to 3s. 9d. for logs 48 feet long and 12 inches in diameter. Prices of elm are a shade weaker, while birch shows a firmer tendency. Ash is dull, partly on account of the unsatisfactory condition of the furniture trade. Prices range from 18s. 6d. for 22-inch average up to 23s. for 15-inch.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

W. W. Carter, of Fesserton, Ont., has five camps in operation at Uhthoff and will have a large stock of logs for next season.

W. H. Higgins, of Vancouver, B. C., who already has two logging camps up the coast, is opening up a third camp at Malaspina Inlet.

The city of Winnipeg, Man., is asking for tenders up to February 3rd for the supply of from 1,000 to 1,500 cords of cedar paving wood.

In the Tonawanda market better prices are being obtained for spruce than for some time, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 being quoted at $28, $23 and $20 respectively.

The Holland & Graves Lumber Company, of Byng Inlet, Ont., are employing between 800 and 1,000 men in the woods this winter and expect to put in 60,000,000 feet of logs.

S. O. Fisher, of Bay City, who is operating near Blind River, Ont., has thirteen camps going and nearly 25,000,000 feet of logs on the skids ready for hauling. He expects to get in 30,000,000 feet.

The stock of lumber at Cleveland, Ohio, is about the same as at this time last year, although there is a lighter supply of lath and shingles. Stocks are as a rule much greener. Dry lumber is out of the question unless it be kiln-dried.

Timber berths will be offered for sale at the Parliament Buildings, Fredericton, N. B., on January 21st as follows: 16 sq. miles on Cain's river, Thamas W. Flett, applicant; 5 sq. miles on Portage river, Kent county, J. & T. Jardine, applicants; 4½ sq. miles on Cain's river, Thos. W. Flett, applicant.

A scarcity of No. 1 elm staves is reported. The second-class staves for apple barrels were not all used up, so an increased amount of this grade is being put into flour barrels. First-class elm flour barrel staves are worth $8.50 to $8.75; basswood heading, 5¾ to 6 cents; hoops, $11.25 to $11.50 for 6-foot coiled and $10.75 to $11 for 5½-foot.

In the Chicago market retail prices on pine piece stuff range from $17.50 to $18.50 for short narrow stock up to 2x8, and from $19 to $21 for 18-foot and upwards. No. 1 common boards are quoted at $20.50 to $21.50, No. 2 at $18.50 to $19, and No. 3 at $16. No. 1 shop and better hold exceedingly firm, thick shop being quoted at $50 f. o. b. yards.

Under date of December 20th Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "Arrivals have been the "Dixon Rice" from Weymouth, N. S., with 219,000 feet spruce and white pine; the "Lillian Blauvelt", from Tusket, N. S., with 225,000 feet white pine and spruce; and the "Lewanika," from St. John, N. B., with 312,000 feet white pine. These cargoes had all been contracted for and will give sufficient for immediate wants, but further supplies will be needed. We could readily place a cargo of spruce at about $22 to $22.50 for shipping and $18 to $18.50 for seconds. The only arrival of shingles is 168,000 Laying Cedar by the "Lewanika," now on offer. There is very little inquiry at this season, but we hear that a cargo of this description is expected."

Although hardwoods advanced fully 25 per cent. in 1902 the tendency, the Mississippi Valley Lumberman says, is still towards better values, and the market is strong, with active trading. White quartered oak brings $60 to $65 in car lots, and red sells at $50. Basswood is a ready sale at $30 and upward and cottonwood shows a jump of $10 within a year. There was no let-up in the general inquiry for all kinds of hardwoods the past few days and the point has been raised as to how large consumers are to get along, especially those who have no surplus stock to run for the next five months. Buyers are in the market right along and the trade is above the average for the opening of the year. There are no new features in any wood. All are having a good sale and the trade is gradually becoming accustomed to a higher level of values.

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The total quantity of square timber and waney timber for export from Quebec next summer will reach 2,500,000 cubic feet.

Reports from the limits show that the work is progressing satisfactorily, although a scarcity of teams is reported from some districts. Trouble was experienced up to a week ago getting supplies in at certain points on the Upper Ottawa, as the ice was either absent entirely or insecure. Supplies had to be taken across by ferry at a cost five times increased over normal conditions. The intense cold of the past few days has, however, remedied this trouble.

All the deals of the cut of 1903 have been sold, and the ten per cent. advance over last year's prices mentioned on the first sales made early in the Fall has been maintained. A reference made in a recent letter to a similarity in prices between the two years referred to small lots of lumber picked up for the local or the American markets.

Inquiry at the local railway offices goes to show that lumber shipments are very slow at present. Car shortage and the lull natural to the turn of the year are held responsible for this. There is practically no manufactured lumber on the market.

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TIMBER LIMIT TRANSFERS.

Timber limits in the Maritime Provinces are changing hands quite actively. In Restigouche County, N. B., the Shives Lumber Company have acquired the Muskoka property; the Wm. Richards Company, of Miramichi, now control the Alexander property and Hilyard Bros. and Geo. McKean, of St. John, have just purchased the timber properties of Geo. Moffatt, of Dalhousie. The limits include 450 square miles in Restigouche county and a large tract in Quebec, and in addition large milling privileges. The price is said to be $200,000.

C. J. Willis & Company, of Sackville, N. B., have purchased the timber limits and mills in Newfoundland held by the St. George's Lumber Company, which is composed almost entirely of New Glasgow parties. The limits are situated between Bay St. George and the Bay of Islands, and consist of several alternate lots which are intersected by the Reid Railway, and comprise some 300 square miles or about 197,000 acres of virgin timber land. There are splendid saw mills in conjunction. Owing to the lateness of the season only about 8,000,000 feet of logs will be taken out this winter, but it is Mr. Willis' intention to cut from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 feet each year.

A syndicate of Halifax capitalists headed by Mr. Davidson have secured control of the St. Croix timber properties of Mr. T. G. McMullen, of Truro, and the South Maitland property of the same gentleman ha passed into the possession of Mr. Herbert Crowe, of Dartmouth, and Mr. C. E. Crowe, of Old Barns, Colchester county. In addition to the limits it includes a large modern mill at South Maitland Station. The purchase price of this property is not announced, but it is thought to be over $50,000. The new firm will take over the outstanding contracts of the former owners, together with about one million feet of logs now in the mill pond.

The Tobique Manufacturing Company, of which Mr. F. H. Hale, M. P., was the originator, are reported to have disposed of their timber limit holdings to Donald Fraser & Sons, of Fredericton, N. B.

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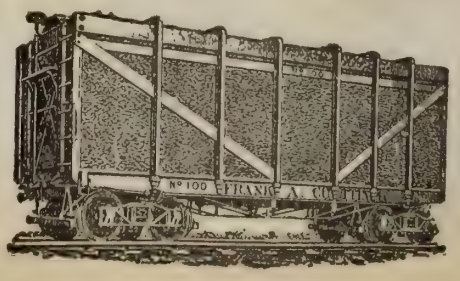

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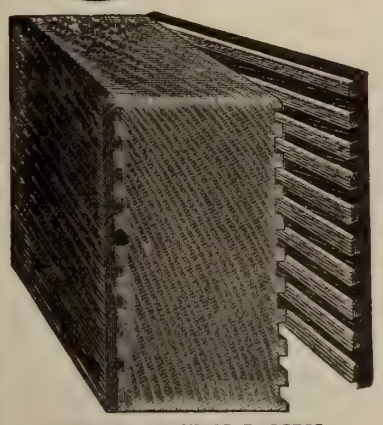

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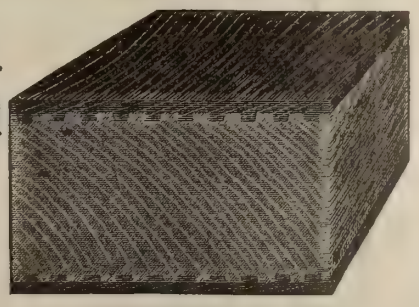

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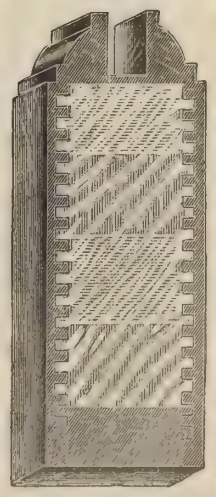

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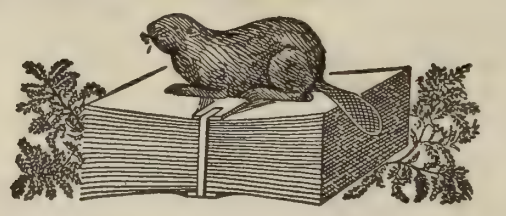

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Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	20 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	17	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	9 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00

Lath, per M:

No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25

Pine Shingles:

Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 15	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50

Cedar Shingles:

Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 6	1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25	2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	45	53
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	48	56
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	47	57

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order, " " "	26	30

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	32	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	25
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	12
16 " "	24	29
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 11in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	80	82	1x12 inch shippers $ 24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up .. 18
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 35 37
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12 27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10 24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8 22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12 25 26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 40
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 20
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common 32
1x10 inch shippers		21	

LATH.

Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$3 0

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	34 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1½ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	48 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st &2nd, white, 6' & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com & good culls	12 00	14 0

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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SPRUCE SPILES, ANY LENGTH. HAVE also a large quantity of butternut, can cut to order. Apply FARLEY BROS., Hull, Que.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Sales of the coming season's cut are becoming more frequent. Numerous buyers are visiting the leading producing points and taking an inventory of stocks on hand and to be cut. Where excessive prices are not asked a disposition is shown to close contracts, as in some quarters it is predicted that there will be an early advance in some of the lower grades of pine lumber. It is clearly evident that dealers are accumulating stocks at every opportunity in anticipation of an active spring trade. After the spring requirements are supplied, there may be a slight weakening in prices, but no person looks for any decline before midsummer. If trade should expand to the extent that now seems probable, the demand would likely be sufficient to sustain the present range of values well through the year. Pine culls are moving more freely. The shingle market is steady, with the demand somewhat quiet. No new features have developed in the hardwood market. The number of enquiries received is daily increasing, indicating a decided shortage of stocks in the hand of dealers and consumers. Before the new cut is ready for the market there will doubtless have developed a famine in stock such as has not been known for some time, and a higher range of values seems imminent. Satisfactory progress is being made with logging operations.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The buying of spruce lumber has indicated that present prices are likely to be maintained. Dealers have bought quite heavily for export to Great Britain, and the cuts of the leading mills have passed out of first hands. The lower grades have come into prominence on account of increased buying by box concerns and for shipment to the Eastern States. Shippers are asking increased prices for square and waney timber. They anticipate a good demand and strong market throughout the year. There is no particular change in New Brunswick stock. Cedar shingles are rather quiet, but the price of $3.50 for extras on Boston rate of freight is still the average selling figure. Laths are slightly weaker on account of lower quotations from New York.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Many of the dealers are now visiting the lumbering producing points for the purpose of purchasing their supplies for the coming season. It is predicted, even at this early date, that the mills will be unable to supply the demand for lumber in the west. Arrangements are being made to

commence building operations early in the spring, and it is believed that the rush for lumber will result in at least a temporary advance, with a strong probability of a higher range of values continuing throughout the year. Dealers are looking towards British Columbia to supply a large proportion of the season's requirements, many new mills having recently been erected in that province.

UNITED STATES.

The market has shown greater activity. Dealers are looking for opportunities to buy lumber, and while there is some complaint that manufacturers have set their figures too high, there is reason to believe that dealers will have to meet them. The statement of production and stocks on hand, referred to elsewhere, shows that the supply of white pine at the close of last year was nearly 300,000,000 feet less than at the close of 1901. Hardwoods make a still more favorable showing, the stock at the northern mills being about 40 per cent. less than one year ago. These figures offer little ground on which to base the expectation of a decline in lumber prices. At Buffalo white and Norway pine is very firm. The box trade is in better position than at almost any other similar time, and an advance in the price of box lumber is looked for. At Cleveland there has been of late an unusually heavy demand for 6, 8, 10 and 12 inch No. 3 common boards, and on this grade prices have stiffened. The wholesale price is $20 for 6, 8 and 10 inch, and $22.50 for 12 inch. The quantity of lath in the yards in that city at the close of the year was found to be less than anticipated, resulting in very firm prices. No. 1 brings $4.25 and No. 2 $3.75.

The lumber that is now being purchased by retail dealers is largely for factory use, as building lumber has not yet commenced to move. While actual advances on hardwoods are not reported, dealers are in many instances selling above list quotations. Dealers have almost suspended efforts to locate any quantity of basswood, consequently the price is nominal. While the shingle trade is quiet, prices are firm, and dealers are picking up suitable lots wherever they can be found.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Board of Trade returns show that during the year 1902 the import of lumber into the United Kingdom was slightly larger than in the previous year, the figures being 6,676,726 loads and 6,281,000 loads respectively. From Canada the import was 1,639,668 loads in 1902 and 1,517,234 loads in 1901. The consumption was about equal to the import, as the quantity of stock on hand is nearly the same as one year ago. Representatives of Quebec shippers are canvassing in the usual channels for orders and have met with some success, although there seems to be a deep-seated conviction that shippers' prices are too high. Nevertheless, there is no pressure to sell and it is believed that buyers will yield. Prices for lumber in stock are unusually firm. At a recent auction sale several lots of Quebec fourth quality spruce, 3x9 inches wide and 12 feet long, brought £9 per standard, which is said to be the highest price ever obtained under the hammer for this quality. For winter shipments the c. i. f. price is about £7 10s. From another quarter comes the report that spruce deals and battens lying in the docks are selling at £10 5s for 3x9 second quality, £9 15s for 3x9 third quality, and £8 for 3x8. The square timber trade is steady, with prices of birch logs advancing.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

D.L. Mather, of Keewatin, Ont., is taking out about 500,000 ties on Eagle Lake, New Ontario.

Ayton Cromwell, of Cookshire, Que., has taken a contract to cut 200,000 shims for railroads, to be 2 feet long, 6 inches wide and 3 inches thick.

Word has been received that the schooner Carrie Belle has been abandoned at sea. The schooner sailed from St. John, N.B., on January 8th for City Island, with a cargo of 283,543 feet of deals, shipped by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

H.J. Beemer, contractor for the Ottawa, Northern & Western Railway extension to Maniwaki, has been unable to secure sufficient ties from contractors, and has decided to open up a camp in the woods to take out 75,000 ties for the completion of his contract.

It is expected that the cut of logs on the Tobique River, in New Brunswick, this winter will be about 20,000,000 feet. Among the operators are the Tobique Manufacturing Company, Hilyard Bros., R.A. Estey, Donald Fraser & Sons, Senator Baird and A.J. Beveridge.

The Edward Hines Company, of Chicago, are reported to have sold 35,000,000 feet of lumber to the Mills-Gray Carleton Company, of Cleveland, Ohio. The stock is to be cut as Ashland. It is rumored that the Hines Company have completed another sale of 25,000,000 feet to Celveland parties.

The Department of Railways for the Transvaal and Orange River Colony is calling for tenders for the supply of 250,000 deals, 50,000 cubic feet of baulks and scantlings, 5,000,000 lineal feet of ceiling and flooring boards, 1,000,000 lineal feet of skirting, moulding, etc., 9,500 doors, 4,900 windows and 1,750 mantles. The time for the receipt of tenders was January 7th, but the Canadian Commissioner writes that the date will likely be postponed long enough to permit of Canadian firms tendering if they desire.

Under date of January 3rd Messrs. S.P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "The only arrival of white pine to note since our last is the "Olinda" from Halifax, N.S., with 140,000 feet to our address, also a small lot of hemlock. This cargo we placed at Demerara on C. F. terms. The market is in a fair position and white pine could be sold at about $25 or over for shipping and $20.50 for second quality. In spruce there has been no further receipts, but we understand another cargo has been placed for prompt shipment at about same rates as previously advised, and we have placed 100,000 feet of hemlock for future shipment on private terms. The lot of Laying shingles referred to in ours of 20th ultimo was sold at $1.82."

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

In reviewing the timber trade of the Clyde, Messrs. Calder, Henderson & Livingston, Glasgow, say of Canadian timber:

WHITE PINE—WANEY.—There was a full import during the year with a fair demand, and although the stock carried over shows an increase as compared with this time last year, it is by no means too heavy. Prime wood has been in demand and values have reached a high level. 19 to 20 inch string of long average has been selling from 3s 5d to 3s 9d; short girthy timber from 3s 1d to 3s 3d; second class, 2s 3d to 2s 9d per cubic foot. SQUARE— There has been fair demand and what was imported has gone well into consumption. It leaves the stock very similar to last year. Quotations are at 2s 5d to 2s 10d for first-class 35 to 45 feet average; 21d to 2s 2d per c. ft. for good fair average.

RED PINE.—This has been imported more freely than for some years back, but it has gone well into consumption and stocks are moderate. Prime wood of large size only is in demand, and it has been selling at from 1s 10d to 2s 3d per c. ft.

ELM.—While the import has been an average one it has consisted very largely of soft elm. Prime rock elm has been well taken up at prices ranging from 2s 9d to 3s 1d per c. ft for 40 to 50 feet average. Soft elm is practically unsaleable and is quoted at from 18d to 2s per c. ft.

OAK.—There has been a heavy import and as the demand has only been an average one it leaves us with increased stocks. Prime wood 70 to 75 feet average is quoted at 3s 6d to 3s 9d, and second-class from 2s to 2s 8d per c. ft.

ASH.—The import has been much too heavy. When the decreased demand is taken into account, stocks show a material increase. Some parcels have been cleared at very low figures, but current quotations are at 20d to 2s per c. ft. for 14 to 15 inch average.

BIRCH.—The import has been small. Stocks have been reduced and prices are very firm at 20d to 22d per c. ft. for 16 inch average. A noticeable feature this year has been the import of planks, but the business has been overdone, and prices have gone to a low figure. They are quoted at from £9 to £11 per St. Petersburg standard.

DEALS, BATTENS AND BOARDS.—The opening of the year found us with a very low stock of deals of all qualities, and while this had the effect of forcing the merchants to contract for early shipment it had also the effect of making business very free when the Canadian season opened. A good tone has been noticeable throughout the season with a gradual improvement on values, particularly in the higher qualities. Pine—Firsts—The import has never been able to keep pace with the demand, and prices are firm. Quotations are as follows: Broad deals, £28 17s 6d to £35 according to quality and average width: 11 inch, £26 15s to £28 17s 6d. Undersizes, £20 12s 6d to £23 10s. Good sidings, 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch of 10 to 11 inch average width, £24 to £26 15s. Strips, 4 to 7 inch wide, £19 to £21 5s per St. Petersburg standard. Seconds—The quantity of these that has gone into consumption this year has been much above the average, the demand being stimulated by the scarcity of first quality. Broad deals are low in stock and are quoted at £20 12s 6d to £22 10s; 11 inch at £18 10s to £20; undersizes at £13 15s to £15 10s per St. Petersburg standard. Thirds—A good business has been done, but prices show very little advance. 11 inch were quoted throughout the year at from £12 5s to £12 15s; undersizes, at £10 10s to £11 10s per St. Petersburg standard. Fourths—There has been a fair demand for 11 inch and wider, but narrow deals are slow of sale. Quotations are at £9 5s to £10 for 11 inch and wider; £8 5s to £9 for undersizes.

RED PINE—The stock has been greatly reduced, but is still ample. Values are inclined to improve and quotations are at £9 5s to £12 10s per St. Petersburg standard, according to quality and specification.

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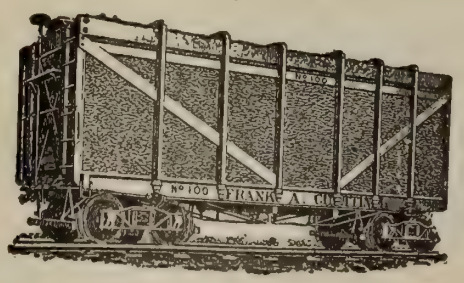

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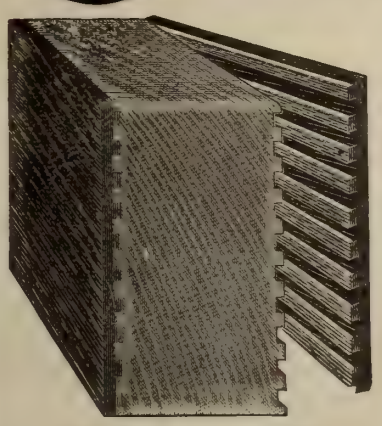

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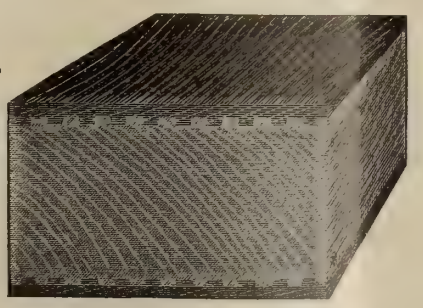

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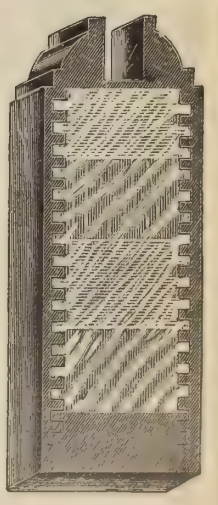

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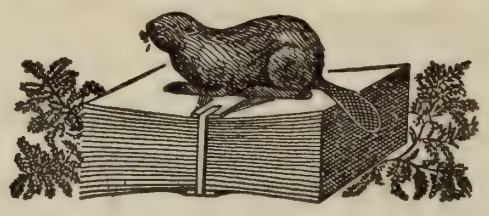

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No. 2	32	45	1x8 22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12 25 26
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1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x 10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

It is not possible to chronicle an actual advance in prices of white pine, but from the standpoint of the manufacturer such a circumstance has transpired. By this statement is meant that the prices which the manufacturers have established as the basis on which to sell the 1903 production represent an advance on what was figured upon one month ago. These prices have not met the views of the buyers. Some are acceding to the demands of the manufacturers and contracting for their season's supply as nearly as it can be estimated; others are holding back and watching the situation with great interest. The situation is an interesting one, but it seems that the manufacturers hold the whip hand, particularly as their action is justified in a large measure by the increased cost of producing lumber. The average asking price of log run pine is perhaps about $20; for a specially fine lot of logs as high as $22 has been asked, but we have heard of no sales at that figure. The American buyers are an aggressive factor in the white pine market, and the competition thus engendered makes the position of the manufacturer a comparatively easy one.

The movement of hardwoods is large considering the supply and the season of the year. Dealers and consumers are anxious to increase their stocks and to arrange for a reasonable supply for the spring and summer, but it has been found difficult to make much headway in that direction. Higher prices are predicted before spring.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is a strong demand in the Eastern Provinces for all classes of timber and lumber. Our Quebec list this week has been advanced to correspond with the general appreciation in the value of square and waney timber. Doubtless the present winter's production will pass from the producer to the shipper at prices heretofore unheard of. Spruce deals are in steady inquiry. For delivery at St. John $15 per

thousand is being paid for a specification of 20 per cent. 11 inch, 45 per cent. 9 inch, and balance 8 and 7 inch. The statement of the St. John river cut published in another column indicates a lighter crop of logs in New Brunswick than last year. The market for New Brunswick cedar shingles is quiet, with a slight tendency towards weakness. The large manufacturers are holding out for $3.50 for extras on Boston rate of freight, but in some instances this price has been shaded about ten cents.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber trade of the western provinces continue to look for an unusually active season. Preparations are being made to meet the increased demand for lumber which will arise not only from extensive building operations but also on account of the steadily increasing number of settlers. A new wholesale list for white pine is about to be put into effect, which will show advances of from $1 to $5 per thousand. Dimension stock will be marked up $1 and finishing stock and selects $5. This advance will be general throughout the west so far as Canadian manufacturers are concerned. Representatives of United States mills who are now in Winnipeg are said to be cutting prices and refusing to act in harmony with the Canadian manufacturers.

UNITED STATES.

It is necessary to look beyond the movement of stock to discover the real strength of the lumber market. Trade is not particularly active, being restricted by the usual winter conditions. Prices, however, are surprisingly strong. At Tonawanda there has been an advance in Nos. 1 and 2 cuts, uppers, selects and fine common, with indications of a further advance as stock diminishes. In the Lake Superior district several sales of white pine have been made at prices about $2 per thousand above those which ruled one year ago. There is renewed agitation for an advance in the price of dimension stock, but no action is likely to be taken before the annual meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association next month. Retail dealers in the Eastern States are believed to be carrying light stocks, and as soon as they become convinced that prices are not likely to decline an active trade may be expected. Hardwoods show no signs of depression. Since the first of the year they have continued to be in good demand. The feature is the strength of plain and quartered oak. In the Buffalo market the range for inch quartered white oak is $66 to $70. Maple has come into greater favor and is being used as a substitute for white ash, which is regarded as too high in price for general use.

The shingle market is stiff. Advice comes from Tonawanda that an advance of ten cents on white pine shingles has taken place, attributed to their growing scarcity at the mills. Lath is quoted in that market at $4 for No. 1 and $3.50 for No. 2, with 25 cents less for Norway.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British timber trade has reached a partial deadlock, and very little business for the coming season has as yet been closed for North of Europe lumber. The prices asked by shippers have reached such a high level that importers decline to purchase. The latter claim that the condition of the trade does not warrant the advanced values. In respect to Canadian lumber the situation is much more favorable the advance being proportionately moderate. Representatives of Quebec shippers are endeavoring to establish an advance of 10 shillings per standard on last year's prices and have already closed some contracts on this basis. It is believed that no difficulty will be encountered in placing the entire stock of spruce at £9 10s and £9 c.i.f. for 3x9 second and third quality spruce respectively. The parcels of spruce per regular liners from St. John, N.B., are being sold on the basis of $7 10s. c.i.f. Prices of pine are correspondingly high, with little prospect of any drop in the market in the near future. At a recent aution sale in London both pine and spruce sold readily and brought fair prices. For 2x6 third quality spruce £7 was obtained, and for 2x5 £6 10s. Small lots of 3x11 third quality were taken at the high figure of £9 15s, and some fourth quality at £8 5s. Attention has been turned to spruce on account of the high price of Baltic whitewood. The Bristol Channel ports import annually a large quantity of 2x3, 2x4 and 3x4 whitewood, but this year much of it will be replaced by spruce scantlings, which can be purchased at £7 2s 6d or £7 5s c.i.f.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

It is understood that the Rat Portage Lumber Company will greatly increase their cut of lumber during the coming season.

The New Brunswick Government will offer for sale on February 4th a timber berth of 2 square miles on the east and west branches of Turtle Creek, the applicant for which is M. Dryden.

—The Dominion Government is asking for tenders by February 4th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 323 lying to the west of Harrison Lake, in British Columbia, and containing 960 acres.

Jobbers at Buffalo quote dry elm staves at $8.50 to $8.75 for first-class, basswood heading at 5¾ to 6 cents, and hoops at $10.75 to $11.25 for 5½ foot and $11 to $11.50 for 6 foot.

Lumbering in the vicinity of St. Martin's, N.B., is quite active. Townes & White are cutting for Carson Bros. Other operators in the vicinity include the O'Neill Lumber Company, Burchill Bros. and the Prescott Lumber Company.

The schooner "V.T.H." sailed last week from Annapolis, N.S., for the West Indies. The "Brigatine" is loading lumber at Bear River, N.S., the "Edward D" at Annapolis, and the "Aldine" at Weymouth, all for the West Indies.

The Steamer Pretorian sailed from St. John, N. B., on Monday last for Liverpool, her cargo including 400 standards of deals. The steamer Indreni sailed on same day for Glasgow with 125 standards of deals, 100 tons of pulp and other cargo.

William Whitmer & Sons, of Philadelphia, have discontinued the lumber yard which they have conducted on Tonawanda Island for some years. The remainder of their stock, about 1,000,000 feet of white pine, was sold to L.H. Swan & Co., of North Tonawanda.

It is reported that Moore, Keppell & Company, of Port Wing, Wisconsin, have sold the entire stock of their mill this year, amounting to about 17,000,000 feet of Norway and white pine, the purchasers being the Nicola, Stone & Myers Company and Potter, Teare & Company, of Cleveland, Ohio.

It is a significant fact that the market at St. John, N. B., for English deals is now quoted very firm at $14.75 f. o. b. vessel at St. John, which is a clear advance of from $2 to $2.50 per thousand over the ruling price of one year ago. Lath are quite steady at $3.20 to $3.25 for one and one-half-inch, and $3.45 for one and five-eighth-inch, Boston delivery. Clapboards are scarce and very firm at previous figures.

During the week ending January 17th W. H. Gilbert of Duluth, Minn., sold about 20,000,000 feet of log run lumber. As an indication of the advance, this stock brought between $17.50 and $18, compared with $16 for the same quality last year. The Red Cliff Lumber Company, Mitchell & McClure and others have also sold a considerable quantity of lumber at prices from $1.50 to $1.75 better than one year ago.

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES

Eastern cedar shingles are a trifle easier, though the large operators and shippers of standard grades are holding out for a basis of $3.50 for extras; it is admitted on all sides that this price is being shaded somewhat, though it is current belief in the market that shingle values will work back to a strong basis before the spring orders commence to come in. The logging operations in the north and east are progressing favorably, with a fair supply of snow at nearly all points for getting logs over to the streams. It is conceded that the input of logs will be limited only by the number of woodsmen which it is possible for the operators to secure for their crews. Up-to-date tbey have been seriously handicapped by the unusually small number of capable men available, but now that the water mills are all closed the mill employees have gone into the woods, thus materially improving the situation.

THE ST. JOHN RIVER LOG PRODUCTION.

The cut of logs on the St. John river and its tributaries in New Brunswick this winter will be less than last season. Last year 141,000,000 was rafted and came through the booms, and 10,500,000 was rafted below the booms. Of the cut of last year the logs were largely American. This year there will be more province logs than last. The estimated cut this year is 134,000,000.

The season has been very favorable and the men have been able to do good work. The estimate of the cut by the parties on the different streams is as follows:

	Feet.
W.J. Noble, Baker Branch	6,000,000
H. A. Atkinson, South West	5,000,000
John Kilburn, North West	7,000,000
J.A. Morrison, Depot Stream	3,000,000
Flavien & Chiounard, Black River	2,000,000
John Sweeney, Brown Bank	3,000,000
Clair & Leveque, Chimintook	4,000,000
Charles Jones, Little Black River	2,000,000
Neil McLean, Little Black River	1,500,000
Thos. Clair, new and old, Little Black River	4,000,000
John R. McConnell, Little Black River	6,000,000
Oliver Studdy, Little Black River	1,000,000
John R. McConnell, St. Francis	1,500,000
Holmes Morrison, St. Francis	6,000,000
Thomas Clair, St. Francis	1,000,000
W.H. Cunliffe Sons, Allegash	9,000,000
J. McAllister Bros., Allegash	3,000,000
John Stevens, Allegash	2,000,000
Sye Dickey, old logs, Allegash	3,000,000
Deucet Landry, main St. John	1,000,000
R.A. Estey, Baker Branch	1,000,000
Oliver Gavette, Madawaska	1,000,000
R.A. Estey, Rockway	4,000,000
James Lynch, Green River	1,000,000
Purvis & Murchie, Green River	2,000,000
Randolph & Baker, Grand River	4,000,000
Patterson Co., Salmon River	4,000,000
Hilyard Bros., Tobique	10,000,000
Tobique Mfg. Co., D. Fraser & Sons, Tobique	10,000,000
R.A. Estey, Tobique	3,000,000
Geo. T. Baird, Tobique	1,000,000
Price & Scott, Keswick	5,000,000
Smaller parties on main river below Grand Falls, hemlock, spruce, and hardwood	10,000,000
In addition to the above the St. John River Lumber Company will get out	7,500,000
Total	134,000,000

A representative meeting of lumbermen from different parts of Nova Scotia was held in Truro on January 21st. The object of the meeting was to place before the railway officials a petition for reduced freight rates for lumber. Messrs. E. Tiffin, general manager, and D. A. Storey, district freight agent of the I. C. R., were present, but could not make any definite promises to the lumbermen. A committee was appointed to draw up a petition, stating in full the request of the lumbermen, and to present it to the railway department.

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From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Cunaxa, for Belfast, 2,253,718 feet deals, 57,308 feet ends, 34,925 feet boards by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Corinthian, for Liverpool, 72,965 feet deals, 51 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 44,437 feet deals, 43,183 feet scantling, 1,162 feet ends, 16,292 feet birch deals, 653 feet birch scantling, 865 feet birch boards, 2,717 feet birch ends by George McKean; 753 bundles maple flooring, by S. D. Young & Company; 306 bundles maple flooring, by Dwight Lumber Company; 9,102 bundles box shooks, by William Thomson & Company. Steamer Lake Megantic, for Avonmouth, 8,680 bundles shooks, 1,000 doors, by Troop & Sons; 100,151 feet deals, by George McKean; 1,320 bundles shooks by A. Cushing & Company. Steamer Loyalist, for London, 17 crates lumber by William Thomson & Company. Schooner P. G. Thompson, for Boston, 31,773 feet scantling, 116,850 feet plank, 43,397 feet boards, 25,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Company. Steamer Athalie, for Barcelona, 1,505,105 feet deals, 52,656 feet ends, by George McKean.

The Pine Lumber Company, of Cartier, Ont., have recently sold the balance of their common and better white pine lumber to C.A. Larkin, of Toronto.

Messrs. James Southern & Son, of Manchester, Eng., in their advertisement in this issue, invite correspondence from Canadian firms in a position to supply 1", 1¼", 1½" spruce boards averaging 6 to 7 inches wide.

Jolin, Chouinard & Cie, saw mill, St. Thecle, Que., have dissolved.

James I. Harris, saw mill, Day Mills, Ont., is reported to have assigned to John H. Glanville.

The following charters are reported: A schooner, 419 tons, Weymouth, N. S., to Buenos Ayres, lumber $8.75; a 900 standard boat, St. John, N. B., to w. c. England, deals, 35s, January or February loading; a 1,400 standard boat, Montreal or Quebec to U. K., deals, 37s 9d., option second port discharge 2s 6d extra, two voyages; two 1,200 standard boats, Bay of Fundy ports, 35s., option N. S. ports, 37s full range U. K.

Freights on lumber from British Columbia and North Coast points are quoted as follows: To Sydney, 31s. 3d. to 32s. 6d; Melbourne or Adelaide, 37s. 6d. to 38s. 9d; Port Pirie, 35s. to 36s. 3d; Fremantle, 47s. 6d. to 50s; Shanghai, 37s. 6d. to 40s; Kiao-Chau, 40s; Taku, 45s; Vladivostock, 40s; West Coast S.A., 32s. 6d. to 35s; South Africa, 52s. 6d. to 57s. 6d; U.K. or Continent, 50s.

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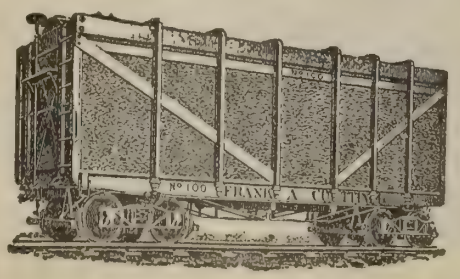

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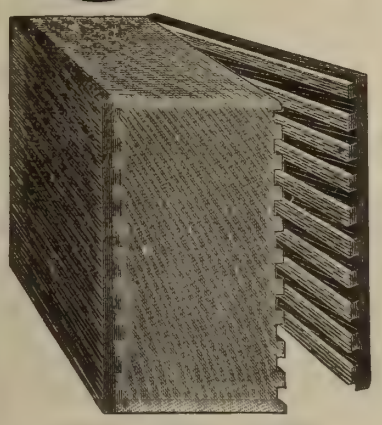

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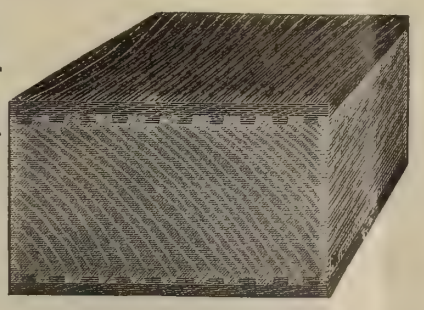

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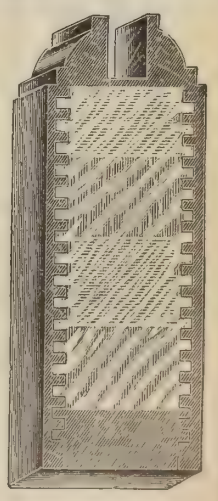

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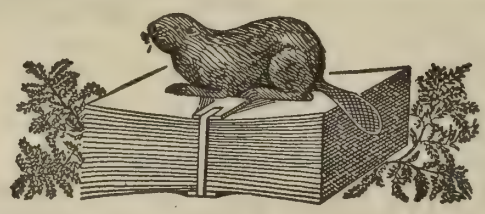

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2 in	34 00	38 00
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1¼ in and 1½ in.	24 00	28 00
2 in.	27 00	32 00
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Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	20 00
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Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles : Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 15	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
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16 " "	24	28
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4 in	80 00	4 in	75 00

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1¼ and 1½ in	58 00	4 in	70 00
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9 in	23 00	10 in	19 00
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10 in	22 00	1x6	19 00
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1 to 2 in	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	37
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No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22	24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25	26
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4 in	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in	55 00	No. 2, 10 in	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in	58 00	No. 2, 12 in	26 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in	20 00
3 in	70 00	No. 3, 12 in	23 00
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No. 2, 1 in	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
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ELM.

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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

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McEachren & Connor, lumber dealers, Alvinston, Ont., have dissolved partnership. The business will be continued by Mr. McEachun.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The situation in respect to white pine is becoming an interesting one. This week we chronicle an advance in the Ottawa quotations for several of the common grades, with more liberal buying than has been reported for some time. The hesitation of buyers which was in evidence in early January has given place to a strong desire to contract for stock at late quotations, but in some instances manufacturers are putting out new lists showing a substantial advance. The recent mild weather is responsible in part for the higher values. In certain logging districts the snow has almost entirely disappeared and efforts to get logs out of the woods have been abandoned, temporarily at least. Should these conditions continue for any length of time the result will be serious to lumbermen, most of whom have many logs yet to haul to the streams. Much higher prices for the season's cut of lumber may be expected in case there should be a shortage in the log input.

Many buyers are in the market for mill cuts. Some have conceded the demands of the manufacturers and closed contracts at $20 for log run. Others are still negotiating in the hope of making a better bargain. The price of log run, however, has become quite firmly established at $20 for logs averaging ten to the thousand feet and $22 for an average of eight to the thousand. The latter figure is by no means the maximum, as we are advised of the sale of an entire season's cut of log run at $30 f.o.b. rail of vessel Georgian Bay point. The particulars have not been learned, but it is safe to assume that the logs are exceptionally large and of excellent quality.

Hardwood lumber continues in good demand. There is very little bartering over price, the buyer usually being willing to accept the manufacturer's quotation whenever he finds suitable stock. The tendency of prices is upwards.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is practically no change in spruce lumber, which continues firm, with some manufacturers holding out for an advance in price. The cedar shingle market is still somewhat depressed. Some sales of extras have been made for Boston delivery as low as $3.35, with other grades in proportion. The current price, however, might be given as $3.40, at which figure the large manufacturers are endeavoring to hold the market. Opinions differ as to the future course of prices. Some dealers contend that the bottom has been reached for the present, while others hold tha

prices will go lower for the next month or two. The latter argue that the local yards throughout New England bought heavily in the fall on the belief that prices were going to be higher, and that they have now a large stock of shingles on hand. Further, the mills will probably make large cuts during the spring and summer. These conditions may bring about lower prices, bnt if they do they will be only temporary, as the demand will pick up shortly. Prices of New Brunswick shinges have doubtless been influenced by the recent break in Washington red cedars.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

While the movement of lumber throughout the West is not heavy, dealers are figuring on large orders for the coming season, and the prospects are considered to be very bright for an active trade. Conditions generally are satisfactory, the only drawback being the policy of cutting prices which has been resorted to by representatives of Minnesota manufacturers. The new price list on white pine will shortly be put into effect.

If prospective building operations may be taken as the criterion of the lumber trade, the mills will be taxed to their utmost to supply the demand. Many new buildings are projected in Winnipeg, and in the country districts there promises to be considerable activity. It is announced that the North-West Elevator Company will build forty-one grain elevators throughout Manitoba and the Territories, at an approximate cost of $1,700,000. These alone will call for a large quantity of lumber. In British Columbia lumber and shingles are in good demand. A large quantity of lumber is being consumed in the construction of new canneries. Prices are steady.

UNITED STATES.

The only important news affecting white pine comes from Minneapolis, where there is a strong disposition to advance the price of dimension The situation in respect to that grade is especially strong, particularly in view of the advance made by the southern manufacturers, and at the Association meeting to be held on Febuary 17th, an effort will be made to advance the price at least 50 cents per thousand. All grades of white pine are firm and there is no doubt that the available dry stock will be required before the new cut is ready for the market. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers are purchasing quite heavily in the vicinity of Duluth, prices being about as recently quoted. In the Buffalo market there is an increased shortage of cuts and better. The supply of 12 inch box is practically exhausted, having been used largely in place of No. 3 barn, which is selling at $23. There is every prospect of an active spring demand for white pine, with probably higher prices as the supply of dry stock becomes depleted.

Another week has brought increased strength to hardwoods of all kinds. At the annual meeting of the National Hardwood Manufacturers' Association, held in Cleveland last week, the prices of oak, ash, elm, poplar and other hardwoods were advanced quite sharply, but it seemed to be the opinion of those present that the advances were fully warranted by the conditions. With dry lumber it is not a question of price so much as where the stock can be found. Birch is a good seller and in light supply, while basswood has been out of the market for some time.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The timber market of Great Britain has been strengthened by the recent attitude of Scotch buyers, who are showing a desire to purchase quite heavily at current quotations. As a result prices of whitewood have been advanced at least five shillings per standard. In the London market there continues to be a deadlock between shippers and importers, and up to the present time a very small percentage of the North of Europe production has been placed. Representatives of Canadian shippers have been more successful, although some importers refuse to pay £10 for second quality spruce c.i.f., and £9 5s for third quality 3x9, which prices are being asked. They are endeavoring to force shippers to reduce these figures by at least five shillings per standard. There is, however, a just appreciation of the strong statistical position of Canadian pine and spruce, as in the last issue of the Timber Trades Journal we find the folliowng : "The position in Canadian woods and the sales made, perhaps, may throw some light on the position as regards other ports. Red pine, has been sold at £12 10s. c.i.f., and the advance in white pine is even greater. First quality ends and 7 to 10 in. have been sold at £22 f.o.b.; and the same percentage of advance applies to all other qualities and sizes with, possibly, the exception of second quality, of which sales have been made c.i.f. at £19 10s. for 11 inch, 12 to 16 ft., and £14 10s. for 7 to 10 in., 10 to 16 feet. Third regulars have been sold at £13 c.i.f. As the stock in Great Britain of red and white pine is probably at least 5,000 Petersburg standards short of what it was this time last year, and the stock in Canada is reported to be even lighter than the small stock wintering last season, the position would appear to be very strong." Birch Timber is strong, the average price at a recent auction sale being 20d for 14½ inch.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

In the Saginaw Valley maple logs are selling readily at $7 to $8.50 at shipping points.

A steamer cleared from St. John, N. B., last week for Barcelona, Spain, with, 1,650,000 feet of deals.

The sale is reported at Milwaukee, Wis., of 5,000,000 feet of log run basswood, to be cut this year, at $19 per thousand.

The Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Co., of Victoria, B.C., is in the market for 500,000 ties, 7 x 8 inches and 8 feet long.

The Department of Railways and Canals at Ottawa is asking for tenders up to February 10th for the supply of 1,500 cedar poles for the Welland canal.

It is estimated that the cut of logs on the Miramichi river, in New Brunswick, this winter will be about 117,000,000 feet, which is slightly less than last year.

According to the estimate of E. F. Stephenson, the Rat Portage Lumber Company sold 60,000,000 feet of lumber in Manitoba and the Territories last year, and the Keewatin Lumber Company 20,000,000 feet.

Under date of January 7th, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "There have been no arrivals since our last. The market is only lightly stocked with both white pine and spruce, and receipts of either will command full rates. We understand that our neighbors have tried to place another cargo of spruce on C. & F. basis, but we do not think they have done so up to the present time. There have been no receipts of shingles, but all that were imported for the Imperial Government contracts have been sold to one of the dealers." Current prices are as follows: White pine, $25.75 per M for first quality and $21.25 for second quality; spruce, $22.50 for first and $19.50 for second quality; Long Gaspe cedar shingles, $4.89 to $5.04; cedar laying, $1.82; spruce, $1.65 to $1.70.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

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The even tenor of the Ottawa lumber market has been broken, and the advance which was predicted in these columns before the New Year has made its appearance. This advance is unlike others of the past year, as it is confined to the plebian culls and other lower grade lines. Moreover, the advance is not confirmed to standing stock, it applies as well to next summer's cut, over which there is brisk bargaining, at least that part of it that has not already found a customer before it has left the tree. There's a lesson in this latest advance, and it would be well for all interested to take note. It furnishes proof, if further be necessary, that no break may be looked for in the lumber market before next autumn at the earliest. Jobbers are searching in all directions for future cut, and long before the saws commence their song the big end of the cut will be off the market.

A glance over to-day's quotations in THE LUMBERMAN tells the tale in figures more forcibly than words could do it. Pine good shorts, 1¼ in. and 1½ inch, have advanced to $28 to $30, the old figures being $24 to $28. Same stock 2 inch has advanced to $30 and $35 from $27 and $32. No. 1 dressing sidings pine, former quotations on which ran from $20 to $24 per M, are now placed at $24 to $28. No. 1 dressing strips pine are selling from $18 to $24, former figures being $16 to $20. No. 1 dressing shorts pine have advanced from $14 to $16 to $16 to $20. Shingles also show an advance, clear butt 18 inch pine selling from $2.25 to $2.40 and XXXX pine from $3.00 to $3.25 per M.

Railway officials and jobbers report an easier and better movement of lumber from Ottawa and Ottawa district points. Two causes are combined in this increased activity. In the first place the lethargy of the holiday season has given away to the activity of the first month of a promising year. Equally important and welcome is the freer offering of rolling stock. The Canada Atlantic Railway is not as heavily taxed by the grain traffic as it was during and immediately following the season of navigation, and it accordingly has more cars for the movement of lumber. The prospects for a brisk movement for many weeks to come are bright.

Jobbers have picked up several lots of lumber which failed earlier to secure purchasers for some reason or other. Building operations in many points in the States show increased activity, and this has given an impetus to the Canadian market, and in a measure induced an advance in prices.

All eyes are turned towards the limits, and reports therefrom confirm the statement that this will be a "big year." Thanks to the precautions taken by the Provincial Government and lumber operators, there has been no outbreak of smallpox which last year closed several camps and crippled others. While there is a scarcity of teams, this handicap in transportation facilities is offset by the frost and snow, which have made good roads.

While operations in the Temiscaming district are not as brisk as they were in recent years, there is a boom on in the neighboring Kippewa territory. Camps have been established in the latter by J. B. Grier, Montreal, Robert Anderson, Rideau Lumber Company, Edward Moore, Shepard & Moore and Hull Lumber Company, of Ottawa, and Alex. Lumsden and McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior. The output of square timber and logs promises to be as large as was predicted.

The Upper Ottawa Improvement Company is making active preparations for the assumption of the towing operations on the lakes and rivers of the upper country, but the season will be well advanced before the company will be in a position to assume control. Two steel side-wheel boats and a steel tug built in Toronto are now on their way to Temiscamingue, where they will be placed in shape for the water. A couple of alligator boats will be added to the fleet. When everything is in shape, the company will extend its operations from its present terminus at Des Joachims, near Pembroke, to the head of Lake Temiscamingue. Only the

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Work is progressing favorably on Fraser & Company's new mill at Aylmer, Quebec, near Ottawa. This company has established a depot this season in the Pontiac district which was cut over several years since. The growth of timber in the last fifteen years, however, has been such as to warrant a resumption of operations.

Mr. Robert Hurdman, the veteran lumberman, is personally supervising operations on his limits in the Kippewa district as in past seasons.

Ottawa, January 31st, 1903.

LUMBER SUPPLY FOR HAMILTON.

Tenders are desired by February 17th for the annual supply of lumber for the city of Hamilton. The specifications are as follows: 3,000 feet 1 in. boards, 10 and 12 in. wide; 2,000 feet 2 x 4 in. scantling, 12 feet long; 10,000 feet 2 in. plank, 8, 10 and 12 in. wide, 6 feet long; 50,000 feet 2 in. plank, 8, 10 and 12 in. wide, 12 feet long; 15,000 feet 3 in. plank, 12 in. wide, 12 feet long; 25,000 feet 3 in. plank, 6 in. wide, 16 feet long; 40,000 feet 4 x 4 in. scantling, 12, 14 and 16 feet long (must be straight); 6,000 feet 4 x 8 in. timber, 12 feet long; 20,000 feet 4 x 12 in. timber, 12 feet long.

The lumber must be perfectly sound, cut from live pine timber, free from dead sap, wanes, dead knots and knotholes, and of full dimensions and evenly cut, and be delivered in the City Yard, Wellington Street North, as required and not later than June 15th.

HARDWOOD LUMBER PRICES.

The National Hardwood Manufacturers' Association of the United States, at its first annual meeting held at Cincinnati last week, made some important advances in the prices of hardwood lumber. The new list is to take effect February 10, 1903, and fixes the following prices, Ohio River points taking 19 cent rate to New York or ten cents to Chicago:

Ash—1sts and 2nds, 1 inch, $38; 1¼ inch, $40; 1½ inch, $40; 2 inch $42; 2½ and 3 inch, $45; 4 inch $49.50. No. 1 Common, 1 inch, $24; 1¼ and 1½ inch, $26; 2 inch $28.50; 2½, 3 and 4 inch, $31. No. 2 Common, 1 inch, $13; 1¼ and 1½ inch, $15; 2 inch $16; 2½, 3 and 4 inch, $17.50.

Plain White Oak—First and Seconds, 1 inch, $37; 1¼ inch, $39; 1½ inch, $40; 2 inch $41; 2½ inch, $47.50; 3 inch $50, 4 inch, $52.50. No. 1 Common, 1 inch, $26; 1¼ inch, $27, 1½ inch, $28; 2 inch, $29; 2½ inch, $35; 3 inch, $36; 4 inch, $37.50 No. 2 Common, 1 inch, $15; 1¼ inch, $16, 1½ inch, $17; 2 inch, $18; 2½ inch, $21; 3 inch, $23; 4 inch, $26.

Quartered White Oak—1sts and 2nds, ⅜ inch, $35; ½ inch, $42.50; ⅝ inch, $50; ¾ inch, $57.50; 1 inch, $64, 1¼ inch, $66; 1½ inch, $67.50; 2 inch, $68.50; 2½ inch, $70; 3 inch, $72.50; 4 inch, $75. No. 1 Common, ⅜ inch, $23; ½ inch $28; ⅝ inch, $33; ¾ inch, $37; 1 inch $42; 1¼ inch, $46; 1½ inch $46; 2 inch $47.50; 2½, 3 and 4 inch, $50.

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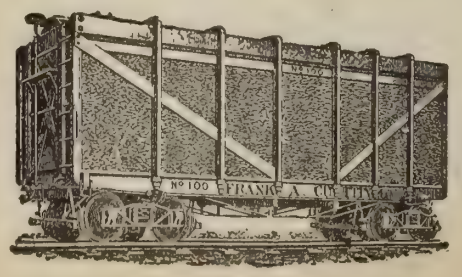

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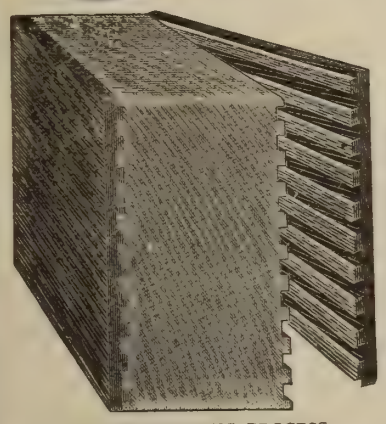

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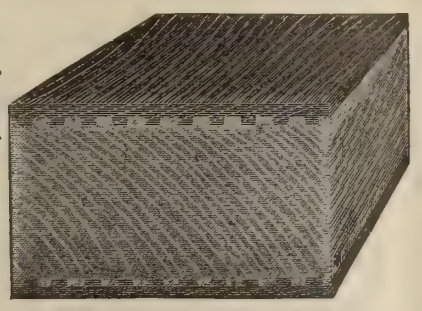

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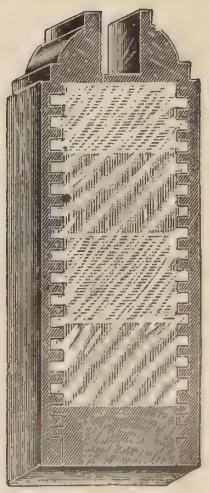

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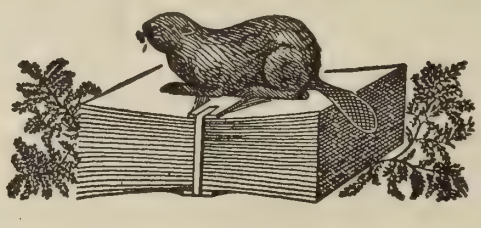

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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M :		
No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	00	2 25
Pine Shingles :		
Clear Butt, 13 inch	2 25	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	2 00	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles :		
Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60	1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25	2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$36 00	$42 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	26 00	28 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	24 00	26 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	22 00	24 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	19 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	20 00	21 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	19 00	20 00
1 inch siding mill run	19 00	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box		17 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		13 00
½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in		3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 65

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2	23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Im, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	34 00	37 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$36 00	38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips : 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts : 1 in.	22 00	26 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	28 00	30 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	42	48
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	51	57
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	54	59
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
7 " "	27	29
8 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 11in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x5 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	80	82	1x12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards .6" and up		18
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	37
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common		20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		20
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	82	24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	25	26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8		21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	40
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	20
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common		32
1x10 inch shippers		21			

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3
		Hemlock	2

LATH.

ine	$3 40	Spruce	$3

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 0	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 5
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 2

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	Dressing 1¼ in.	26 00
		1¼x10 and 12	40 00
		1½ in.	34 00
		1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	4 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

WANTED—1 INCH, 1¼ INCH AND 1½ INCH Soft Cork Pine 1sts and 2nds, also deal ends. Apply Box 20, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED, BLACK BIRCH LOGS IN SHORT lengths 9 to 12 inches in diameter. Address Box P., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

Two Stationary Saw Mills complete, capacity 10 to 15 M. per day, 40 h.p. Both are bargains at the price, $800 each f.o.b. either G.T. or C.P.R. Also one direct action Portable Mill complete, capacity 8 M. per day, now running in good location. Price $600. Terms cash and immediate possession given if mill remains where it is till spring. Address J. R. DUFFUS, Box 156, Thamesville, Ont.

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Young, hustling, vigorous English and French speaking Woods Superintendent. Must thoroughly understand economic timber and pulpwood logging and capable of handling workmen to advantage. High-class wages to high-class man. Don't apply if not entirely qualified. Address Box 114, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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FOR SALE.—A QUANTITY OF 2" HEMLOCK Plank P. O. Box 213, Almonte.

WANTED, INCH MAPLE SUITABLE FOR making up into flooring. Box 16 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WINTER SAWMILLS THAT CAN CUT Hemlock and Pine Bills please write JAMES HARRISON, Lumber Merchant, Burlington.

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WANTED—2x4 AND 2x6 HEMLOCK thoroughly seasoned, inch Birch, Black Ash and Chestnut. R.E. KINSMAN, 17 King St. West, Hamilton.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

WANTED—WHITE WINTER CUT MAPLE, must be straight in grain, 1¼ inch, 1½ inch and 2 inch. Are open to place orders now. Apply Box 40, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

VENEERS—SINGLE PLY OR GLUED UP stock. INTERNATIONAL LUMBER CO., LIMITED, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada.

FOR SALE

SPRUCE SPILES, ANY LENGTH. HAVE also a large quantity of butternut, can cut to order. Apply FARLEY BROS., Hull, Que.

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A QUANTITY 1"x6" DRY WHITE PINE and Spruce Strips ,12 feet lengths prepared, also one inch Spruce and Hemlock, random widths. Box 44 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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WELL EQUIPPED SAW AND SHINGLE Mill, with all the limits and dams on river. Also about 15,000 spruce and cedar logs, cut this winter. For information address Box 29, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

LOOK HERE!!!

Do you want any small Bill Timber, Joisting or other Lumber? We can saw it for you on short notice. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, CARTIER, ONT,

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HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

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ONE AND A HALF MILLION OF MILL RUN, White Pine; also one million feet of Hemlock, cut to order. We are also in the market for 40,000 Cedar Fence Posts, 8 ft. THE BLONDE LUMBER & MANUFACTURING CO., LTD., Chatham, Ont.

FOR SALE.

TWO MILLION FEET OF 1902 CUT Spruce, Birch, Hemlock, Maple and Basswood. 1000 M 16" Cedar Shingles XXX, C, B., and XX. Apply 175 Cooper St., Ottawa, Canada.

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BIRCH, MAPLE AND BASSWOOD LOGS or lumber for cash, delivered to Cincinnati. Address, R. E. BECKER CO., Cincinnati, Ohio. Correspondence solicited.

WANTED

Birch Ends in multiples of 16" lengths, size 7" x3" or 4". Lowest price for 200,000, to HEAL & SONS, LTD., Orkney St., Battersea, London, England.

IMPORTANT SALE

A FARM, 9 x 40 ARPENTS, WITH AGRIcultural implements complete; flour mill, modern door and sash factory, saw mill complete, shingle mill, planers; all these mills are operated by water power, and are situated on the river bank; booms; 16 miles of timber limits, of which 10 miles are well wooded with cedar and spruce; dams; camp with sleighs; horses, vehicles, saws, chains, cooking utensils, also private residence. For particulars apply to JOSEPH ROY, Riviere Blanche, Matane Co. Que.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Banbury, Gourlay & Banbury, lumber, Wolseley, N. W. T., have been succeeded by Banbury Bros.

A. Boughner, manufacturer of hoops and staves, Aylmer, Ont., has sold out to H. Balcomb & Son.

H. W. Hilliard, lumber dealer, Minnedosa, Man., is opening a branch at Clan William, Man.

The schooner "Joseph Hay" has been chartered to carry lumber from Weymouth, N. S., to Havana, at $5.75.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market, from the standpoint of the manufacturer, is all that could be desired. Prices are high and the demand good. Confidence is expressed universally that the coming season will witness a large consumption of lumber, perhaps sufficient to sustain the present strength of the market. The range of prices both for dry stock and the new cut is slightly wider than usual. For No. 1 cuts of last year's stock as high as $52 at the mill is being asked, while purchases have been made recently as low as $46. This discrepancy is accounted for in part by the different grading of mills. For 4, 5 and 6 inch mill run $20 is being asked, and for 8 inch $21. The price of 12 inch is nominal, as there is practically no stock that has not passed out of first hands.

The large number of entire mill cuts that have already been placed under contract is surely an indication of the great strength of the market. Dealers are evidently anxious to make arrangements for their season's supply in order that they may be in a position to meet the wants of their customers. The prices paid this winter for log run are, we believe, unprecedented in the history of the lumber trade. Interviews with a number of the leading manufacturers indicate that the range of prices for log run is from $19 to $25, with few sales above $22. It is learned that one operator is asking $19 for his logs delivered at the river bank.

Within the past month there has been an advance of $1 in the price of hemlock lumber, for which wholesale dealers are now paying $14 f.o.b. cars Toronto. Four stocks on the Northern Division of the Grand Trunk Railway aggregating over 3,000,000 feet recently changed hands at $11.50, which is the average price at the mills.

It is difficult to review the hardwood market. There has developed such a scarcity of certain dry stock that prices are largely in the hands of manufacturers. Such advances as have taken place, however, have been of a conservative nature. The outlook for the new cut is promising.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Manufacturers in the Eastern Provinces are looking forward to a good season. Many of them have already sold a considerable portion of their estimated cut, and the price received has in most instances been above the average price of last year. The shingles market remains practically unchanged, although the price of $3.40 for extras is being paid more willingly by buyers.

UNITED STATES.

Another week of very satisfactory condition in the lumber trade has gone by. Any disappointment in regard to activity is offset by firm prices and sanguine expectations of a heavy spring demand. Prices at wholesale points are not yet in line with the prices at the mills, but are being steadily brought to that point. Our Albany list this week shows an advance of two dollars in 3-inch uppers and of one dollar in inch common, barn and box stock. Buffalo dealers are about to advance prices on new stock. Reports from that centre tell of a scarcity of box and Norway pine. Dealers have bought quite heavily in the Lake Superior district, especially of box and other low grades, as they believe that there will be an unusally good season and probably higher relative prices in these grades. The retail dealers of Cleveland have adopted a new list, it having been discovered that the quantity of inch No. 3 common boards in 6, 8, 10 and 12 inch was much less than was thought to have been in stock before the inventory was taken on January 1. In Chicago sentiment regarding the coming season remains good, the prospects for building operations being of the best. Retail dealers are buying freely at present prices, which they fear will be advanced in the near future.

The scarcity of stock is the one drawback to a larger movement of hardwood lumber. The demand is excellent and prices are gradually hardening. Some Michigan mills are asking $22 for log run basswood. Oak and birch will also be higher than last year. Mill prices for the three grades of maple are $20, $14 and $8.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British market is exhibiting a little more life. Shippers and importers are getting closer together in their ideas as to prices, and some contracts have been closed. The movement of stock on hand is about as large as usual at this season of the year. There has been an improvement in the oak trade. For logs the asking price is about 1s. 6d. per cubic foot. First quality quartered oak boards, 1x6 inch, bring 3½d. to 3¾d. per cubic foot, and 1x4 inch from 2¼d. to 2½d. A large business has been done in plain oak, at prices ranging from 1s. 11d. to 2s. per cubic foot. Consignments of inch boards would probably find a ready market.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

In Toronto XXX British Columbia red cedar shingles are selling at $3.25 retail.

The city of Quebec is asking for tenders up to 18th inst. for the annual supply of deals and other lumber.

The Cleveland-Sarnia Saw Mill Company, of Sarnia, Ont., are taking out 20,000,000 feet of logs on the Spanish river.

It is rumored that the Cook & Bros.' Lumber Company, of Spragge, Ont., have sold the entire output of pine mill culls for the coming season. Ths price is given as $10.

It is reported that N. N. Wright & Company, of Cutler, Ont., have sold all the white pine lumber they will manufacture this season, which will probably be about 45,000,000 feet.

The South River Lumber Company are making extensive improvements to their mill at South River, Ont. Last season they cut 6,000,000 feet of lumber, and during the coming season expect to cut about 25,000,000 feet.

The Turner Lumber Company, of Midland, Ont., are reported to have sold all the lumber they will manufacture at Midland this season at an advance of $3 over last year's price. They have on the skids and hauled 10,000,000 feet of white pine logs of excellent quality.

At the Crown Lands office, Fredericton, N. B., a two-mile timber berth on Turtle Creek was sold last week to Mr. Dryden at the upset price of $8 per mile, and a two mile berth on Teague Brook, Gloucester County, to J. H. Barry at $364 per mile. The latter price is the highest ever paid to the New Brunswick Government.

Elm staves and basswood heading are strong and higher in price, while coiled hoops are lower. At Buffalo jobbers quote No. 1 elm flour barrel staves at $9.25 to $9.50; No. 2, $5 to $5.25; No. 1 basswood heading, 5¾ to 6 cents; No. 2 3¾ to 4 cents; coiled hoops, $10.25 to $10.50 for 6 foot, and $10 to $10.25 for 5½.

As pine values have been hardening throughout the winter, hemlock has also strengthened considerably, although not in proportion. There is a fairly good supply of hemlock in the Chicago yards, and while demand has been excellent through the winter, there is still a good assortment left for spring trade. The prospects are that there will be a large cut of hemlock logs in the northern forests this winter and a correspondingly good supply of lumber at the mills next summer, but in view of the great scarcity of pine it will probably all be needed to replace that wood. Hemlock manufacturers are therefore counting upon an excellent demand the coming season. Of late prices have been rather irregular, but a meeting of manufacturers is to be held at Milwaukee on Tuesday of next week and doubtless more uniform quotations will be attained when the manufacturers get together and find out what their brethren are doing.—American Lumberman.

LUMBER EXPORTS.

The United States government has compiled a statement showing the imports of lumber from British North America for the calendar year of 1902, the greater portion of which was received from Canada. The leading items are as follows:

	Feet.	Value.
Logs and round timber	80,901,000	$ 693,053
Boards, planks and other sawed lumber	734,665,000	10,6655,137
Shingles, pieces	763,673,000	1,532,292

The quantity of lumber exported from Canada last year was greater than any previous years excepting 1896 and 1897, when the exports were 786,001,000 feet and 883,770,000 feet respectively. The value of exported lumber, however, was the highest in the history of the trade, this being due to the increased value of white pine lumber.

STATISTIC OF PINE STOCKS.

The Bureau of Grades of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association and the Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association have compiled a stock sheet of the pine lumber held by manufacturers and wholesalers in the St. Croix, Mississippi, and Chippewa Valleys, Northern Minnesota and tributary districts on the first day of January of this year. The total stock aggregates 1,147,946,863 feet, as against 1,156,113,758 feet for the year before, and 1,404,187,209 feet on January 1, 1901. It will be seen that the stock of lumber on hand varies but little from the previous year. This remark also applies to shingles, but there is a considerable increase in the quantity of lath. Notwithstanding the larger consumption of lath in building during the past year the production seems to have been greatly accelerated and stock on hand at the beginning of the year is nearly twice as large as it was a year ago and about a sixth larger than on January 1, 1901.

Some of the most interesting details are given below, the quantity of lumber being in feet b.m.:

MILL AND WHOLESALE STOCKS IN MISSISSIPPI VALLEY AND TRIBUTARY DISTRICTS.

	1903.	1902.
Dimension	311,932,933	330,334,145
Thick finish and shop	96,402,333	71,455,538
Inch	739,611,595	754,326,075

MILL AND WHOLESALE STOCKS IN WISCONSIN VALLEY AND CENTRAL WISCONSIN.

	1903.	1902.
Dimension	77,174,657	69,792,064
Thick finish and shop	20,478,416	15,746,559
Inch	217,532,411	242,473,194

STOCKS OF GOOD LUMBER IN THE NORTH MISSISSIPPI VALLEY.

	1903.	1902.
Thick finish and shop	96,402,355	71,455,538
Inch shop D and better boards and strips	102,513,163	49,601,008
C and better Norway boards and strips	18,089,300	8,485,217
Total	217,004,798	129,541,763

WISCONSIN VALLEY.

Thick finish and shop	20,478,416	15,746,559
Inch shop and better boards and strips	14,389,106	6,924,002
C and better Norway boards and and strips	3,786,149	1,036,404

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY.

	1903.	1902.
Shingles	120,519,350	134,225,950
Lath	236,619,878	128,253,765

WISCONSIN VALLEY.

Shingles	21,316,500	21,666,250
Lath	48,801,020	35,221,700

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From St. John, N.B.: Steamer Alcides, for Glasgow, 10,000 ft. oak lumber, by Schofield & Company; 1524 bundles box shooks, by Haley & Son; 163,262 feet deals, 4,038 feet ends, by Donald Fraser & Son. Steamer Salacia, for Glasgow, 16,748 feet pine plank, 30,417 feet spruce plank, by A. Cushing & Company; 69,934 feet deals by Donald Fraser & Sons; 169,530 feet deals, 7,995 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay; 1,464 bundles box shooks, 1,661 bundles pine boards, by Schofield & Company. Steamer Lake Champlain, for Liverpool, 40 pieces of birch timber, 9,536 bundles of maple flooring, 1,039 pieces pine deals, 1,465 bundles shooks, by Troop & Son; 454,525 feet deals, 39,196 feet scantling, 58,913 feet ends, 2,000 feet boards, 313 tons birch timber, by W. M. Mackay; 1,530 bundles shooks, by A. Cushing & Co.; 5,907 doors by Troop & Sons. Steamer Numidian, for Liverpool, 163,541 feet deals, 40 pieces ends, by W.M. Mackay. Steamer Montfort, for Cape Town, South Africa, 12,000 feet deals, 146,000 feet scant ing, by Troop & Son.

LUMBER IN MANITOBA.

E. F. Stephenson, crown timber agent, Winnipeg, reports as follows on the lumber sold in Manitoba during the 12 months ending June 30, 1902. From careful compilation it is found that the following quantity of lumber was disposed of, principally in Manitoba, during the year, the sales having been effected by the following manufacturers:

	Feet, B.M.
The Rat Portage Lumber Company, Rat Portage	60,000,000
The Keewatin Lumber Company, Keewatin	20,000,000
The Savanne Mills Lumber Company, Savanne	5,000,000
The Pigeon River Lumber Company, Port Arthur	10,000,000
Vigars & Co., Port Arthur	4,000,000
Wabigoon Lumber Co., Wabigoon	2,500,000
Mills in British Columbia	20,000,000
Mills in Manitoba operating on Crown lands under license	22,784,783
Mills in Manitoba operating on Crown lands under permit (approx)	5,000,000
Mills in Manitoba, cut on homesteaders' free permits (approx)	3,000,000
Sawn lumber imported from the United States	13,228,000
Total	165,512,783

An effort is being made to induce the lumber denlers in Manitoba and the Territories to purchase their spring supplies of lumber at once, so that the lumber can be delivered in good time. Canadian Pacific Railway officials have taken the initiative in this matter. They say that there will be a larger spring demand for lumber than is usual, owing to the large immigration which is confidently expected. The rail-

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way company, according to the Winnipeg Commercial, is anxious to handle this lumber now, as later on, when the immigration rush starts, and especially toward the opening of navigation, there will be a heavy movement of traffic, and cars will then be very scarce. Lumber dealers have not been in the habit of placing their orders until April or May. Railway officials have been in negotiation with officers of the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association over this matter, and Mr. Isaac Cockburn, secretary of the Association, has made a trip through the ceuntry and personally interviewed many of the dealers. The retail dealers throughout the country, of course, object to ordering their supplies long before they require the stock for the accommodation of the railway, as this would mean that they would have to pay out the cash at once for the freight, and would also have to pay for the lumber one or two months earlier than usual. Negotiations are now in progress to try and arrange a basis by which the lumber can be ordered now without necessitating the payment of freight, etc., earlier than usual. The retailers are willing to place their orders now, providing they shall not be called upon to pay the freight before April 1, and the invoice for the lumber not to be dated earlier than April 1, the usual time to be given from that date. This would simply be following the custom of the mercantile trade in several lines, in which orders are shipped in advance, and the invoices dated some time later. Negotiations are being carried on mainly with British Columbia manufacturers.

A lot of lumber and shingles are brought into Manitoba and the Territories from Pacific coast and interior British Columbia mills. The haul is a long one, and the railway company does not want to send the cars away to British Columbia in the spring for lumber when they will be needed so badly in Manitoba, if the lumber can be carried now. Besides this, there are a number of cars at the coast which have gone out with grain and flour to Vancouver, and these could be employed to haul the lumber eastward. British Columbia lumber invoices are usually dated three months from date of purchase. If the manufacturers will agree to date April 1, three months, and the railway company will agree to wait two months for the freight, dealers will place their orders at once.

There is almost a certainty that there will be an unusually large spring demand for lumber, which, under ordinary weather conditions, will set in earlier than usual. The Commercial was only the other day shown a letter from a land corporation in the United States which will send a lot of settlers into this country, inquiring as to the supply of lumber in the district where the settlers will be located. Lumber dealers throughout the country should be prepared for this demand.

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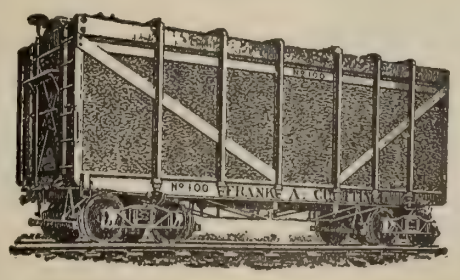

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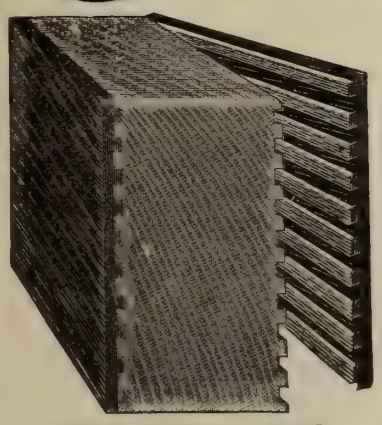

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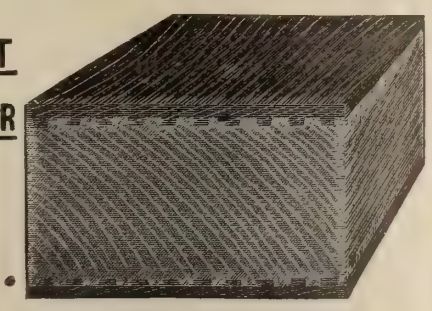

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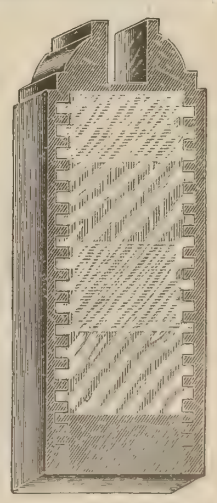

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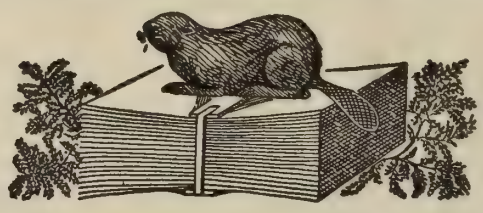

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10 in	24 00	No. 3, 12 in	21 00
9 in	23 00	10 in	19 00
8 and 7 in	23 00	9 in	18 50
No. 2, 12 in	25 00	8 in	19 00
10 in	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in	22 00	1x4	16 50

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1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1¼ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	82	85	1x12 inch shippers $	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards, 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28 37
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35 30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24 26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8	21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35 40
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 20
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common	32
1x10 inch shippers	21	22		

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ine	$3 50	Spruce $	$3 50

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2½ and 3 in	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in	30 00
4 in	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in	58 00	No. 2, 12 in	27 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in	20 00
3 in	70 00	No. 3, 12 in	23 00
4 in	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in	56 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in	34 00		

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	4 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 0	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Commonand culls	9 00	11 00

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One pair dredge engines with drums, gears and housings on cast iron frame bed plate, cylinders 8" x 14".
One loco' fire box boiler for above; shell 42" x 12', with 51 brass ferruled steel tubes 2½".
One travelling crane and tracks, with boom 35' long.
One large waggon "Buffalo Make".
One heavy bob-sleigh with pole and neckyoke; a large quantity of chains, various sizes, also ¾" and ⅞" steel wire cable.
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

As each week goes by the lumber market gathers additional strength. In compiling the report of stocks of pine lumber on hand, the secretary of the Ontario Lumbermen's Association finds that the coarser grades have been disposed of more largely than was generally anticipated. The market will thus be in good shape to receive the new cut, and no decline in prices in anticipated during the next six months at least. There has recently been some heavy buying of lumber by American companies in the vicinity of Sudbury. Log run pine is held at exceedingly high prices. It is learned that the cut of a particular mill which recently changed hands at $30 was secured by a firm of Quebec exporters. Another lot of logs on the Georgian Bay running five to the thousand is being held at $35, this probably being the maximum figure that has yet been asked. For 1 to 2 inch uppers $72 is being asked by some manufacturers. Box lumber ranges from $13 to $16, the latter for 12-inch and wider. Dry mill culls are held around $12.

Owing to expensive logging, the production of hardwood logs this winter has been light, and it is probable that prices will gradually work higher. For elm, basswood, and ash logs $16 is being offered for delivery at the mill. Birch logs are worth about $15, and maple $14.

UNITED STATES.

Lumber conditions in the United States are steadily improving. The consumption, owing to severe weather, is not large, but the buying for future delivery has been heavy and indicative of a disposition on the part of dealers and consumers to arrange for the season's requirements as early as possible. Higher prices are predicted for box lumber. Buffalo is scarce of that grade, and at Ashland, Wisconsin, there is a tendency to advance prices beyond the current figure, which is the highest for some years. No. 4 boards are selling there at from $10.50 to $11.25 per thousand for next season's cut, and No. 5 boards at $6 to $6.50. Yard dealers in the Saginaw Valley predict that before April 1st prices will have advanced from 50 cents to one dollar per thousand. The lower grades have recently shown more strength than the upper grades, probably due to the fact that the advance in the price of the former has been less relatively than on the better qualities. An advance in dimension is in prospect. Norway lumber is growing in favor and has now reached a price where competition from southern pine is felt quite keenly. The latter is about $2 cheaper, and the question has arisen whether it will be possible to maintain the present price of Norway. With about 15 per cent. of 12 inch the average quotation is in the neighborhood of $14.50 There is a further improvement in hemlock, which is meeting with a large demand in the east. The North-western Hemlock Manufacturers' Association, at its annual meeting in Milwaukee last week, advanced the price of 2x4, 2x6, 2x8, and 2x10 in 16-foot lengths 50 cents per thousand. According to the new list the range on No. 1 piece stuff is from $10 for 2x4 in 8-foot lengths to $16.50 for 2x12 in 12, 14 and 16-foot lengths. Hemlock lath was reduced from $3 to $2.75.

Hardwoods are in excellent demand. For quartered oak $73 to $75 is easily obtainable in New York and $72 in Buffalo. Maple is slightly higher, especially thick cuts, of which the supply is very light.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British timber market is exceptionally quiet for this season of the year. The tone is firm, although importers are strongly opposing the advance in prices that has been made by shippers. It is understood that sales of Canadian pine have been made at an advance of from 10 to 15 per cent. over last year's prices. The wintering stock is small, and dealers recognize that it may be absolutely necessary to meet the demands of the shipper in order to secure the stock. As an instance of the strength of pine, $22 per standard was recently realized at an auction sale for a small lot of 7-inch first quality. For Quebec spruce shippers are asking £10 for seconds and £9 5s. for thirds c.i.f. London and Liverpool. This represents an advance of more than 10 shillings as compared with last year's figures, as a result of which less than the usual quantity of spruce has been disposed of. The conditions, however, favor the sellers, and it is believed that they will be successful in placing their stock at the higher values fixed upon. During the past two months the stock on hand has been considerably reduced. The feature of the square timber trade is the scarcity of first class waney pine, of which there is practically none in first hands. Birch and elm are in good demand.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Taylor, Scott & Company, Toronto, are buying large quantities of first and second quality spruce boards.

Quotations on box lumber in car lots at Buffalo are as follows: White pine box, 12-inch, $20; white pine box, 6 to 12-inch, $17.50 to $19.50; white pine cull, $15; poplar shipping culls, $17 to $18; basswood shipping culls, $16.

By order of the underwriters 451,000 feet of spruce boards and scantling, now stored in the warehouse of the Halifax Dry Dock Company, is to be sold. Tenders will be received by H. D. MacKenzie, Halifax, up to 20th inst.

It is reported that the Michigan Land and Lumber Company, of Blind River, Ont., have sold their entire cut of logs running about 13 to the thousand at $22.25 f. o. b. vessel. The logs will be sawn by J. & T. Conlon, of Little Current.

The Shier Lumber Company, of Bracebridge, Ont., are taking out 6,000,000 feet of hemlock logs this winter. Their birch stock will probably not exceed 100,000 feet, whereas last year they cut 600,000 feet.

The Turner Lumber Company, of Midland, Ont., write us as follows: "We beg to call your attention to an item in your paper of February 11th, wherein it is stated that we have sold all of the lumber we are to manufacture at Midland this coming season, and makes mention of 10,000,000 feet of white pine logs of excellent quality belonging to this company. We have sold 24,000,000 feet to be manufactured at Midland, but still have unsold the 10,000,000 feet of white pine logs referred to, which are also to be manufactured at Midland. We have also sold 25,000,000 feet to be cut at South River. This is the 25,000,000 feet referred to in the same paper as the quantity which the South River Lumber Company expect to manufacture this season at their new mill. We have just contracted a large quantity of mill culls 4 to 11 inches in width at $11 f.o.b. rail of vessel here."

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN).

"Not in the history of the local lumber trade has stock been bought up so close as it is for the mill cut of 1902," remarked a dealer to-day. "Everything in the better grades is off the market with the exception of a few odds and ends. While the stock is out of the hands of the manufacturers a portion is still offered for sale by dealers, but a small portion only. It is safe to say, moreover, that between one-third and one-half the mill cut of 1903 has already changed hands."

The above sums up the lumber situation in Ottawa and the Ottawa Valley as far as the yard end of the business is concerned. Good sidings, strips and shorts and shipping cull strips and shorts are out of the manufacturer's hands. The same applies to shingles, and lath are scarce. Present negotiations between manufacturer and dealer are on next summer's cut, and the Ottawa quotations on the market page represent the former's estimate of the worth of his future output. Movement of lumber is only fair this month.

Will the present season's cut of logs all be cleared before the break-up of winter? This is the question that is agitating the lumber mind. Amongst Ottawa operators it is the impression that the first week in March will see a cessation of teaming operations that will compel the mill men and others, reluctant though they may be, to leave part of their log cut on the limits over another year. There is plenty of snow, but the ground beneath is free of frost, and the first spring rains will play havoc with the roads. Reports show that early snow-falls prevented the ice on the lakes and rivers attaining the usual thickness, and an earlier break-up than usual may be expected on water. Moreover, teaming has been retarded, as the log loads on account of the uncertainity of the ice have had to be reduced. The different firms report the loss of teams almost weekly on this account. The writer while in Pembroke this week made enquiries and learned that the logs cut along the Petawawa will probably all be taken out before the "break-up."

An old and experienced lumberman who returned from the Kippewa district to-day said that the predictions of an early spring would fall flat. "I never saw two early springs in succession yet," he remarked, "and I would not be surprised if winter holds on till April. While the ice is not very thick, there is plenty of snow and teaming will be carried on for many weeks yet."

Ottawa lumber operators who are getting out square and waney timber now regret that the 10 per cent. selling advance made in the early part of the season was not increased to twenty per cent. Unforeseen difficulties have increased the cost of production fully thirty per cent. over former seasons, and a second advance may be looked for on future sales.

Trouble has been caused by the inexperienced class of labor placed in the camps by the Ottawa employment agencies, and desertions are of daily occurrences. It is said that some camps resemble rural public schools from the fact that youths are strong in number, particularly in the road-making squads. While more square timber is being taken out this season than last, the quantity forwarded to Quebec by water will be considerably less. All the square timber being manufactured in the Kippewa district will be forwarded by rail, a branch of the Canadian Pacific making such a means of transportation convenient.

From a reliable source it is learned that the production of pulpwood along the Ottawa and its tributaries will be one-third greater than it was last year. Early sleighing made the movement easy and the stock will probably all reach the rivers and railways before the snow goes. A large quantity of pulp wood is being taken out this season on the Canadian Pacific Railway branch between Sudbury and Sault Ste Marie. Considerable poplar is being secured on the line around Warren Station, where settlers are busily engaged clearing land.

The latest quotations on spruce and poplar pulp wood are $2.75 per cord, delivery being made at the railway.

OTTAWA, February 16, 1903.

BIRCH SQUARES AND SEATS.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Edmiston & Mitchells' Monthly Timber Circular reviews the Glasgow market as follows:

Business has been rather quiet during the month, but this is invariably the case at the beginning of the year, owing partly to the holidays and the fact that buyers are inclined to look into their stocks before making further commitments. A fair amount of business has been done in pitch pine and spruce deals, and there are also some transactions reported in Waney Boardwood. Prices continue to be well maintained all round, and the position of the market is healthy. Broad 1st pine deals and sidings continue to be enquired after, and the few shipments which come to hand from time to time via United States in all classes find buyers at satisfactory prices, while American Hardwoods are also in demand, and shipments are being well absorbed.

WHITE OR YELLOW PINE.—Business has been quiet during the month. There have, however, been a few good lines cleared in Waney Deckwood and F. A. Square Pine, 400 loads of the former and 7/800 loads of the latter having been sold. The prices are firm, and in view of the high prices asked by shippers are likely to continue.

RED PINE.—We hear of no sales during the month. Stock is small but ample.

OAK.—There have been a few enquiries, but no sales as far as we can learn. Stocks are fairly large. Prices are firm.

ELM.—There has been a fair enquiry for 1st class rock, and a few sales have been made at prices round about 3s. to 3s. 1d. for 9/1000 feet perpage. A few pages of soft elm have also been sold at about 1s. 3d. per cubic foot.

BIRCH.—Quebec logs. The stock on hand is now considerably reduced, and the comparatively small amount on hand unsold is being held for firm prices. 16 inch has been selling in retail lots at from 21d. to 22d., and 18 inch at 22s. "ex store." Lower Port.—The stock on hand is now practically exhausted, the balance of the old Pictou wood, which has lain so long, having been sold recently at 18d. for 15½ inch average. Planks—The position of the market is no stronger than it was, the stock of Lower Port being still heavy. Prices range from 10d. to 11d. per foot yarded.

ASH.—The market continues in a very lifeless condition, very little business being done, and only then at unsatisfactory prices. The stock on hand consists mostly of old timber, and of more or less indifferent quality. Prices, which are nominal, are round about 1s. 6d. for small wood, up to 2s. for 14 inch.

DEALS, ETC.—A fair amount of business has been done. Parcels of broad first pine deals and sidings arriving per liners via Portland, &c., have found a ready sale "ex quay" at enhanced prices. Spruce deals arriving via St. John have in most cases had to be stored, and prices are a grade easier. Current values are as under:—Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11 inch, £28 to £29; ends and non-dimensions, £21 to £23. Second pine deals—11 inch and up, £19 to £21; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third pine deals—11 inch and up, £13 to £14 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals—9 and 11 inch, £11 to £12; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10s. First pine sidings—9 and 10 inch average, £22 to £24; 11 to 12 inch average, £25 to £26; 13 to 14 inch average, £27 to £29. Spruce deals—9 inch and up, £8 10s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower port pine and spruce—7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s.; 9 inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 10s.

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From St. John, N.B.: Steamer Florence, for London, 22,247 feet deals, by George McKean; 39,660 feet deals, by W.M. MacKay ; 10,500 feet birch blocks, 285,120 shooks, by William Thomson & Company; 155 bales skewers by John Harrison, Sons & Company; 11,364 bundles flooring and blocks. Steamer Manchester Trader, for Manchester, 12,500 feet maple, by McBean & Verrall; 23,333 feet shooks, by A. Cushing & Company; 473,263 feet deals by W. A. Mackay. Steamer Parisian, for Liverpool, 24,672 feet deals, 14,844 feet scantling, 54,571 feet ends, by W.M. Mackay; 6 tons birch timber, 1 ton ash timber, by George McKean. Schooner Abbie Keast, for Vineyard Haven, 700,000 laths, by Stetson, Culter & Company.

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following where among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 14th February, 1903. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A London firm of wholesale and export cabinet-makers are desirous of being placed in direct touch with Canadian exporters of timber suitable for their trade.

A business house in Tunis is making inquiry for Canadian firms prepared to ship lumber, canned goods, &c., for which it is open to take up the agency.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

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H. Gauvreau, of St. Sauveur, Que., has purchased Mr. Roger's mill and timber limits on Sixteen Island Lake for the sum of $20,000.

The negotiations for the sale to American capitalists of the timber property of E. D. Davison & Sons, Bridgewater, N. S., are about concluded. Messrs. Davison will continue to operate the lower mill and the Alpena mill until the logs in the stream are cut.

S. P. Benjamin, of Wolfville, N. S., has bought a half interest in tracts of timber land in the vicinity of Hamilton Inlet, Labrador, held by Wm. Muir, Andrew Muir, James A. Calder, and Hugh A. Calder. The price is understood to be in the vicinity of $100,000.

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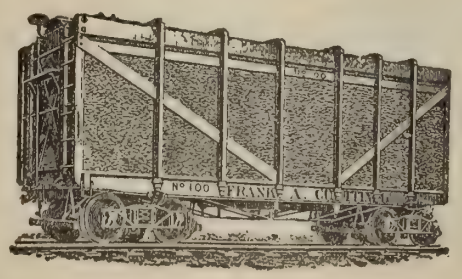

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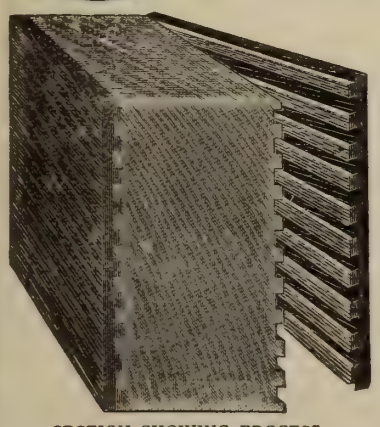

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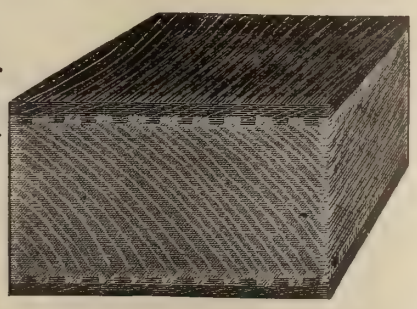

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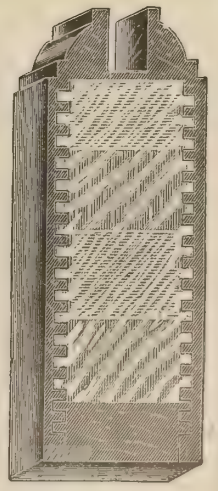

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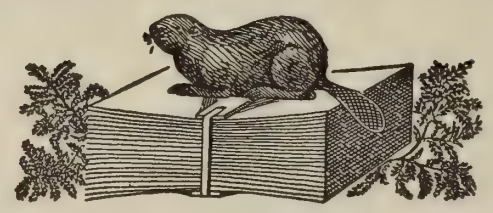

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1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
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No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00 4 00
			Com & good culls	12 00 4 00

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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00 14 00

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Five ammeters.
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Viewed from any standpoint, the lumber market exhibits exceptional strength. Buyers who deferred placing orders in the hope that prices might weaken have now entered the market, only to find that a large portion of the production of both pine and hardwood lumber has been contracted for. Manufacturers are experiencing no difficulty in obtaining the advance over last year's prices which has been fixed upon as the result of the higher cost of production. The buying of the new cut has not been confined to the upper grades, but has included the full range down to mill culls. On the north shore of the Georgian Bay an average grade of mill culls, with dead culls out, readily brings $10, while on the south shore similar stock is held at from $11 to $12. In the Sarnia district the price is $12, with an extra dollar for 10 and 12 inch. Norway lumber is a little stronger, and as the production this season is not likely to be large, a further improvement is expected. For 2x6 and 8 inch, 12 to 16 feet in length, $14 at the mill is asked. No. 1 pine lath is worth about $3.00 at the mill, and No 2 $2.75. There is steady buying of the new cut of hardwoods. Slightly higher prices are reported for basswood, but other classes remain unchanged.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber is firm but quiet. Manufacturers have sold less than the usual quantity of deals for shipment to Great Britain, as European buyers have not responded to the increased price which it has been necessary to ask on account of the greater cost of production. The asking prices are £10 to £10 10s. c.i.f. for 11x3, and £9 for 9x3. Contracts are being closed almost daily for shipment to the United States and South America. A South American specification of 12 inch spruce, 12 to 16 feet in length, recently brought $20 for firsts and $18 for seconds.

Owing to the great depth of snow in the woods in New Brunswick slow progress is being made with logging operations, and it is estimated that the cut on the Upper St. John will be twenty per cent. less than was anticipated at the beginning of the season. In some districts there is over six feet of snow.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber trade of Western Canada are anticipating the season's requirements by purchasing heavily in advance. It is believed that the demand will tax the capacity of the mills to meet it. Several dealers in the North-West have recently visited the Coast and arranged for early shipments. Prices are firm and likely to be further advanced in the near future. The recent wholesale pine list shows an advance ranging from fifty cents to five dollars per thousand.

UNITED STATES.

There is no exception to the pronounced strength which characterizes the lumber market of the United States. The movement of lumber has been restricted in some districts by a scarcity of cars, but the buying has been none the less urgent. Dealers recognize that there is no probability of a break in prices at least before the spring demand is supplied, and by many it is predicted that there will not develop the usual midsummer weakness. Substitutes for the upper grades of white pine are being purchased to some extent, but the trade is not seriously concerned as to any inroads upon pine that may result from this source. A large percentage of the cut of the coming season has already passed out of first hands. In Chicago prices are strong and the stocks of dealers somewhat broken. Piece stuff is held at $17.50 f.o.b. Chicago. Buffalo dealers have a light supply of 2 inch No. 1 cuts, for which a price of $60 is predicted.

There is no accumulation at any point, the demand being sufficient to absorb offerings. Hardwood lumber shows improvement as each day passes. The dealers and large consumers are placing contracts freely with the mills, and while the outlook is for a large production, it is quite probable that the demand will keep pace with it. The stocks of dealers are so low that a large quantity of lumber will be required to restore them to their normal volume. In Chicago $35 is paid for inch firsts and second white ash. Thick maple is especially strong.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Reports from Great Britain are of a more encouraging character. Russian shippers, during a recent visit to London, held a conference to discuss prices; and it was predicted by importers that a general lowering of quotations would result. The reverse was the case, however, a decision being reached to strenuously maintain the present range of values. The effect of this decision has already been felt, several contracts having been closed at shippers' prices. The demand from Germany, France and South Africa has improved, and on the whole the outlook is much better than at last writing. Stocks of Canadian deals are moderate for the season of the year. Pine deals are held in strong hands, as it is realized that, in view of the high prices asked for new stock, it would not be wise to dispose of present holdings except at a fair margin of profit. A few large orders have recently been placed for spruce deals. Second quality, 3x9 inch, is held at £10 10s. per standard, and third quality at £10. Birch and oak timber meet with a heavy sale.

STOCKS AND PRICES

Cowan & Company, of Prince Albert, N.W.T., expect to take out 80,000 logs this winter.

George Shearer, of Truro, N. S., expects to cut 1,100,000 feet of spruce and hardwood lumber this season.

Tenders are wanted by March 1st for the supply of lumber required for waterworks purposes in the City of London, Ont.

James Sanderson, of Prince Albert, N. W. T., has 70 men in the woods and expects to cut 3,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

The timber limits formerley operated by Moore & Macdowall, of Prince Albert, N.W.T., are being worked this winter by a Mr. Telford.

Tenders for the supply of lumber for the Road Department of the City of Montreal will be received by L.O. David, City Clerk, up to March 5th.

The Toronto & Niagara Power Company, of Toronto, is asking for tenders up to March 2nd for the supply of 1,750,000 feet of dimension timber.

Job McFarlane, of Dover, N.B., and Chipman McFarlane, of Salisbury, have purchased a timber limit in Albert county and commenced operations.

The tender of H.S. Brennan & Sons has been accepted for supply of lumber for the city of Hamilton, at the price of $19.20 per thousand. McAllister & Thompson tendered at $19.70.

The City Council of Stratford, Ont., has accepted the tender of James Bennock for supply of lumber, at the following prices: 2x10 pine, $20.50 per thousand; 2x12, $21.50; 4x4 cedar, $15.50.

Matthew Doody, of Cobourg, Ont., recently cut 400 pieces of square timber on a farm near Peterboro. The timber is 20 to 80 feet in length and will be rafted to Quebec for export to England.

The Niagara Falls Power Company has purchased 3,000,000 feet of redwood timber to be used in construction work. It was purchased in California and is to be delivered at Buffalo by July next.

A timber berth of 2-½ square miles at the mouth of the Salmon river, in Queens County, N.B., will be sold by the Government at Fredericton, N. B., on Wednesday, March 4th. The applicant is W. E. Cadwallader.

The Waddle Land Company, of Regina, N.W.T., recently purchased 2,000,000 feet of lumber from manufacturers at Vancouver, B.C. The purchase price is given as $50,000. It is understood that the lumber is to be shipped to Regina immediately.

The Corporation of Chamby Canton, Que., requests bids by March 14th for supply of the following quantities of lumber, to be delivered by June 1st: 58,164 feet of first class spruce, 3 inches x 8, 9 or 10 inches (the whole of the same width); 478 stringers of first-class red pine, 4 inches x 12 x 18 feet long; 60 stringers of first-clsss red pine, 6 inches x 12 x18 feet long; 116 pieces of first-class red pine, 3 inches x 6 x 18 feet long.

Of the cooperage market Messrs. Sutherland, Innes & Company, of Chatham, Ont., say: "As fare as the market is concerned, anybody that has dry stock, No. 1 quality, can dispose of it readily, as there is a good demand for No. 1 dry stock. No. 2, of course, is slow at this season of the year, but no doubt will look up in the course of a month or so. It is just between the seasons now, so that very little can be said on the state of the market."

The annual review of white pine market conditions, compiled by the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association, contains the following: There has been a decrease in the percentage of piece stuff during the year, due to the higher list on inch lumber. At the beginning of the year 1901 the percentage of dimension in the total stock on hand was 31.6 per cent. At the beginning of 1902 this was reduced to 28.6 per cent and at the beginning of this year the stock sheets show a percentage of 27.2 per cent. in the Mississippi valley. On the other hand, the increased percentage of low grade inch has been cleared up by a brisk demand which prevailed all the fall. There

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has been an increase in the amount of No. 3 shop lumber on hand, and it has been suggested that the specifications of this grade be made a trifle more restrictive. There has been some further increase in the cost of manufacture. Operations in the woods this winter will be considerably more expensive than ever before. Features of supply and demand may make some readjustment of prices necessary during the year. We are independent with our upper grades, but should recognize the growing competition with yellow pine, hemlock and western lumber. There is an increasing percentage of low grade stock in each season's cut of northern pine, but the shortage of upper grades increases the call for the lower, and the condition corrects itself.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

Canadian deals, etc., realized the following prices at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., on February 12th:

PINE.—Ex. Everingham, from Quebec—15-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. third quality, £12 15s. per standard. Ex. Aquila, from Quebec—12-13 feet. 3 x 8 in. first quality, £18 10s.; 9-11 ft. 3 x 8, £19; 12-13 ft. 3 x 7, £18; 9-11 ft. 3 x 7, £18. Ex. Forest Brook, from Montreal—16-17 ft. 3 x 11 in. second quality. £18 10.; 14-15 feet 3 x 11, £18 15s.; 14 ft. 3 x 11, £19 5s. Ex. Zanzibar, from Quebec—6-18 ft. 3 x 6 in. first quality red, £12 15s.; 6-18 ft. 3 x 5, £12, 10s.; 6-18 ft. 3 x 4, £12 15s. Ex. Belgian, from Montreal—11-20 ft. 1 x 9 in. third quality red, £9 5s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Lobelia, from Quebec—12-13 feet. 3 x 6-9 in. second quality, £8 10s.; 6-8 feet. 3 x 9-11, £9; 6-8 ft. 3 x 8, £8 5s.; 6-8 ft. 3 x 7, £8; 6-13 ft. 2 x 4-11, £8. Ex. Nordhavet, from Quebec—12 ft. 3 x 11 in. second quality, £11; 12-14 ft. 3 x 7, £8. Ex. Active, from Quebec—14-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. fourth quality, £8 5s.; 12-16 ft. 3 x 10, £8; 6-13 ft. 3 x 9, £8 5s. Ex. Devona, from Quebec—14-15 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £9 15s. Ex. Fortuna, from English Bay—8-14 ft. 2 x 7 in. second quality, £8 10s.; 9-15 ft. 2 x 5, £7 5s.; 7-15 ft. 2 x 5, £7 15s. Ex. Minnewask, from Quebec—9-14 ft. 3 x 9 in. first quality, £13 5s.; 9-13 ft. 3 x 7, £12; 9-13 ft. 3 x 6, £11 15s.; 9-14 ft. 3 x 6-8 in. fourth quality, £7 15s.; 6-14 ft. 2 x 12-14, £7 10s.; 6-14 ft. 2 x 11, £7 5s.; 6-16 ft. 2 x 9, £7 10s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Quebec—12-14 ft. 3 x 11 in. second quality, £10 15s.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

George McKeen, of St. John, N.B., is reported to have sold to a Nova Scotia syndicate his large timber property on the Nouville river, Quebec. The price paid was in the vicinity of $100,000.

James F. Kimball, a prominent lumberman of Medway, Me., Wilson Crosby, of Bangor, and others have sold to the William Richards Company, Campbellton, extensive timber lands situated in parish of Stanley and other parts of York and Northumberland counties. The price paid for these lands was $100,336.12.

Peter Ryan, of Toronto, recently purchased from C. K. Eddy & Sons, of Saginaw, Mich., eighty-three square miles of timber limits on Lake Penage, on the north shore of Lake Huron. The purchase price is thought to have been in the neighborhood of $1,000,000. It is reported that Mr. Ryan has since disposed of the limits to the Victoria Harbor Lumber Company.

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14	logs,	20 in. deep	and up....	30½d
10	"	19 and 19½	in. deep ..	22¾d
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18	"	18	"	21¾d
17	"	17½	"	21¼d
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16	"	16½	"	20½d
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18	"	16½	"	20¼d
19	"	16	"	20d
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19	"	16	"	20d
20	"	16	"	20d
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19	"	15½	"	18¾d
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19	"	15½	"	18½d
23	"	15	"	18½d
23	"	15	"	18¼d
23	"	15	"	18¼d
29	"	15	"	18¼d
30	"	14½	"	17½d
30	"	14½	"	17½d
36	"	14	" and under	17d
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In addition to the birch logs a parcel of Miramichi birch planks and St. John spruce boards were offered. The former elicited a bid of £6 2s 6d per standard, at which price they were withdrawn. No reasonable bid being forthcoming for the spruce boards they remained unsold.

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Mr. C. W. Spencer, general superintendent of the C. P. R., writes the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal that his company have been requested by a number of timber shippers who handle a large quantity of timber to transport it into Montreal instead of Papineauville, as heretofore. Arrangements have been made with Mr. J. Doran for rafting the timber from Montreal to Quebec. Mr. Spencer will be requested to furnish plans of what he requires, and he will be informed that no exclusive privilege has been given Mr. Doran to raft into Montreal.

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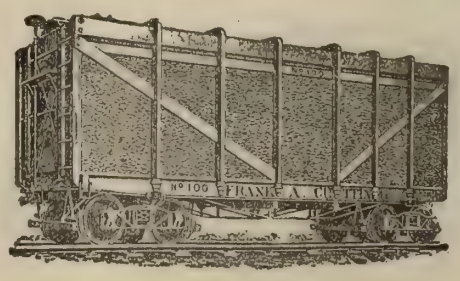

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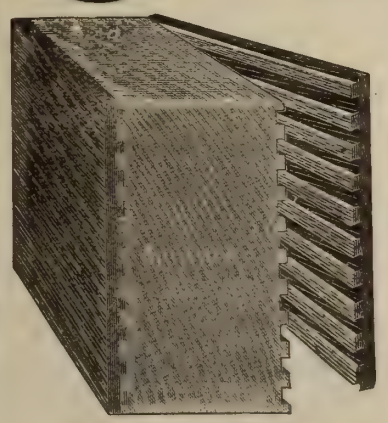

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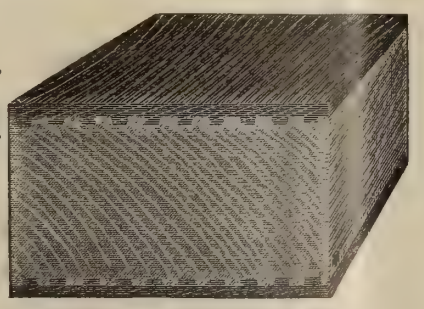

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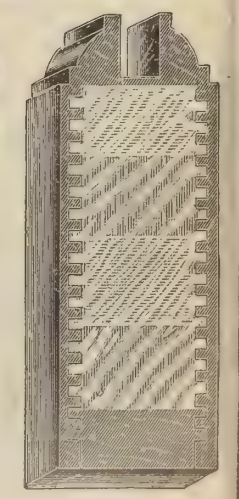

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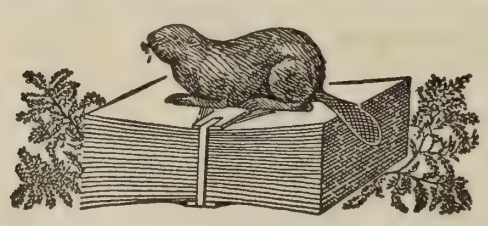

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No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mill run	00	2 25
¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$40 00	$46 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	28 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	20 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	19 00	20 00
1 in ch siding mill run	19 00	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 25
1¾ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 20
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XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
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Birch, M. R. 1 in.	18 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
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Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
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Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$36 00	38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	22 00	26 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	28 00	30 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	11 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	42	48
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average according to lineal	51	57
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In shipping order, " " "	8	34

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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

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14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
7 " "	27	29
8 " "	30	32

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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

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1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	20 00	1x4	16 50

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1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

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Clear Butt, 1 inch	2 2	2 40
XXXX 18 inch	2 90	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50

Cedar Shingles:

Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60	1 90
XXXX 6 inch	2 75	2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

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No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine 3
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Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10
No. 2	32	45	1x8
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12
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Pine	$3 50	Spruce	$3 50

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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in	48 00
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2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	26 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in. 40 00 42 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 22 00 4 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber business of the past week has shown evidence of buying for the spring trade. Retail dealers have placed orders with the object of building up their stocks to a point which they consider will meet the heavy demand which is confidently looked for. In Toronto business was more active during February than in the corresponding month last year, all grades of pine and hardwoods being called for to some extent. Should there be an early spring still higher prices for lumber are looked for, as the building requirement will be large and the new cut of lumber will not be ready before June. By some an early advance in the price of shingles is predicted.

The weather of late has been favorable for logging operations, and a large in-put of logs is the result. There is no fear, however, as to a surplus of lumber, as American firms have recently bought very heavily. It is estimated that over 50 per cent. of the Georgian Bay production will find a market in Michigan and Ohio.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Transactions in spruce lumber nave been quite heavy of late, and a large percentage of the production of deals has been contracted for. It is understood that the Charlemagne company have placed their first quality deals with a Liverpool firm at about ten shillings advance over the prices which ruled in 1902. Heavy transactions in waney and square timber have also taken place at enhanced values. The production of the Maritime Provinces has not sold so well, and some of the best cuts are still on the market. Manufacturers refuse to reduce their asking prices, however, which they claim are warranted by the cost of production. New Brunswick cedar shingles are still somewhat unsettled, although investigations go to show that prices are likely to be higher in the near future. Sales are being made around $3.40 for extras on Boston rate of freight.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Indications point to a very active demand for lumber this year throughout Western Canada. The building season is opening early, and Winnipeg architects have plans under way for a large number of buildings both in the city and at provincial points. It is already questioned whether the supply of lumber will meet the demand, and for this reason higher prices seem probable. In British Columbia the removal of the United States duty on shingles is being discussed, but in our opinion such an action is not likely to be taken. The saw and shingle mills of the Coast are busy, with large orders booked in advance.

UNITED STATES.

The past week has witnessed more activity in the buying of lumber than has any previous week this year. Dealers have apparently become convinced that there is a shortage in the supply of lumber and that prices are not likely to recede. In the Duluth district there is a scarcity of many sizes of piece stuff, for which manufacturers are now asking $15 at the mill, whereas one year ago the price was $13.50. In Chicago there is a scarcity of 6-inch strips and 12-inch No. 1 boards, while the buying for box concerns has reduced the supply of No. 4 and 5 boards to a low point. Hemlock has recently come into much prominence by showing more strength in comparison than any other class of lumber. Cargo lots delivered at Chicago bring $12.50, the average price on the mill dock being about $11. Hardwoods continue to improve, the buying of the lower grades being a feature of late transactions. Maple is stronger and has advanced about one dollar. Manufacturers' quotations are $20, $12 and $8 for firsts and seconds, common aud cull respectively f.o.b. shipping point. The approach of spring has brought about more activity in shingles, with prospects of slightly higher prices.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Considering the nearness of the importing season, it must be said that much indifference is shown on the part of British importers in respect to placing contracts for their supply of lumber. The opinion is gaining ground, however, that the import of the coming season will be very moderate, and consequently more activity in closing negotiations may be expected in the near future. The position of Canadian pine and spruce is extremely firm. The Timber News reports a transaction at £34 per standard c.i.f. Glasgow for first quality broad pine deals, and £31 is asked for 11x3. For third quality pine £13 per standard for the usual specifications is being asked by shippers. Pine boards in shipping cull qualities have been disposed of at £11 to £11 10s. Red pine deals are in good demand, especially four inch thick, at about 10 shillings advance on the best figures of last year.

Shippers are asking £9 5s for 3 x 9 spruce and £8 10s for fourths, while for 7 and 8 inch of unsorted quality the asking quotation is £8. There appears to be a fair stock of fourth quality and cull spruce, and any advance that may take place this season will probably be confined to the higher grades. At a recent auction sale 3x9 third quality spruce brought £9 15s and fourth quality £9. These prices, it will be observed, are only 10 shillings higher than the quotations of shippers, and do not leave a reasonable margin of profit for the importer. First quality red pine at the same sale brought £15 15s for 1x9 to 14 inches, which is considered comparatively cheap.

The appreciation in square and waney timber continues. Prices have now reached 3s 6d to 3s 7d for first class 18 inch and 3s for second class 18 inch waney pine c.i.f. Liverpool. Oak is held at 3s 4d to 3s 5d and rock elm at 3s 1d to 3s 2d c.i.f. These prices are probably the highest ever known.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

David Lynch, of St. John, N.B., is in the market for 400 spruce futticks and crooks, 10 to 12 feet long and sided up to 11 and 12 inches.

Cameron & Company, of Ottawa, last week purchased 200,000 feet of hardwood lumber from the Estate of E. N. Hurtubise & Company, Aylwin, Que.

The contract for piles for the Ogilvie mill at Fort William, Ont., has been awarded to the Lake Superior Timber Company. The contract calls for 4,000 piles to be delivered in the spring.

J. & T. Conlon, of Thorold, Ont., have been given contracts for all the logs which they can saw this season by there two mills at Little Current. It may be found necessary to operate the miles day and night part of the season.

In Chicago last week a sale was made of 500 lard tierces at $1.15. In slack stock No. 1, 30-inch elm staves are quoted at from $8 to $8.50 and flour staves about $8. There is said to be a small margin between the raw material for cooperage purposes and the finished product.

The Dominion Government is asking for tenders up to March 25th for a license to cut timber on Berth Nos. 11, 12, 14, 15, 16 and 18, situate in the province of Manitoba, along the shore of Lake Winnipegosis. The limits comprise a total of 225 square miles and were formerly owned by thelate P. Kelly. The Government also desires tenders by March 18th for a license to cut timber on Berths No. 332 and 333 in province of British Columbia, the former containing 640 acres and the latter 23 square miles.

Four timber berths were sold at the Crown Dands office, Fredericton, N.B., on February 25th, as follows: Three square miles, south of Clifton Station, Caraquet River, to P. G. Mahoney, at $115 per square mile; four square miles on Portage River, Kent county, to R. O'Leary, at the upset price of $8; eight square miles on Polley's and Murphey's Creek, Kouchibougnac, and 10 square miles on Black River and Murphy's Creek, to R. O'Leary, at the upset price of $8 per mile.

Under date of February 14th, Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company say of the Barbadoes market: The arrivals with lumber during the fortnight have been small, and our yards are barely supplied. During our crop season, just commenced, there is always a good demand. Last sales for local use are as follows—White pine at $26. per M for first quality and $21 for second quality; spruce, $23.00 per M for first and $20 for second quality.—Cargo is to arrive from Bear River. Shingles—Gaspe long cedar, last sale at $5.04 to $4.89 per M; Cedar laying, last sale $1.82; Spruce Laying, worth $1.65 to $1.70. Cypress, sawn saps $3.80 for 6-inch, $3.50 for 5-inch, and $3.20 for 4-inch.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN).

Reports received from the lumber limits this week give every assurance of a late spring. Should this be a reality, log and timber hauling will not be interfered with. From the Kippewa Country, which is the banner scene of operations this year, comes reports of fear of further snow falls even at this advanced stage of winter. While there has been an abundance of the "fleecy" it has been light, and hence has not impeded operations. More snow, however, will certainly have this effect.

It looks as if the British bound square and waney timber will "reach its destination" much sooner this year than last. It is nearly all being taken out in the Kippewa district, and arrangement have

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been made whereby it will be handled over the branch line of the C. P. Railway from Gordon Creek. At Papineauville, on the Ottawa river midway between Ottawa and Montreal, the bulk of the timber will be placed in the river and rafted for movement to Quebec City. By this rail and river arrangement the tedious all river trip from the limits to the seaport will be cut down considerably both as regards time and distance. The timber should reach the British market weeks if not months before the time of arrival of former years. This will be very desirable to both buyer and seller. The sooner the timber reaches Quebec the sooner the manufacturer gets his money. By the adoption of the rail route the timber will be saved the battering which was experienced in previous seasons in the all river route, a battering which meant a deterioration in value. Mr. Wm. Wade of Grenville, Que., a man of many years experience, will have charge of the rafting of the timber from Papineauville to Quebec.

Every stick of square and waney timber manufactured in the season of 1902-1903 has been sold at an advance ranging from ten per cent. in September to twenty per cent. later on.

Talk about advances in the value of lumber. A lot of good white pine logs were sold in Ottawa this week and the price was a dollar more per M., log measure, than the lumber in the logs would have brought three years ago after being sawn, seasoned and selected. However, when it comes to a matter of advances lath heads the list. In the last four years it has more than doubled in value, showing an increase of over 100 per cent. Four years ago No. 1 white pine lath begged buyers at 95 cents and $1.00 per M, whereas present quotations for the same stock—where it can be had, are $2.50 to $2.75 and even higher.

While the estimate on the portion of the mill cut of 1903 already out of first hands is placed at 50 per cent. it must be remembered that this applies to quantity only. When it comes down to a question of value fully seventy-five per cent. represents the part sold. This is accounted for by the fact that the demand for the high grade timber is, and has been, much better than for the medium and low grades, and hence has sold easier.

The 1903 output of the Ottawa district mills will, providing the movement of logs during the summer continues free, reach fully 36,000,000 feet, an increase of ten million on the figures for 1902. Every available log will be cut, for the high price of sawn lumber is a great incentive to mill activity.

The movement of lumber from Ottawa district yards to American points is quite active at present, but car scarcity is complained of. A local man who made a state trip through New York last week reports many inquiries for Canadian lumber. If the railway companies were in a position to move the lumber freely the activity would be even more pronounced than it is.

A local lumberman who returned this week from the Sault Ste Marie district states that the lumber activity thereabouts is unprecedented. Hardwood limits which went a begging a few years ago at $3 to $5 an acre are now selling at figures rang-

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The Ottawa lumber firms are already arranging for the movement of supplies for next year's camps. In previous years this was left to a large measure in the hands of the jobbers, but this year more than one firm, through with logmaking, has placed parties of men at work moving in supplies to the "stopover" stations, the idea being to take advantage of the river roads and sleighing.

Despite the fact that record wages were paid this year or rather as a natural result of this, the firms have had continuous trouble with their new men, who are either changing or throwing up jobs almost daily even at this late stage. The great drawback to work on the limits this season in fact, was the scarcity of high class labor, a problem that money failed to solve.

The Shepard & Morse Company have made extensive improvements to the Mason mill in the west end of the city. It is now one of the most up-to-date mills in the district. New edgers and setters have been installed, and one of the band saws has been changed to a double cutter. This mill will have a large output this year.

Work is progressing satisfactorily on Fraser & Company's new mill at Deschenes near Ottawa, and it is now expected it will be sawing lumber by Dominion Day.

Speaking about new mills it may be remarked that the first of the machinery for the new Booth mill at the Chaudiere is expected to arrive in Ottawa in a week or so. Until the heavier parts are installed work will not be proceeded with on the superstructure. The latter will probably be built of brick, although stone is spoken of.

OTTAWA, March 3rd, 1902.

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From St. John, N.B.: Steamer Castalia, for Glasgow, 396,514 ft. deals, 9,979 ft. ends by Donald Fraser & Sons; 101,112 ft. deals, 2,424 ft. scantling by George McKean; 37,125 ft. pine boards by Schofield & Company. Steamer Manchester City, for Manchester, 860,439 ft. deals, by George McKean; 379,794 ft. deals, 23,907 ft. scantling, 36,916 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay; 219,314 ft. lumber by William Thomson & Company; 660 bundles flooring, by W. D. Young. Steamer Mongolian, for Liverpool, 151,070 ft. deals, 29,923 ft. scantling, 28,998 ft. ends, 14,475 ft. boards by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Dunmore Head for Dublin, 99,002 ft. deals, 19,110 shooks, by A. Cushing & Company; 1,010 doors, by William Thompson & Company. Steamer Evangeline, for London, 222,000 shooks, 105 crates veneer by William Thompson & Company; 700,000,130 ft. deals, by W. M. Mackay.

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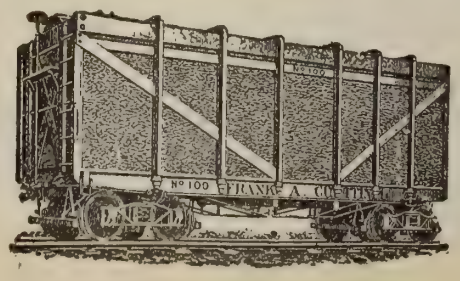

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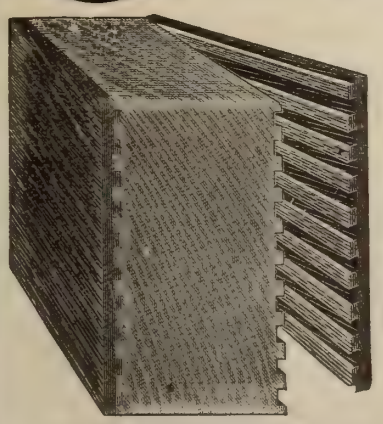

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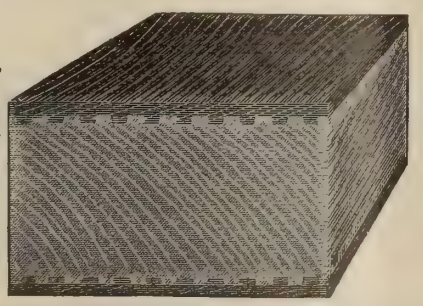

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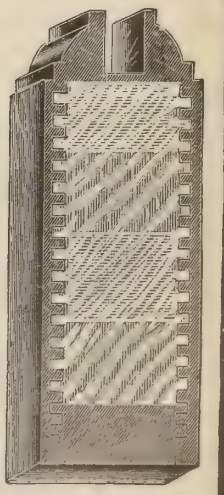

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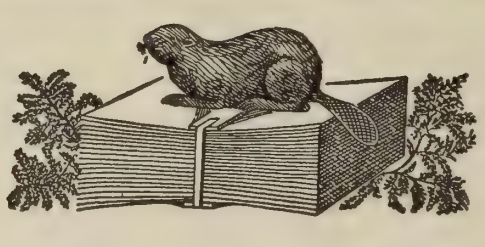

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1 inch No 2 cuts & better	$40 00 $46 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00 30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00 28 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00 26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50
2x10 common	17 50
2x12 common	18 00
3x10 common	18 00
3x12 common	18 50
1x10 and 12 common.	18 00 20 00
1 inch siding common	15 50
1 inch strips, common	15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	20 00 22 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	19 00 20 00
1 in ch siding mill run	19 00 20 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 35
XXX white pine shingles	3 25
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in	3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 65

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00 $32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00 24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00 25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00 19 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	18 00 20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00 22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00 26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00 24 00
1½ to 2	23 00 26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00 19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00 25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00 20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00 2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½ 50 00 60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 60 00 65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 16 00 19 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 17 00 19 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼" 22 00 24 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3 24 00 26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2 32 00 35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½ 19 00 20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 20 00 21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 31 00 33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 34 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 32 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 35 00 38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2 60 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 " 3 85 00 100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2 34 00 38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$36 00 38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00 48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	48 00 52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00 32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00 36 00
2 in.	34 00 38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	22 00 26 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	28 00 30 00
2 in.	30 00 35 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 1 s. c. and better stock	18 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00 19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00 17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	11 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00 2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine, mill run	00 2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25 2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	2 90 3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25 1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60 1 90
XXXX, 16 inch	2 25 2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20 1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	42	48
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	51	57
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	51	59
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	31
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
7 " "	27	29
8 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
2in.	60 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00
2in.	52 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x5 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide.	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6.	19 00
1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50
No. 2. White Pine	3
Hemlock	2

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	82 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	73 75
4 inch uppers	83 85
Selects, 2½ in. up	73 75
1 to 2 in.	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	59 62
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52 56
No. 2	32 45
No. 3	25 30
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47 50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35 40
Stained saps	30 40
Bracket plank	30 35
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
Dressing boards, narrow	23
1x10 inch shippers	21 22
1x12 inch shippers	$ 24
4/4 inch 13" & up.	24
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
10-in. dressing and better	28 37
10-in. common	20
12-in. dressing and better	35 30
Common, 1x12	21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	27 29
1x10	24 26
1x8	22 24
No. 2 barn, 1x12	24 26
1x10	23
1x8	21
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35 40
" " 2 inch	45
Dressing	26 20
Common	32

LATH.

Pine	$3 50
Spruce	$ $3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50 $4 75
Clear butts	3 50 3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 50
Hemlock	2 20
Spruce	2 25

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in	62 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in	75 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in	36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
Box, 1x4	15 00
1x6 & up.	17 50
1x10	18 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	20 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00 32 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00 37 00
2½ to 4 in.	40 00 42 00
Strips	19 00 21 00
Com. and culls	13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00 30 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00 35 00
1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00 24 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00 25 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00
1st &2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 22 00
Common and culls	11 00 14 00
1st &2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Commonand culls	9 00 11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

A visit to the lumber offices this week found everybody still taking a very hopeful view of the outlook for lumber. The general opinion is that prices are likely to remain near the present mark for some months yet. Reports from outside points are equally sanguine of a large demand and firm market. The demand has been accelerated during the past week by milder weather. Dealers who are fortunate enough to have any unsold stock on hand are making good profits, as the high prices asked for the new cut facilitate sales of old stock. The number of inquiries for lumber for manufacturing and building purposes is steadily increasing, and to meet the demand the retail dealers are buying quite liberally. A large per-

centage of the best grades of white pine has passed out of the hands of manufacturers, and of late a greater disposition has been shown by buyers to take the lower grades. Nearly three months will elapse before the new cut will be in marketable condition, and in the meantime there is certain to be a shortage in many items.

In some districts milder weather has put an end to the hauling of hardwood logs, although until recently operations were conducted under favorable conditions. The crop will not be larger than can be easily taken care of. Birch lumber is meeting with more favor and the stock is comparatively low. Elm and maple are steady, with some manufacturers asking an advance of one dollar over recent quotations. Hemlock continues to stiffen in price.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The chief interest of the lumber trade of the Maritime Provinces is centred on logging operations. Throughout the greater part of New Brunswick the snow is so deep that great difficulty has been found in hauling logs from the yards to the landings, while in some sections logging operations have been abandoned altogether. A large operator says that yarding has ceased, with only 75 to 80 per cent. of the usual quantity of logs in. Teams are scarce and operators are paying 25 per cent. higher wages than usual for hauling to the landings. As a result of these conditions the logs will be secured at greatly increased cost, which cannot but have an appreciable effect upon the price of manufactured lumber. Buyers who have been holding off in the hope of obtaining price concessions are likely to find that in order to obtain the stock it will be necessary to meet the ideas of manufacturers.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The prospective activity in building operations in the West is regarded as very favorable to the lumber trade. In Winnipeg the year is expected to be the most active in this respect which has ever been experienced, and the same may be said of many western points. The demand for lumber is increasing and prospects are bright. The new white pine list for Winnipeg shows sharp advances in finishing material and smaller advances in other items. British Columbia lumbermen have booked large orders for heavy timbers and rough lumber for railway work, as well as for shingles. Some manufacturers fear that they will be compelled to refuse orders in the near future.

UNITED STATES.

The situation in the United States in respect to the purchase of mill cuts does not correspond with that in Canada. There has been less buying since the first of the year than during the same period for many years, although the strength of the market has been maintained. The prospects for a fair supply of lumber this season are good, and as the supply at wholesale centres is considered sufficient for the trade until the new supply is available, there have been few strong inducements to purchase heavily in advance. Nevertheless, those who have closed contracts acted wisely, as there has been a slight stiffening of prices. In some quarters a weaker market is anticipated later in the year, and some dealers are disposed to delay the closing of contracts in expectation of this result. Buffalo has a fair supply of white pine, but the stock of common and box is light. The high price of good pine has resulted in a larger consumption of the lower grades. Firmness characterizes the hemlock situation. In New York the price of the Pennsylvania product was last week advanced 50 cents, making the basis $17. In Buffalo the base price is $15.50, and in Chicago $14.50. There have been reports of a scarcity in the supply of Michigan hemlock. No change of importance has taken place in the hardwood market. There is really no stock at the mills, while the demand continues to expand. Some eastern manufacturers of maple flooring recently made a cnt in prices, but this has been adjusted and prices restored to the former basis.

GREAT BRITAIN.

It is difficult for anyone to forecast the immediate future of the British timber market. Compared with previous years very few contracts for the season's supply have been closed, as importers cannot see their way to pay the prices asked by shippers. They fear that the higher values will check consumption and are in hope that shippers will eventually make concessions. The high cost of new stock has strengthened the price of lumber on hand and made it comparatively easy to effect sales. First and second quality pine deals are in light stock and sell very readily. At recent auction sales high prices were obtained for spruce, second quality 3x9 bringing £10 5s. per standard and third quality £9 15s. It is predicted that £10 15s. and £10 will be reached under the hammer for second and third quality spruce deals before the arrival of new goods. Importers are holding back and hope to eventually contract for spruce at £9 10s. for second quality and £9 for third quality, 3x9, c. i. f. London. A few sales have transpired for third quality at a shade below £9 5s. c.i.f. There is a good demand for waney pine timber, but square is quiet.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Robert Gass, of Shubenacadie, N. S., expects to cut 5,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

Graham, Horne & Company will supply the lumber required by the Corporation of Fort William, Ont.

At Cleveland, Ohio, the list price for hemlock piece stuff is $16 for 12, 14 and 16 foot, $17 for 18 foot and $18 for 20 foot.

J. C. Baker, of Richford, Que., has 80,000 logs at South Bolton ready to be rafted down the Missiquoi river in the spring.

Mr. McGinnis, of Rockland, Ont., has been awarded the contract of rafting the logs at Gatineau Point for the Hawkesbury Lumber Company.

The De Laplante & McBurney Lumber Company, of North Tonawanda, N.Y., have already purchased 38,000,000 feet of lumber to supply their trade of the coming season.

A two-mile timber berth on the Southwest Miramichi river below Doaktown, N. B., will be offered for sale at the Crown Lands office, Fredericton, N. B., on March 18th. The applicant is W. L. Tibbitts.

T. Prefontaine & Company have secured the contract for the supply of spruce planks required by the Road Committee of Montreal, at $30 per thousand. The Montreal Lumber Company will supply tongued and grooved white pine at $19.50 and rough white pine at $18. Tamarac floats will be furnished by G. A. Grier at $14.50.

The St. Croix Lumber Company, which recently purchased from T. G. McMullin, of Truro, N. S., a valuable saw mill and thirty thousand acres of timber land at St. Croix, Hants county, expect to market 6,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

At Ashland, Wis., all kinds of box lumber are high and cannot be had even at the prices asked, due to the fact that all of last season's cut has been sold and a large amount of the cut of this year contracted for at prices ranging from $10.75 to $11.25 for No. 4 boards and $5.50 to $6.50 for No. 5 boards. Some dealers claim that $12 for No. 4 boards will be reached this year. Lath are in good demand with a fair supply on hand, No. 1 white pine selling at $3.25 and No. 2 at $2.75.

At Buffalo there is a very firm feeling in slack cooperage stock. The supply is light and not likely to be large right away if ever, so that the producer and jobber find it necessary to hold firm, especially as they know that the limit has been about reached in substitute package until something new is discovered. The city demand for barrels is called light, though some of the shops are running pretty strong. Jobbers quote first-class dry elm flour-barrel staves at $9.25 to $9.50, first-class basswood heading at 6 to 6½ cents and coiled hoops at $10 to $10.50 for 6-foot and $9.75 to $10.25 for 5½-foot. Stocks are rather light here at present, but promise to increase steadily.

Secretary Mixer, of the Buffalo Lumber Exchange, has just completed the statistics of the lumber trade of that city for the past year and is able to make a fine showing. He finds that the lake receipts of lumber were 208,586,000 feet, an increase of 8,128,000 feet, and of shingles 188,068,000, an increase of 36,225,000. The rail receipts, all reckoned as lumber, were 155,563,000 feet, an increase of 23,663,000 feet. This total of 391,095,000 feet is practically doubled by the shipment of 389,638,000 feet to customers direct that did not come to Buffalo, making a grand total of 780,733,000 feet. The amount on hand at Buffalo at the beginning of the year was 196,707,000 feet, all reckoned as lumber, an increase of 6,406,000 feet. The increase in white pine was 11,578,000 feet, and there was a small increase in hardwoods but norway and hemlock fell off.

The Rat Portage Lumber Company have sold their retail yard in Winnipeg to Alex. Black, who will carry on the business in future. The company will confine itself hereafter to its wholesale trade.

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From Annapolis, N. S.: Bark James Daley, for West Indies, lumber, shipped by Pickles & Mills.

From Halifax, N. S.: Steamer Orinoco, for St. Vincent, British West Indies, 29,206 feet spruce, value $430. Steamer Urania, for Porto Rico, 16,876 feet spruce, value $185. Steamer Pretorian, for Liverpool, 60,498 feet spruce deals, value $703. Steamer Tritonia, for Glasgow, 105,930 feet hemlock, value $2,500, 199,306 feet spruce, value $1,987. Schr. Tyree, for Brazil, 20,725 feet spruce, value $244.

From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Lake Megantic, for Avonmouth, 3,724 bundles shooks, by Troop & Son; 208,987 feet deals, 44,732 feet scantling, 23,755 feet ends, 140,598 feet birch plank, 12,983 feet birch ends, by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Araucania, for Brow Head, 148,643 feet deals, 5,960 feet boards, 75,280 feet ends, by F. E. Neale. Schr. Viola, for Boston, 94,320 feet plank, 100,588 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Company. Schr. A. P. Emerson, for City Island, 81,044 feet deals, 837,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company.

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The Nova Scotia Lumbermen's Association recently held a conference with Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, on the subject of freight rates lumber. As a result the Minister decide not to introduce the proposed increase on spruce, which was to go into effect on April 1st, but to allow the present tariff to remain as it is until August 31st in order to allow those who had made contracts to deliver them without loss on account of increased rates.

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Timber and Dimension.—Timber, 4x10 and 12, 6x10 and 12, and 8x8 to 12x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $21; 6x6 to 6x8, 4x4 to 4x8, and 3x6 to 3x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $20. Dimensions, 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $19; 2x10, 2x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, $19.50; 2x4,10 feet long, $20; 2x8 to 2x12, 10 feet long, $19.50; 2x6, 10 feet long, $17.50; 2x8, 2x10, 2x12, 6 and 8 feet, $18.50; 2x4 and 2x6, 6 and 8 feet, $16; 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet, spruce, $18; 2x10 to 2x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet, $1.50 less than No. 1. $1 per M. advance on each inch over 12 in. in depth and width. $1 per M. advance on each 2 feet over 16 feet.

Boards.—Second common stock, 12 in., 10 to 16 feet, $21; do., 8 to 10 in., do., $20; second common boards, all widths, do., $19.50; third do., $18.50; fourth do., $16; fifth do., $11.50; ½ in. sheathing S.I.S., do., $16.50; No. 1 wide box boards, do., $29.50; No. 2 wide box boards, do., $22. $1 per M. extra for 18 feet. $2 per M. less for 6 and 8 feet. Resawing boards $1 per M. extra.

Shiplap.—8 and 10 in., 10 to 16 feet, $21; 6 in., do., $20; culls, 8 and 10 in., do., $18.50; do., 6 in., do., $15.50; ½x6, 8 or 10 in., do., $16.00. $2 per M. less for 8 feet and under. $1 per M. extra for 18 feet.

Flooring, Siding and Ceiling.—Flooring and siding, 8 and 10 in., $22; do. 8 and 10 in. culls, $18.50; flooring, siding and ceiling, 4, 5 and 6 in., 1st and 2nd white pine, $37; do., 4, 5 and 6 in. 3rd white pine, $30; do., 5 and 6 in. 1st and 2nd red pine, $31.50; do., 4 in. 1st and 2nd red pine, $29; do., 5 and 6 in. 3rd red pine, $26.50; do., 4 in. 3rd red pine, $24.50; do., 5 and 6 in. 4th red and white pine, $20; do., 4, 5 and 6 in. culls, $17; 1st and 2nd red pine ceiling, ½ x 4, $22; do., ⅜ x 4, $19; third red pine ceiling, ½ x 4, $18; do., ⅜ x 4, $15. $1 per M extra for 18 feet. $2 per M less for 8 feet and under. $1 per M advance for dressing two sides. 1¼ and 1½ in. flooring $1 per M advance over 1 in. Bevel siding, No. 1, ½ in. x 6 in., $24; No. 2, ½ x 6 in., $21.

Finishing.—1¼, 1½ and 2 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $58; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd clear white pine, 12 in. and wider, $60; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. select white pine, under 12 in. wide, $48; do., 12 in. and wider, $50; do., shop, under 12 in. wide, $43; do., 12 in. and wider, $45. $5 per M advance on 2½ in. and thicker. 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. clear red pine, under 12 in. wide, $35; do., 12 in. and wider, $37; do. select red pine, under 12 in. wide, $30.50; do. 12 in. and wider, $32.50. 1 in. 1st and 2nd clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $60.50; do., 12 in. and wider, $62.50; 1 in. clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, $49.50; do. 12 in. and wider, $51.50; 1 in. B select white pine, under 12 in. wide, $43; do. 12 in. and wider, $45; 1 in. C select white pine, under 12 in. wide, $38; do., 12 in. and wider, $40.

Mouldings.—Parting strips (per 100 lineal feet) 40c.; window stops, 50c.; door stops, 75c.; quarter round and cove, 50c.; 4 in. casting, $1.75c; 5 in. casting, $2.25; 6 in. casting, $2.65; 8 in. base, $3.50; 10 in. base, $4.40. All other mouldings 30 per cent. discount off universal moulding list.

Lath, per M, No. 1, $4; No. 2, $3.

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TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

The Rathbun Company, of Deseronto, Ont., are announced to have sold to A. Barnet, of Renfrew, a timber limit situated near Grand Lake, on the Upper Ottawa river. The limit is 75 miles in extent and contains a considerable quantity of white pine and other woods. The consideration was in the neighborhood of $50,000.

H. Lovell & Son, of Coaticook, have disposed of their timber property and mills located in the vicinity of Gaspe, Que. The property comprises 34,000 acres of timber lands, mills and all equipment. The price is $100,000. The purchasers are Americans, who are largely interested in pulp wood. The logs cut during the winter remain the property of Lovell & Son, but will likely be taken over by the new company in the spring at a price to be agreed upon.

Last week Alfred Dickie and John A. Gillis, of Lower Stewiacke, N.S., purchased the entire timber property of the Grand River Pulp & Lumber Company in Labrador. They are now the sole stockholders in this company.

Minnesota capitalists have purchased the timber property of the Fred Robinson Lumber Company, of Revelstoke, B.C. The transaction covers the mills at Revelstoke, Comaplix and Camborne, a shingle mill at Wigwam, stores and other buildings, with about 100 square miles of timber limits. The limits are situate on Fish Creek and the Columbia River and are mainly located in the Dominion belt. The new proprietors propose to increase the capacity of the mills.

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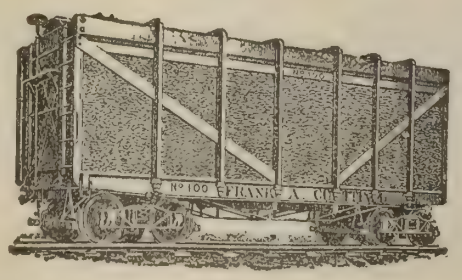

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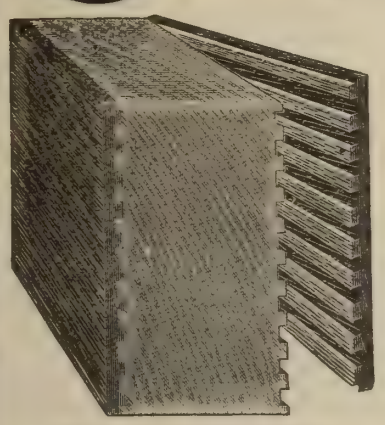

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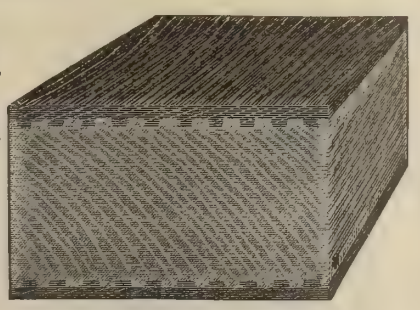

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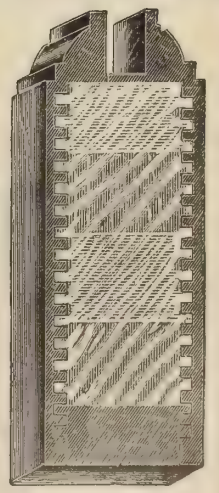

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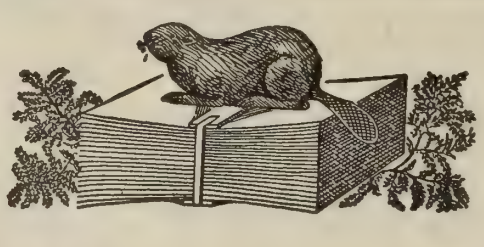

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	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	42	48
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	51	57
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	54	59
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	31
In shipping order, " " "	28	54

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
7 " "	27	29
8 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3
		Hemlock	2

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	82	85	1x12 inch shippers $	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	24
1 to 2 in.	73	75	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28 37
Selects, 2½ in up	73	75	10-in. common	20
" to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35 30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27 29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24 26
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8	21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35 40
Bracket plank	30	35	" " 2 inch	45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 20
Dressing boards, narrow		23	Common	32
1x10 inch shippers	21	22		

LATH.

Pine	$3 50	Spruce	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	56 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	33 00	35 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	22 00	24 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d. soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

It would be difficult to conceive of conditions more favorable to the lumber trade than those which now exist. Lumber, whether white pine, hardwood or hemlock, practically sells itself. Dealers are booking large orders in advance of production and anticipate a steady trade throughout the year. In some instances orders for dry stock have been turned down on account of the scarcity in the supply of certain grades and sizes. There is no change to report in prices, for the reason that manufacturers as a whole are not taking advantage of every opportunity to boost values. Individual advances have been made on some lines, but the general policy seems to be to keep prices near the present basis and thus prevent, if possible, a curtailment in consumption. The outlook for building operations is favorable. In Toronto and Hamilton a number of large buildings are projected. In some quarters fear is expressed that labor difficulties may interfere with building to a slight extent, but on the other hand there seems to be a disposition on the part of employers to meet all reasonable demands. Considering the large percentage of the white pine lumber production of this province

which has already been contracted for by United States buyers, it seems certain that the demand this season will be large enough to consume all available stock. In sympathy with the United States market, lath prices are no more than holding firm. Shingles are exhibiting the usual strength incident to the approach of the spring season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The strength of the spruce market is due largely to the active demand for lumber for shipment to the Eastern States. Spruce has to some extent replaced white pine, and it is anticipated that more than the usual quantity will this year find a market in the United States. By some it is predicted that prices will advance sharply before the new cut is in shipping condition. European trade is still somewhat uncertain. Shippers are indisposed to pay the high prices asked by manufacturers until they are more certain that prices in the British market will be maintained. Some purchases of South American specifications have recently been made at good figures. Present indications point to an early resumption of sawing operations. With a continuance of favorable weather conditions logs will be in the brooks and driving operations started by the first of April.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Remarkable activity characterizes the lumber industry of Western Canada. The prediction is made that the mills will not be able to supply the demand, but it does not seem probable that a dearth of lumber will be experienced. The large number of new mills that have been erected in British Columbia would seem to be sufficient to supply the increased demand arising from settlement in Manitoba and the Territories. Some fear is expressed that building operations will be hampered by labor difficulties, the carpenters of Winnipeg having already submitted an ultimatum to the contractors notifying them of a demand for an increased scale of wages.

UNITED STATES.

A heavy demand from Chicago for low grade white pine boards has developed. Buying in the Minneapolis district has reduced the supply to such a point that box manufacturers fear a famine in dry stock suitable for their purposes. Reports from manufacturers indicate that they are short of almost everything except No. 1 and No. 2 boards. This somewhat unexpected demand for the lower grades has created additional confidence in market conditions and brought about a buying movement on the part of dealers. Inquiries for stock to be shipped upon the opening of navigation have increased in number, notwithstanding that prices are about two dollars higher than at the opening of navigation one year ago. It is claimed that prices at eastern wholesale centres are still low when compared with the figures asked by manufacturers. A Buffalo dealer gives the following prices at which he sells inch white pine: Uppers, $80; selects, $70; fine common, $58; No. 1 cuts, $42; dressing, $38; 12-inch No. 1 barn, $32; No. 2 barn, $27; No. 3 barn, $23; 12-inch box, $20. These prices are said to represent no more than a fair margin of profit.

The hardwood market is in a very satisfactory condition. Inch quartered white oak has sold at unprecedented prices. Basswood leads in point of strength and scarcity, followed closely by elm. Maple is in moderate supply only, thick sizes being quite scarce.

Lath is slightly weaker and offerings are more plentiful. In the Saginaw Valley No. 1 pine lath are held at $3.75 and No. 2 at $3.25. In Chicago quotations are $3.50 for No. 1, $3 for No. 1 Norway, and $3.15 to $3.25 for No. 1 mixed.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The deadlock between the shippers and the British importers still exists. Much less than the usual quantity of stock has been contracted for. It is considered only a question of a short time before sellers and buyers will come together, although it is difficult to judge as to which side will give way. The conditions seem to favor the shippers, and particularly in respect to the Canadian supply, which will be unusually light on account of the large demand at home and in the United States. There is no change to report in white pine deals. A considerable quantity of red pine deals, 3x9, 4x9 and 3 x11, have been placed for shipment from Montreal. The spruce market is steady. The stock of spruce deals in the Surrey Commercial Docks, London, is under half a million pieces. Agents of Canadian exporters are holding out for £9 15s c.i.f. London for 3x9 second quality spruce, £9 5s for third quality and £8 15s for fourth quality. It is reported that in one or two instances these prices have been shaded slightly, but this has been due to the inferior quality of the stock offered. At recent public sales second quality 3x9 spruce brought £10 5s, third quality £9 15s and second quality 3x7 £8.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Brompton Pulp & Paper Company took out about 12,000,000 feet of logs this season for their pulp mill at Brompton Falls, Que.

At Thomson Station, N. S., lumbering operations this season are unusually brisk. About 3,000,000 feet of lumber is now ready for shipment.

White pine shingles are held in the Saginaw Valley at $4.35 for XXXX and $3.25 for clear butts. White cedar 18-inch XXXX are quoted at $4 and butts at $2.75.

The Ontario Power Company, of Niagara Falls, Ont., is using California redwood for the construction of its penstock. It is estimated that 6,000,000 feet will be required.

Considerable logging has been done this winter on the Salmon river in British Columbia, and some 3,000,000 feet of logs are now awaiting high water for transportation to the Columbia River Lumber Company's mill at Kualt.

Reports from the lumber camps in the Riding and Duck Mountains of Manitoba are to the effect that the past winter was the most favorable for years for getting out logs. The number of men engaged in the camps was double that of other years, and the output of logs will be the largest in the history of the district.

O. E. Elsemore, of Bay City, Mich., has recently been in the Sudbury district and reports that the following quantities of logs have been banked on the north shore in Spanish River waters: Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, 28,000,000 feet; N. N. Wright & Co., 30,000,000 ft.; Victoria Harbor Lumber Co., 10,000,000 ft.; Turner Lumber Co., 8,000,000 ft.; Spanish River Lumber Co., 12,000,000 ft.; Edmund Hall, 15,000,000 ft.; Holland & Graves, 25,000,000 ft.; Cleveland & Sarnia Saw Mills Co., 20,000,000 ft.; Moulthrop Lumber Company, 8,000,000 ft.

The Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, last week closed negotiations at Marinette, Wis., for the purchase of 80,000,000 feet of lumber, represented by two transactions. The first purchase consisted of the cut of the two mills of the N. Ludington Company, aggregating 50,000,000 feet of white pine lumber, 15,000,000 shingles, and 20,000,000 laths, the purchase price being approximately $1,000,000. The second purchase was the cut of the Marinette mill of the H. Witbeck Company comprising 30,000,000 feet of white pine lumber. These purchases comprise practically two-thirds of the combined output of the Marinette and Menomimee mills.

Under date of February 28th Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company say of the Barbadoes market: We note two arrivals with lumber during the fortnight, a schooner from Annapolis, N.S., with 173,000 feet white pine, spruce and hemlock, and a schooner from Belleveau Cove, N.S., with 160,000 feet spruce. The cargo of the former was sold to arrive at $26 for first and $21 for second quality white pine, and $23 and $20 for spruce. The cargo of the latter brought $22.50 for first and $19.50 for second quality spruce, and 28,000 long hemlock shingles brought $2.40. Our yards are still barely supplied, as during our crop season, just commenced, there is always a good demand. There has been no arrival of shingles since October. Last sales were made at $4.89 to $5.04 for Gaspe Long Cedar and are now worth more. Cedar Laying are selling at $1.82 and Spruce Laying at $1.65 to $1.70.

LUMBERING OPERATIONS IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

R. A. Estey, of Fredericton, has completed his season's operations on the Tobique river, also a successful season's work on the Rockaway, Madawaska county. Mr. Estey's season's cut will be about 7,000,000 feet.

Herbert Hay, of the firm of W. A. & J. H. Hay, of Millville, has just completed operations on the Beccaguimac river, where he cut 1,500,000 for A. H. Sawyer, of Hartland.

Josiah Hallett, of Millville, has finished his season's operations on the Nashwaak, where he cut 2,000,000 for the Alexander Gibson Company.

Hilyard Bros., of St. John, have taken out about 6,000,000 feet.

J. J. Hale, Donald Fraser & Sons, and other large lumber operators on the Tobique are already hauling supplies into their camps for next season and are experiencing considerable difficulty on account of the heavy condition of the roads. The Burns Company, of Bathurst, are hauling supplies through from the Tobique to the Bathurst river.

H. M. Craig, of Perth Centre, who has been operating for the Tobique Manufacturing Company, on Sisson Brook, cut 2,000,000 feet this winter.

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following where among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 14th February, 1903. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A London importer wishes to get into touch with a Canadian shipper of wood chimney pieces, etc.

BIRCH SQUARES AND SEATS.

A large buyer of Birch chair seats and of Birch squares is open to contract with a mill for their output. Also open for Broom Handles and Dowels in large quantities. Write in first instance to "Finance," care of CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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A manufacturer who has made a careful survey of the situation confidently predicts that there will be a substantial increase in the quantity of hemlock sold during 1903, which he thinks will be greater than for any year previous to this, estimating the expected increase at from 25 to 35 per cent. over previous seasons. He gives as a reason for this that stocks are already in favorable demand, that norway piece stuff is scarce and will continue so, and that the spread in prices is greater in comparison with other woods used for construction purposes than it has ever been since accurate data on the subject have been secured. Occasionally it is noted that some of those who are selling hemlock on a commission basis are able to find a soft spot here and there, but no particular attention is paid to this by the larger manufacturers, as they are able to dispose of their stocks without difficulty to the country trade at list prices, and the surplus, when any exists, is well cared for in Chicago and the larger markets. More hemlock is going into the country trade this spring than had been counted on and but for the temporarily low prices that are being made on yellow pine dimension hemlock would doubtless find no difficulty in reaching territory that heretofore has been regarded as a natural absorbent of the southern stock. Even as it is, hemlock distribution is steadily expanding through the western and middle states, and its position for future development is regarded as entirely satisfactory by hemlock manufacturers in all sections.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

From Edmiston & Mitchell's monthly timber circular we extract the following: Business during the month of February has been fairly active at firm prices, and the few shipments of pine and spruce deals which came to hand via St. John and Portland were for the most part promptly disposed of from the ships' side. The position of the market as regards pine is very strong, and a fair amount of business has been done in contracting for delivery during the coming season, but in spruce there has not been the same activity, buyers not responding as readily to shippers' prices as in the case of pine. Sidings continue scarce, and are in active demand, and the same remark applies to broad 1st quality pine deals.

In American hardwoods a steady business has been passing, and values of poplar and quartered oak lumber continue firm, a remark which equally applies to good walnut and oak logs.

Deliveries from stock have been well maintained during the month, and everything denotes general activity in the trade.

The Clyde shipbuilding returns show that 29 vessels aggregating about 42,000 tons were launched, compared with 16 vessels, of about 41,000 tons, in February, 1902. In new work it is gratifying to state that several vessels have been placed within the past few weeks, and, now that the threatened strike has been averted, the prospects of this important industry are more satisfactory.

In housebuilding there is also considerable activity in the city and neighborhood.

WHITE OR YELLOW PINE.—Business during the month has been fairly active, and quite a number of big parcels have changed hands during the month. We hear of 80 logs 1st class waney, about 2300 feet per page, having been sold to a shipbuilder at 4s. 3d. per cubic foot; about 400 loads 2nd class waney, about 1200 feet per page, at 2s. 7d. per cubic foot; and 3-400 loads 1st class square, 40-feet average cube, at 2s. 7d. to 2s. 8d. per cubic foot. The stock of waney in first hands is low, but there is an ample supply of square wood.

RED PINE.—There have been no sales to report, as stock in first hands is exhausted. An early consignment of good-sized wood would meet with a ready sale.

OAK.—There has been very little enquiry during the month, and no transactions of importance. Stock is ample, and is moving off slowly.

ELM—There have been a number of enquiries during the month, and several lines of 1st class rock have been placed at prices round about 3s 1d to 3s 2d per cubic foot. We hear also of a parcel or two of soft elm having been cleared at 1s 3d per cubic foot.

BIRCH—Quebec — There has been no import so far this year of either logs or planks, but it is reported that there are some logs due shortly via Portland, which have been sold to arrive. The position of the market is firm, and values about 19d for 15-inch up to 2s for 17 to 18-inch average. There is little or no demand for small wood, but several enquiries for 16-inch average. Lower Port—There is no stock of logs on hand and the nominal value is round about 17d to 18d for 15-inch average. Planks—Stocks are heavy and prices are unaltered at about 11d per foot for ordinary Halifax planks.

ASH—There is nothing of importance to report, the only movement being an occasional retail transaction in logs and lumber. Prices are round about 1s 6d for 12½ inch up to 2s for 14½-inch average.

DEALS, ETC. — Business during the month has been of a fairly active character and deliveries from the public yards are well maintained. First pine deals and sidings are much enquired for, and those arriving per liners are keenly competed for by buyers. Current values are as under:—Broad First Pine Deals, £32 to £34; 21-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second Pine Deals—11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third Pine Deals—11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red Pine Deals—9 and 11-inch, £11 10s to £12 10s; narrows, £8 10s to £9 10s. First Pine Sidings—9 and 10-inch, £24 to £25; 11 to 12-inch, £26 to £28; 13 to 14 inch, £29 to £31. Spruce Deals—9-inch and up, £8 15s to £9 10s; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s to £8 5s. Lower Port Pine and Spruce—7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s; 9-inch and up, £8 5s to £8 15s.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Chemainus, B. C.: Barque Ancona, for Cape Town, 1,950,802 feet rough lumber, value $21,692, by Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company.

From St. John, N.B.: Steamer St. John City, for London, 7,920 bundles box shooks, by A. Gravel Lumber Company; 285,487 feet deals, by W. Malcom Mackay; 47 cases veneer, 8,075 feet birch plank, 2,080 bundles shooks, by William Thomson & Company. Schooner Sarah C. Smith, for New York, 1,085,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner H. A. Holder, for Boston, 100,971 feet boards, 22,357 feet plank, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Locus, for Boston, 68,370 feet boards, 42,703 feet plank, 33,896 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Annie Bliss, for Vineyard Haven, 1,652,800 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company.

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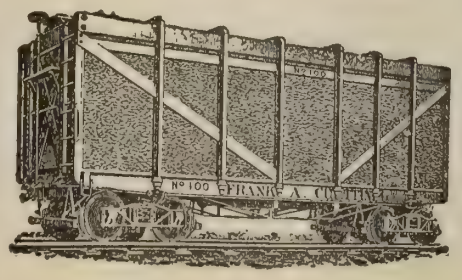

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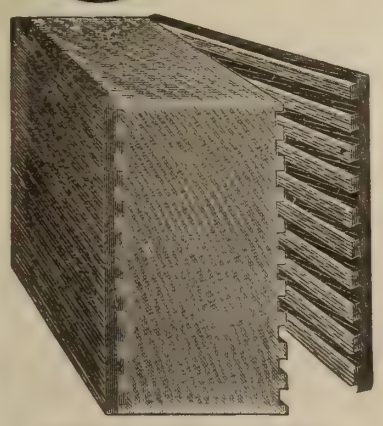

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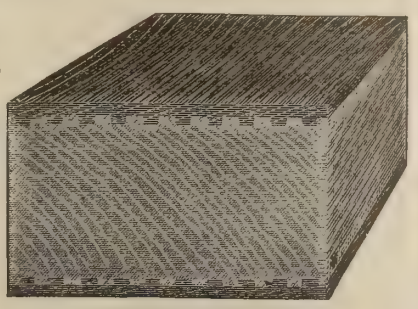

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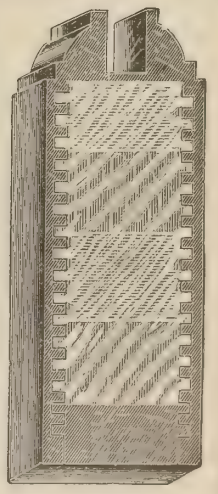

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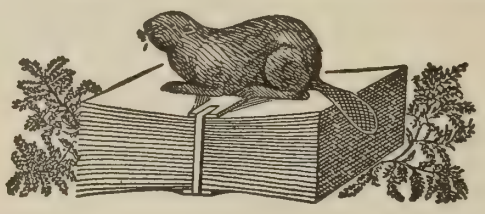

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1 to 2 in.	59	62	No. 1 barn, 1x12	27 29
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No. 2	32	45	1x8	22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	24 26
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

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From British Columbia comes the report of the following recent charters: British ship Bardowie, Chemainus, B C., to Capetown, lumber; British ship William Mitchell, Hastings, B. C., to South Africa, lumber.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The indications of an early spring have created a heavy demand for lumber for building purposes. Retail dealers who have been carrying light stocks in the hope that a decline in prices might result have suddenly entered the market and are accepting the seller's quotations. Such changes in prices as have taken place within the past week have been towards a higher level, although in no case exceeding one dollar per thousand. Most of the lists issued by manufacturers show very moderate changes. Box lumber is slightly higher. Several orders have recently been placed by United States firms, and these have absorbed a large proportion of the available supply. Culls are also moving freely at an average of $11 at the mill. Special bill timber is another variety that is in steady enquiry. There has been a further improvement in hemlock. On account of the light supply it has been comparatively easy to advance prices, and some sales have recently been made at $14 at the mill.

Of the hardwoods, plain red and quartered white oak lead in point of demand, the supply being insufficient to meet the wants of the trade. Basswood, elm and birch are also active. Mill men and dealers are holding for higher prices, and the indications are that their demands will be met by buyers. The supply of thick hardwood is unusually light.

The early break-up of winter has caught several operators. In the Ottawa Valley most of the saw-logs had reached the streams, but a considerable quantity of square and waney timber has been left in the woods. Saw-log operators in the Georgian Bay district have been less fortunate. On the French river and in Algoma hauling was in progress when the break-up occurred, and as the result many logs will not reach driving waters this year. Some disappointment is also expressed as to the small input of hardwood logs. While the lumbermen prefer to get all the logs cut out of the woods, the conditions that have arisen will have a beneficial effect upon the lumber market.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Exceptional strength characterizes the market for square and waney white pine timber. For square pine, 40 to 45 feet average, prices at Quebec are 47 to 53 cents per cubic foot. First-class Ottawa waney of 18-inch average ranges from 58 to 63 cents, while for 19 to 21 inch average a maximum price of 65 cents is quoted. These figures represent an advance of 5 cents per cubic foot over the prices

ruling in the early winter. Spruce lumber has made no decided move. Buying of British deals is still restricted by the uncertainty which prevails as to the course of prices in the Mother Country, although shippers seem to be gaining confidence that in the end they will be able to obtain the prices now demanded. New Brunswick cedar shingles are steady at a range from $3.35 to $3.45 for Boston delivery.

UNITED STATES.

Developments of the past week have been in the direction of a firm lumber market. Buying for spring trade has been clearly in evidence, and on account of the short supply of certain sizes of white pine, some orders have been turned down by wholesalers. This applies particularly to long dimension stock. There is also a scarcity in the upper Lake Superior district of 16-foot boards, especially No. 1 and better. Throughout the Eastern States there is a most hopeful feeling. In some sections of Pennsylvania mill cull boards and No. 2 plank are in strong demand and promise to advance in price. Buffalo and Tonawanda have a light supply of box and barn boards. According to width, box lumber ranges from $15 to $22 and barn boards from $17 to $23. Our Albany list this week shows an advance in the price of 1 to 2 inch uppers, 2½ inch selects, 1 to 2 inch fine common, bracket boards, narrow dressing boards and 12-inch No. 1 barn boards.

All kinds of hardwoods are moving freely and the outlook for trade for several months seems to be promising. The situation in respect to prices is a peculiar one. Oak, cottonwood and cherry have advanced materially of late. There has been more activity in white ash and prices have stiffened slightly. Maple is in good demand, but it has been difficult to advance prices to a much higher basis. White and red birch, it will be observed, have been marked up $2 per thousand.

GREAT BRITAIN.

As far as the different reports can be weighed, the British timber market is exhibiting a little more confidence. The importers have not yet acceeded to the demands of the shippers, but prices of lumber on hand have improved. One circumstance assisting in this improvement is the number of inquiries that have been received for lumber for shipment to South Africa. Prices of pine deals have hardened and recently contracts have been closed for several shipments at an advance.

At a recent public sale prices of spruce showed a slight appreciation. For 3x10 third quality Quebec spruce £9 5s per standard of 1980 feet was realized. Several lots of 3x7 second quality spruce brought £7 15s to £8 per standard, and 3x6 third quality £7 5s.

A correspondent in Ireland advises that Quebec shippers are asking an equivalent to 85 cents per cubic foot c.i.f. for 17-inch waney pine. This price is being opposed by importers, who consider that it is higher than the conditions will stand, contending that consumers will use cheaper substitutes.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Pawnee is loading deals at St. John, N.B., for the United Kingdom.

It is estimated that 100,000,000 feet of lumber will be manufactured at Midland, Ont., the coming season.

The Town Clerk of Glace Bay, N.S., has been instructed to secure prices for 500,000 feet of sidewalk plank

In the Chicago market No. 1 white pine lath are quoted at $3.50, No. 1 Norway and hemlock at $3, and No. 1 mixed at $3.15 to $3.25.

The City of Kingston is asking for tenders up to noon of 26th inst. for supply of 200,000 feet of pine plank and 40,000 lineal feet of 5x4 cedar sleepers.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa will receive offers up to April 8th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1,056 in the district of Alberta, containing 760 acres.

Tenders for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 335, in the Province of British Columbia, will be received by the Department of Interior at Ottawa up to April 8th. The area is 24 square miles.

H. Birtless, of Bradford, England, writes that 2,000 British settlers will locate in the vicinity of Battleford, N.W.T., this spring, and that there will be a demand for saw lumber and planed flooring.

From Buffalo comes the report of a slow movement of slack cooperage stock. Prices are firm, however. First-class elm flour-barrel staves are selling to consumers at $9.25 to $9.50; basswood heading 6 to 6½ cents, and coiled hoops $9.75 to $10.25 for 5½ foot and 10 to $10.50 for 6-foot.

At present dry stocks of maple, elm, birch and basswood, says the Chicago Hardwood Record, are very much shorter than at a year ago. The close of navigation last season saw the mill yards swept clean of stocks in Michigan, and by the time navigation opens again the city yards will be swept clean also. Wisconsin is also bare of dry stock, or very nearly so, and by the time winter cut stock begins to move the customers will be glad to get it. The situation in northern hardwoods is certainly strong, and with the present prospect for a season's cut it seems that prices on this class of stock must go higher rather than lower.

The foreign shipments of lumber from British Columbia since January 1st, 1903, are given herewith :

From	For	Cargo—Feet.
Hastings	Plymouth	817,317
Hastings	Natal	1,165,095
Chemainus	Calcutta	1,761,907
Chemainus	Valparaiso	798,701
Hastings	Sydney	15,624
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	78,769
Hastings	Yokohama	16,100
Hastings	Shanghai	964,964
Hastings	Callao and Iquiqui	1,368,922
Chemainus	South Africa	1,950,802
Hastings	Hongkong	175,129
Hastings	Hongkong	10,003
Hastings	U. K.	.....
Hastings	U. K.	.....
Chemainus	U. K.	.....
Chemainus	U. K.	.....
Hastings	Nagasaki	.....
Chemainus	Algoa Bay	.....

Robert J. Armstrong has erected a large saw mill at Red Rapids, in the Tobique district of New Brunswick. He expects to make a large cut during the coming season.

THE LONDON MARKET.

Concerning Canadian lumber at London, Messrs. Churchill & Sim say:

There is no change to report in the pine deal market. Progress is being made in sales for arrival of a small supply at very high rates. For spruce, the demand in London has been a good deal restricted during February; prices seemed to be dragged as high as they will go here and they are maintained with difficulty, falling below current quotations whenever buyers get a chance. Yet they are not nearly high enough to please shippers who are buoyed up with the continued demand from the United States. Very considerable sales of red pine deals, 3 by 9, 4 by 9, and 3 by 11 inch, have been made for shipment from Montreal for the Cape market. There is no change to report in the market here for oak, birch, or white pine timber. Elm and ash have fallen out of demand.

The stock of timber, deals etc., in the public docks at London on February 28th, 1903, was as follows :

Foreign deals	1,732,000	pieces
Battens	2,753,000	"
Boards	10,850,000	"
Wainscot logs	15	"
Oak timber	2,409	loads
Fir timber	2,341	"
Colonial pine deals and battens (White)	827,000	pieces
Colonial pine deals and battens (Red)	200,000	"
Spruce ditto	1,056,000	"
Oak timber	1,120	loads
Birch timber and planks	3,937	"
Elm and ash timber	977	"
White pine	353	"
Red pine	399	"
United States pitch pine timber	15,475	loads
Pitch pine deals	58,000	pieces
East India teak	8,106	loads

Price of deals rule as below:

QUEBEC pine deals, per std.				
1st quality, regular sizes	£22	to	£29	5s
" " oddments	15	to	22	5s
2nd " regular sizes	18 10s	to	23	5s
" " oddments	13 10s	to	16	5s
3rd " regular sizes	11 10s	to	14	5s
" " oddments	8 10s	to	11	
4th " regular sizes	10 5s	to	11	10s
" " oddments	8 5s	to	9	10s
QUEBEC spruce deals				
First quality	£12 15s	to	£15	
Second "	9 15s	to	10	10s
Third "	9 10s	to	10	
Fourth "	8 15s	to	9	10s
Battens	7	to	8	
N. B. spruce deals	£ 8 15s	to	£10	
Oddments, battens and fourths	7	to	9	

SHIPPING MATTERS.

Lumber freights from British Columbia points rule as follows: To Sydney, 32s 6d to 36s 3d; Melbourne or Adelaide, 40s; Port Pirie, 37s 6d; Fremantle, 47s 6d to 50s; Shanghai, 37s 6d to 40s; Kiao-Chau, 40s; Taku, 45s; Vladivostock, 40s; West Coast S. A., 32s 6d to 35s; South Africa, 52s 6d to 56s 3d; U. K. or Continent, 50s.

The following charters for eastern shipments are reported: Barque Leviathan, Tusket, N. S., to Buenos Ayres, lumber, $7.75; steamer Victory, Dalhousie, N. B. to w. c. England, deals, 38s; barque Valetta, Campbellton, N. B., to Beunos Ayres, lumber, $8.

WHITE PINE LUMBER PRICES.

Stiffening prices on lumber have not tended to increase the demand to any extent and in many instances building operations have been known to be deferred in the hope that prices will go lower. This expectation, however, seems hardly justified by the conditions, for there is a big void to fill in stocks all over the country before any surplus can arise that would be of sufficient proportions to bear the market. It is conceded that the lumber cut in the north at mills where there is any timber available will be large, but so many of the big mills have gone out of commission during the past year and so many have a restricted output of logs for this season's sawing that on the whole it is doubtful whether the cut this year will be as large as last, in which case there is hardly to be expected a surplus in view of the demand in sight. As against an actual scarcity of lumber, there is visible no feature that could cause or induce lower prices, unless there should be a general collapse of all values, which, considering the great industrial activity all over the country, is not to be regarded within the bounds of probability.—American Lumberman.

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A large buyer of Canadian white pine doors and mouldings is open to contract with a mill for their entire output of No. 3 and 4 qualities of doors and all their mouldings during 1902. Write in first instance to "Empire," CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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TRADE OPENINGS.

The Secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Toronto, has received the following trade enquiries. The names and addresses may be obtained by applying to the publishers of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.

DOORS, WINDOWS, ETC. — A correspondent in Constantinople desires to get in touch with a shipper of the above and has at the present time a small order to place.

HANDLES, BIRCH SQUARES AND TABLES. —A correspondent in New York writes for the names of manufacturers of handles for picks, shovels, sledges; birch squares for chair seats and folding tables of hardwood.

LUMBER.—A business house in Tunis is making enquiry for Canadian firms prepared to ship lumber, etc., for which it is open to take up the agency.

WOOD PULP.—A firm in Glasgow desires to secure the representation of a wood pulp mill.

WOOD PULP, SULPHITE PULP GREY BOARDS.—A Manchester box manufacturer desires names of Canadian manufacturers of the above.

TIMBER.—A London firm of wholesale export cabinet makers are desirous of being placed in direct touch with Canadian exprters of timber suitable for their trade.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

It is reported that R. A. Klock, of Montreal, formerly of Klock Bros., Aylmer, Que., has purchased from the Chisholm Estate, of Hamilton, a timber limit situated on the east branch of the Lievre river, the consideration being about $60,000. It is about 200 square miles in extent and will give logs suitable for the manufacture of square and waney timber.

Further particulars are to hand regarding the purchase by the Rat Portage Lumber Company of the timber limits and saw mill of W. L. Tait, of Vancouver B.C. The timber lands involved contain about 6,000 acres, and the logging plants and mill are included in the bargain. The sale was effected through G. W. Campbell, of Winnipeg. The Rat Portage Lumber Company will market the product of the mill throughout Manitoba and the North-West Territories.

S. A. Fisher, of the Michigan Land & Lumber Company, is reported to have sold his timber holdings and interest in the plant of the company at Blind River, Ont., to Alexander McEwan and R. B. Dolsen, of Bay City. The mill has a stock of 20,000,000 feet of logs for the coming season.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Lumbermen in Ottawa and the Ottawa Valley are all discussing the early and unexpected break-up of winter in the Gatineau, Coulonge, Kippewa and other districts adjacent to the Ottawa river and its tributaries. Inquiry shows that while nearly all the season's cut of logs has been deposited at the streams, a considerable portion of the output of square and waney timber will have to be left over on the limits until next season. One operator, who took chances on a long land haul to avoid a longer drive, is left with over one thousand sticks in the bush. In order to diminish the chance of being "stuck," other operators only delayed their timber at the stump long enough to trim two sides. They hauled it almost as rapidly as it was thus treated, leaving the finishing touches for the stream side or railway siding. They "are out of the woods," to quote the popular expression.

Up in the Kippewa district, where winter was hard and fast a fortnight since, the weather prophets all called a late spring. A sudden change with hot sun and steady rains, however, broke up snow roads and ice, which were not of the best at any stage of the season.

Several firms have been caught in the inward movement of their supplies to their "keepovers," which, in itself, is a serious matter, as it was the intention to commence cutting operations early in August.

Another limit sale was reported this week. From the Chisholm Estate, of Hamilton, Mr. R. A. Klock, of Ottawa, purchased a tract of pine land, 200 square miles in extent, situated on the east branch of the Lievre river, in the upper country. The purchase price was in the neighborhood of $60,000. The limit is said to contain both log and timber making trees of good girth. Mr. Klock, who was a member of the old lumber firm of Klock Bros., Aylmer, Que., will start work on the newly purchased limit this coming summer. He is not likely to erect a mill.

The negotiations between the Rideau Lumber Company, of Ottawa, and the firm of A. & P. White, of Pembroke, for the purchase of the latter's mill and limits, have fallen through. The cause is understood to have been the failure to agree on terms.

The employment agencies are in a bad way for eligible men for the log drives which will soon be under way. While the city is swarming with shantymen, only a comparative few are willing to go back for the driving season. Wages run as high as $25 and $30 and board. Gangs of Indians are being secured from the Caughnawaga reserve.

During the past winter the Booth mill turned out large quantities of hardwood lumber for future shipment. The large supply of pine logs brought by rail from the Madawaska limits are on the ice at the mill, and will serve for the early summer cutting.

No changes have occurred in the local lumber market as regards prices since last letter. Movement of stock is fairly active. Dealers are busy fitting up their yards. Millmen are overhauling their equipment preparatory to a busy season.

A local lumber manufacturer predicted recently that prices would suffer an unexpected break within a year. He based his pessimistic prophecy on the belief that in the matter of production the business was being overdone. Inquiry, however, shows that he is alone in his opinion. It was pointed out by one dealer that the unexpected break-up of spring caught some logs and their non-arrival at the mills next summer will curtail the output anyway. However, a market is to be expected for all that can be cut.

OTTAWA, March 23rd, 1903.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Chemainus, B. C.: Steamer Tasmania, for Liverpool, 900,000 feet lumber.

From Yarmouth, N. S.: Barque Lurgina, for Buenos Ayres, 656,000 feet lumber, 200,000 feet scantling.

From Halifax, N. S.: Schooner Arctic, for Demerara, British Guiana, 115,000 feet lumber, value $1,380. Steamer Unique, for Birkenhead, Eng., 1,486,116 feet deals, etc., value $16,210. Steamer Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 337,707 feet deals, value $3,333.

From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Numidian, for Liverpool, 111,403 feet deals, 38,779 feet scantling, 2,777 feet ends, 1,400 ft. boards, by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Indrani, for Glasgow, 201,262 feet deals, 25,114 feet scantling, 22,660 feet ends, by Donald Fraser and Sons; 49,500 feet pine deals, 73,260 feet spruce deals, by Schofield & Company. Steamer Lake Ontario, for Liverpool, 36,000 feet shooks, by A. Cushing & Company; 42,003 feet deals, 23,263 feet scantling, 985 feet ends, 15,079 feet boards, by W. M. Mackay; Schooner William Jones, for Vineyard Haven, 1,540,300 laths by Stetson Cutler & Company. Schooner Thistle, for Boston, 123,185 feet pine boards, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Clayola, for City Island, 103,332 feet deals, 39,683 feet scantling, 40,000 feet plank, by N. H. Murchie. Schooner Stella Maud, for City Island, 142,245 feet deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Steamer Tunisian, for Liverpool, 869,120 ft. deals, 117,752 feet scantling, 63,829 feet ends, 32,478 feet boards by W. M. Mackay; 633 bundles maple flooring by William Thomson & Company. Steamer Dahome, for Antigua, 10,000 feet pine boards, 100 bundles shingles, by J. Roderick & Son. Schooner Ida May, for Boston, 151,284 feet plank by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Jennie C., for Stonington, 85,000 feet spruce boards, 50,000 laths, 425,000 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Company.

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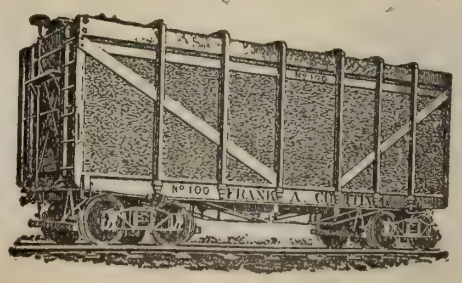

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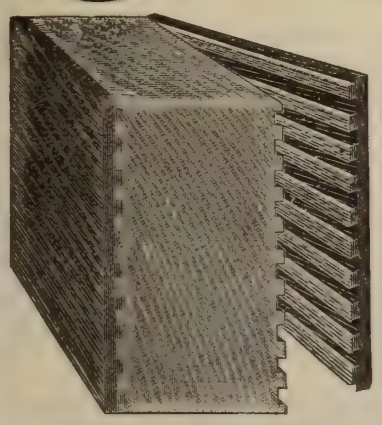

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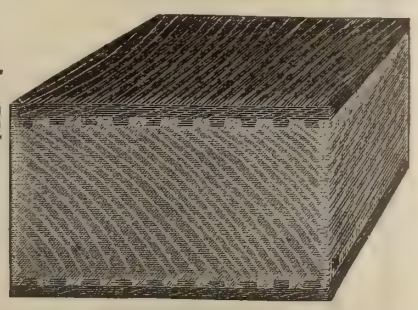

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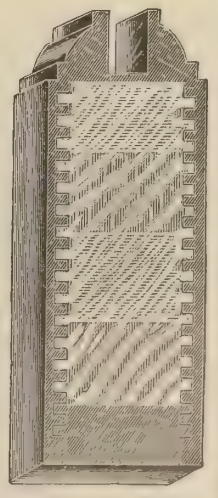

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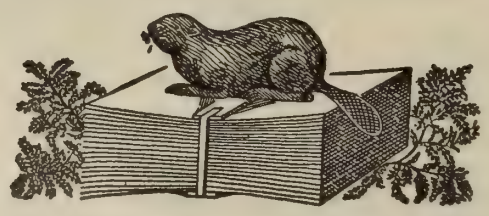

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2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	20 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
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1x10 and 12 mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	19 00	20 00
1 inch siding mill run	19 00	20 00
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1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 75
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XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in		3 45
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XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 65

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" 1½ " 2 in	20 00	22 00
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" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00	19 00
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" 2 " 3 in	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2 in	24 00	2 00
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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4 in	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3 in	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
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Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4 in 20 00	21 00
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Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 in 34 00	36 00
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1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	32 00	36 00
2 in	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	22 00	26 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	28 00	30 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00

1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mill run	00	2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 13 inch	2 25	2 40
xxxx, 18 inch	2 90	3 25
xx, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60	1 90
xxxx 16 inch	2 25	2 50
xx, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

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Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

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14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
7 " "	27	29
8 " "	30	32

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2½ and 3 in	80 00	2½ and 3 in	75 00
4 in	80 00	4 in	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in	58 00	4 in	70 00
2 in	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in	60 00
2 in	52 00		

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1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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10 in	24 00	No. 3, 12 in	21 00
9 in	23 00	10 in	19 00
8 and 7 in	23 00	9 in	18 50
No. 2, 12 in	25 00	8 in	19 00
10 in	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in	22 00	1x4	16 50

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1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

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		Hemlock	2

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Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common	20
1 to 2 in	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35 30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24 26
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8	21
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Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 20
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common	32
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Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 20
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4 in	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48
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2½ and 3 in	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in	30 00
4 in	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in	58 00	No. 2, 12 in	27 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in	20 00
3 in	70 00	No. 3, 12 in	23 00
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
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1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
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			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st &2nd, white, 6" & up	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

For some time it has been freely predicted that lumber prices would experience no recession before midsummer at the earliest, and that the strength of the market might continue throughout the year. Recently natural conditions have combined to strengthen this view. The most important of these conditions, perhaps, is the early break-up of winter and the consequent cessation of logging operations. In the Georgian Bay district large quantities of logs have been left on the skids, one firm alone having five million feet thus hung up. It is estimated that there will be an average shortage from this cause of 10 per cent. from the output calculated on for the season, while the possibility of a further shortage through low water for driving purposes has still to be reckoned with. The early spring created a larger demand than usual for lumber during March, and stocks are now running low, some grades and sizes of white pine being almost out of the market. A few mills which carried logs over are already resuming operations, but the product will not be in shipping condition for at least two months. In the meantime dealers are finding difficulty in filling orders, which are daily increasing. As might be expected under such conditions, prices are irregular. Where a buyer finds a quantity of a certain grade of lumber which he is actually in need of to supply a customer, he usually accedes to the demands of the seller, even if his price is above the market quotation. There is, however, no desire on the part of the lumber trade to advance prices to an abnormal basis, although conditions alone may bring this about.

Several orders have recently been placed for box lumber, which is scarce in the Eastern States. Manufacturers are asking $13 at the mill for 1x10 box and mill culls, $14.50 for 14 inch, and $13.50 for 1½x12 inch. An improvement in the demand for Norway lumber is reported. Common and dressing, 2x6 and 7 inch, brings $13.50 at the mill, and 2x8 inch $15 for 12 to 16 foot lengths. For 10 and 12-inch $16.50 is asked.

The hardwood market has been a repetition of past weeks. There is good buying wherever dry stock can be located and no small amount of contracting for the future cut. Mill run maple and birch are held around $16. There are no signs of weakness on account of the approach of the sawing season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

A noticeable improvement in the spruce lumber market is reported. Manufacturers are receiving numerous inquiries for stock. A heavy demand from South America has offset the slight falling off in British trade. Deals have brought as much as $14 alongside ship for a specification of fifty per cent. 7 and 8 inch and fifty per cent. 9 inch and up. There has been an advance of about $2 per thousand in the price of spruce clapboards for shipment to the Eastern States. Local trade is also picking up. It is said that the yards have not been so bare of stock in twenty years. Box shooks find a market as readily as manufactured. Shingles are exhibiting more activity, and with this activity has come a slightly better tone to the market. While sales of extras for Boston delivery are still reported as low as $3.35, all the large manufacturers are refusing to contract below $3.40, and some sales are said

to have been made at $3.45. The conditions would seem to be in favor of higher prices for shingles.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber manufacturers and dealers catering to the North-West market are experiencing some difficulty in meeting the demand for lumber. Not that there is an inadequate supply, but with the early spring has come a rush of orders for immediate shipment which is taxing the capacity of the yards to handle. Car shortage is still a serious drawback. Manufacturers have many orders on their books for lumber and shingles, and if it had been possible to secure cars for making shipments, they would now be in much better position to cope with the spring trade. From the standpoint of orders and prices no complaint can be made. Business is good, with indications of the best year yet experienced. The pending labor difficulties at Winnipeg and Vancouver will, it is believed, be satisfactorily settled at an early date, and there will then be removed almost the only obstacle to an active building season.

UNITED STATES.

The tone of the lnmber market has seldom, if ever, been stronger than at the present time. From all sections of the country come reports of increasing business, from which it is concluded that the high price of lumber is not affecting building operations. Stocks in the east are very light, but promise to be augmented in the near future upon the opening of navigation. Box lumber and mill culls lead in point of demand throughout the Eastern States, and some dealers have recently marked up prices to a still higher basis. In the Lake Superior district No. 3 and better lumber is being sold at from $18 to $18.50, which would make this class of stock $21 for Chicago delivery. There is no dry piece stuff and much of that to be cut the coming season has been contracted for. The opening price by cargo is based on $16.50 for No. 1 short dry pine piece stuff, Chicago delivery. Hemlock continues strong, the Wisconsin manufacturers having adopted a new list making a material advance on several items. Similiar action was taken by the Wisconsin manufacturers of hardwood lumber. The new list will be found in another column. The conditions of trade are such that there is no price cutting but a very general disposition to adhere to the list. The quantity of hardwood logs taken out the past winter has not been large and it is estimated that more than one-half of the production has already been placed under contract. Thick maple and basswood are scarcer than other lines.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British market is exhibiting a more cheerful tone and representatives of Canadian shippers have succeeded recently in placing considerable stock. There is an increasing inquiry from the East Coast for spruce deals. This is owing to the high prices asked for Baltic whitewood. An ordinary specification of 60 to 65 per cent. of 7 and 8-inch spruce is selling at £7 10s c.i.f. West Coast ports, and for small cargoes of the same specification £7 15s has been paid. Consumption is more active, which is regarded as a favorable indication on account of the probability of an early opening of navigation. Holders of stock are seizing every opportunity to reduce their supply so as to be in a position to receive new shipments, but notwithstanding this fact prices have been maintained and in some cases advanced. A quantity of first quality Quebec pine, 2 x 8 inch, brought £22 10s at a recent public sale. Waney pine is exceedingly firm. Belfast importers have contracted on the basis of 3s 9d per foot c.i.f. for 18-inch. This, so far as can be learned, is the maximum figure that has yet been paid.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Carnweth's steam mill has finished sawing 250,000 feet of lumber at Memel, N.B.

The barque Avonia is loading deals at Hopewell Cape, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

J. L. Scott & Son, of Chatham, Ont., recently purchased 20,000 cedar posts for the spring trade.

The Moyie Lumber Company, of Moyie, B. C., expect to have 10,000,000 feet of logs to supply their mills during the coming season.

The lumber clearances from St. John, N.B., for the United States for the week ending March 21st included 1,168,000 feet of long lumber, 4,000,000 lath, and 425,000 shingles.

It is understood that Harold Kennedy, of Quebec, who has recently been in England, has placed his season's output of birch timber with Joseph Owen & Sons, Limited, of Liverpool.

Revelstoke citizens are staking out 90 miles of timber locations under special licenses in the Big Bend country. This is the largest tract of timber land ever taken up under special license.

The Alex. Gibson Railway & Manufacturing Company, of Marysville, N.B., have finished logging operations on the Nashwaak river. The cut has been in the vicinity of 30,000,000 feet. As the ice is already out of most of the tributaries of the Nashwaak, stream driving will be commenced in a short time.

Under date of March 14th Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "We have had no arrival with lumber during the fortnight. Our yards are still barely supplied, and during our reaping season, now going on, there is always a good demand. Prices are as follows: White pine, $26 for first quality and $21 for second quality; spruce, $22.50 for first and $19.50 for second quality. Last sales of Gaspe long cedar shingles were made at $4.89 to $5.04, but they are now worth more. Cedar laying shingles are worth $1.82 and spruce laying $1.65 to $1.70."

It is estimated that the cut of logs on the south branch of the Oromocto river, in New Brunswick, this winter was in the neighborhood of 6,000,000 feet. Smith Bros. have got about three and one-half millions, which they will manufacture at their own mill, and about 1,500,000 has been cut for John E. Moore, of St. John. Hilyard Bros. have about 1,500,000 at French Lake, which will likely be manufactured at St. John. W. J. Scott, who operates for Murchie & Sons, at Deer Lake, has finished his season's work in that locality. The recent soft weather ruined the hauling and he was obliged to leave 1,700 pieces in the woods.

The Northwestern Hemlock Manufacturers Association of Wisconsin have adopted a new price list effective March 30th, by which the price of hemlock lumber has been advanced. For No. 1 hemlock boards the prices are: 3x8 in., 10 feet, $14; 12 and 14 feet, $13; 16 feet, $13.50; 18 and 20 feet, $14; 22 and 24 feet, $15.50; 3x10 in., 10 feet, $14.50, 12 and 14 feet, $13.50; 16 feet, $14; 18 and 20 feet, $14.50; 22 and 24 feet, $16; 3x12 in., 10 feet, $15.50; 12 and 14 feet, $14.50; 16 and 18 feet, $15; 20 feet, $15.50; 22 feet, $17; 24 feet, $17.50; 4x4 to 8x8 in., 10 feet, $14; 12 and 14 feet, $13; 16 feet, $13.50; 18 and 20 feet, $15.50; 22 and 24 feet, $16.50.

NEW HARDWOOD PRICE LIST.

The following prices of hardwood lumber have been fixed by the Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association, f. o. b. Wausau and effective March 25th:

Ash.—1st and 2nd: 1-in., $32; 1¼ and 1½ in., $34; 2-in., $35; 2½ in. and thicker, $40. No. 1 Common: 1-in., $22; 1¼ and 1½ in., $23; 2-in., $24; 2½ in. and thicker, $26. No. 2 Common: 1-in., $11; 1¼ and 1½ in., $12; 2 in. and thicker, $12. No. 3 Common, all grades, $6; 1-in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $20.

Basswood.—1st and 2nd: 1, 5 and 11 in., 8 to 16 feet, $30; 12-in., $35; 13-in. and wider, $36; 1¼ and 1½ in., $32; 2-in., $34. No. 1 Common: 1-in., $22; 1¼ and 1½ in., $24; 2-in., $25. No. 2 Common: 1-in., $14; 1¼ to 2 in., $15. No. 3 Common, all sizes, $10; 1-in. box Common (No. 2 and 3 mixed,) $13.

Birch.—1st and 2nd: 1-in., $28; 1¼ and 1½ in., $30; 2-in., $32; 1-in. red, $38; 1¼ to 2-in. red, $40; 2½ in. and thicker, red, $42. No. 1 Common: 1-in., $18; 1¼ and 1½ in., $20; 2-in., $22; 1-in. red, $28; 1¼ to 2-in.; red, $30. No. 2 Common: 1, 1¼, and 1½ in., $10; 2 in., $12; red, all sizes, $14; 1-in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $18.

Soft Elm.—1st and 2nd: 1-in., $26; 1¼ to 2-in., $28; 2½ in. and thicker, $30. No. 1 Common: 1 in., $16; 1¼ to 2-in., $18; 2½ in. and thicker, $20. No. 2 Common, $10. No. 3 Common, $8. Inch log run, No. 3 Common out, $16.

Rock Elm.—1st and 2nd: 1 to 2-in., $30; 2½ in. and thicker, $34. No. 1 Common: 1 to 2-in., $18; 2½ in. and thicker, $24. No. 2 Common, $12. No. 3 Common, $6.; 1 to 2-in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $18.

Hard Maple.—1st and 2nd: 1-in., $23; 1¼ and 1½ in., $25; 2-in., $25; 2½ in. and thicker $27. No. 1 Common: 1-in., $13; 1¼ to 2-in., $15; 2½ in. and thicker, $16 No. 2 Common: 1 to 2 in., $8; 2½ in. and thicker, $12. No 3 Common, $5; 1 to 2 in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $13.

Soft Maple—1 in. to 2 in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $14.

Red Oak.—1st and 2nd: 1-in., $39; 1¼ to 2-in., $42; 2½ in. and thicker, $48. No. 1 Common: 1-in. $29; 1¼ to 2-in., $32; 2½ in. and thicker, $38. No. 2 Common: 1-in., $19; 1¼ to 2 in., $22; 2½ in. and thicker, $28. No. 3 Common, $9.

White Oak.—1st and 2nd: 1-in., $37; 1¼ to 2-in., $40; 2½ in. and thicker, $46. No. 1 Common: 1-in., $27; 1¼ to 2 in., $30; 2½ in. and thicker, $36. No. 2 Common: 1-in., $17; 1¼ to 2 in., $20; 2½ in. and thicker, $26. No. 3 Common, $8.

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The Board of Managers of the Lumber Carriers, in executive session at Detroit on March 24th, fixed its season carrying charges and decided upon the policy of the organization during the coming season. On the main, the lumber carrying rate will be about the same as it was last season, with the exception of hemlock. This was increased materially.

For the purpose of facilitating the work of making differential rates between the various points, the lakes were divided into eight sections and the carrying charges fixed as follows:—

Section No. 1—From the head of the lakes to Keweenaw Point, to Chicago and Lake Erie ports, pine, $2.50 per 1000 feet.

Section No. 2—From Keweenaw Point to Whitefish Point, to Chicago and Lake Erie ports, pine, $2.25 per 1000 feet.

Section No. 3—Whitefish Point to Detour, to Chicago and Lake Erie ports, pine $2 per 1000 feet.

Section No. 5—From Straits of Mackinaw, including Lake Huron and Georgian Bay, to Chicago and Lake Erie ports, pine, $1.75 per 1000 feet; hemlock 25 cents extra.

Section No. 5—North end of Lake Michigan to a line drawn from Green Bay to Traverse City, to Lake Erie, $2 per 1000 feet.

Section No. 6—Including the balance of Lake Michigan to Chicago, to Lake Erie, $2.12½ per 1000 feet; hemlock, 25 cents additional to above rates; hardwood, 75 cents per 1000 additional.

Section No. 7—To Oswego, 75 cents additional over Tonawanda rates.

Section No. 8—Including Ogdensburg, $1 over Tonawanda rates.

From district No. 1 to Bay City, pine, $2.25. Timber 6 x 6 to 8 x 10 to pay 25 cents per 1000 over pine rates; 10x10 and larger timber, 50 cents per 1000 feet extra over board rates.

Separate rates were made from St. Ignace and Cheboygan to Chicago. They were $1.75 on dry white pine; $1.87½ on green and 12½ cents additional over above rates on hemlock. Basswood same as hardwood, 50 cents over pine rate.

No action was taken in regard to the time of starting out, although all members present favoured a late start. But few of the owners of lumber tonnage have started to fit out, and it will probably be the middle of April before they get under way in full swing.

AUSTRALIAN TARIFF ON LUMBER.

The customs tariff of the Commonwealth of Australia, assented to September 16th, 1902, specifies the following duties on timber and wood-work:

Furniture n. e. i. (except metal) in parts or finished, including billiard and bagatelle tables and boards and accessories, photograph frames and stands for pictures, picture frames (on pictures or otherwise), and picture mouldings, cabinets, brackets, trays, verandah blinds, screens, show figures for draping or other purposes, writing and stationary cases, writing desks and mirrors, framed or set, ad val. 20 p.c.

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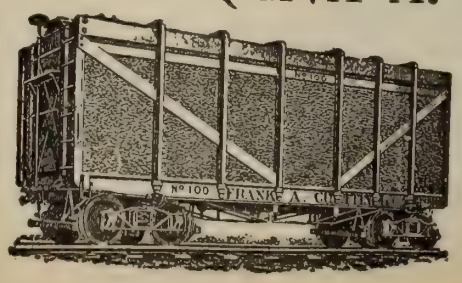

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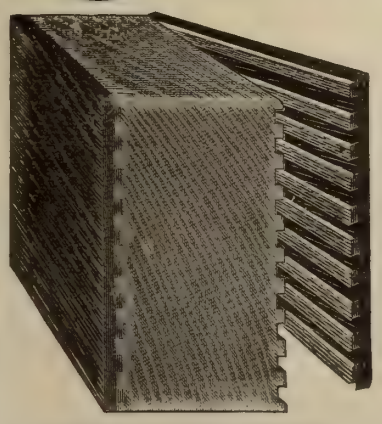

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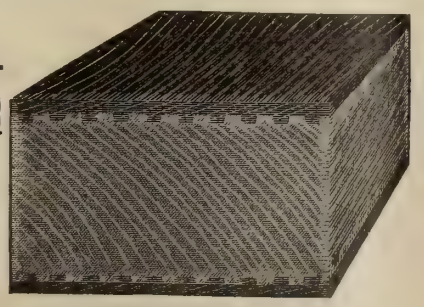

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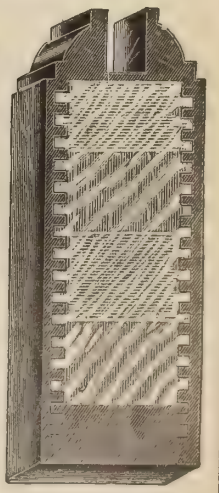

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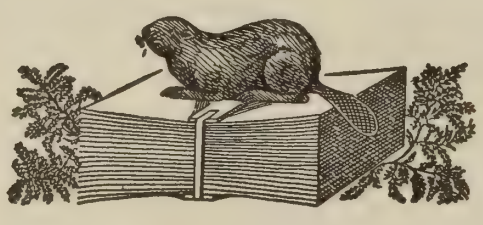

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1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	28 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common		16 50
2x10 common		17 50
2x12 common		18 00
3x10 common		18 00
3x12 common		18 50
1x10 and 12 common	18 00	20 00
1 inch siding common		15 50
1 inch strips, common		15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	19 00	20 00
1 inch siding mill run	19 00	20 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 00
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 35
XXX white pine shingles		3 25
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in		3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 65

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00	19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in	18 00	20 00
" 1½ "	20 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00	24 00
1½ to 2	23 00	26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00	19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1¼ 50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00	19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	19 00	20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	34 00	33 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$36 00	38 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	42 00	48 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	52 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	30 00	32 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	32 00	36 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	22 00	26 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	28 00	30 00
2 in.	30 00	35 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00	17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	00	2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 13 inch	2 25	2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	2 90	3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60	1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25	2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
n shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
7 " "	27	29
8 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	8 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1X6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1X4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	3 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3
		Hemlock	2

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1X12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	37
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common		20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1X12		21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1X12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1X10	24	26
No. 2	32	45	1X8	22	24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1X12		27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1X10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1X8		21
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	40
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	20
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		32
1X10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3 50	Spruce	$	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 20
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1X4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1X6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1X10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1X12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1X13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼X10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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WE HAVE IN STOCK AND READY FOR shipment a large number of Cedar Poles in all lengths from 25 to 60 feet. Prices quoted on car lots f. o. b. here, or delivered at points required. GEORGE MCGREGOR, Killaloe Station, Ont.

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A large portion of same is Cork Pine.
About 5,000,000 feet lumber already sawn and on sticks.
About 500,000 Laths already manufactured.
Mill now running. Location Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.
22 feet water at loading dock.
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INTERNATIONAL LUMBER CO.,
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No. 6 Band re-saw with 4" diston 19 gauge saw, in use less than a year.
No. 1 Shaper iron frame. Invoice to me Oct. 30th, 1901 (McGregor, Gourley make.)
No. 8 Planer and matcher with drop heads, in use two years.
Pedestal buzz planer and countershaft, in use two years.
Bracket band saw, in use two years.
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Combination rip and cross-cut saw table, in use one year.
8" 3 sided sticker, all overhauled (Cowan & Co. make.)
Power mortiser with drilling attachment. (Fay-Egan make, sent out by A. R. Williams.)
Surfacer, 24" knife, revolving bed (McGregor, Gourley make.)
Post boring machine with tilting table, by Cowan & Co.
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About 60 ft. 2" cold rolled steel shafting and numerous split pulleys all about as good as new. Address

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WANTED—A COMPETENT MAN TO TAKE charge of planing mill. Must understand machinery, dressing and matching of lumber and be able to grade same. Apply Box S, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

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WANTED—FROM 25,000 FEET TO 35 000 feet dry 1 inch beech, birch or maple, common and better. Will take in carloads lots. I will take from two or three different parties as long as there is a carload. Will pay the highest cash price. Apply to Box W, care CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—A MILL RUN OF FROM THREE to five millions of white pine to be cut to order. We are open to buy any kind of white pine lumber. Will contract for ten million white pine lath. Please write us. CANADA LUMBER MFG. CO., North Tonawanda, N.Y.

FOR SALE, ABOUT 700 WHITE OAK TREES on Lot 5, Concession 2, Yarmouth, two miles north of Port Stanley. Sealed tenders will be received for the above up to the 14th of April, by W. L. WICKETT, Barrister, St. Thomas. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber demand throughout Ontario is all that could be desired. Notwithstanding that the sawing season is near at hand, prices of lumber remain unusually firm. There seems little ground on which to base the expectation of lower prices, as a large percentage of the production of all kinds of lumber has already passed out of first hands.

Salesmen who have visited retail yards report light stocks on hand. They have found it comparatively easy to effect sales, buyers having evidently become convinced that prices will not weaken for a few months at least.

Some manufacturers are quoting prices considerably above our list. No. 3 cuts and better have been sold this spring at $40. Box and common is worth $16 at the mill, 3 x 10 common $16 to $17, and 3 x 12 $17 to $18. It is probable that sales are being made below these figures, but on the other hand an established grade is readily taken at the above prices. Hemlock lumber has become greatly in favor. The price in Toronto is $14 for sidings and bill stuff up to 16 feet, stock boards being worth $1 to $1.50 more. Spruce lumber has been in some demand of late for box making. The average price is about $16. Inch mill run Norway sidings are held at $15 at the mill.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market has been much strengthened by the early appearance of spring, which has induced a brisk demand. Manufacturers are receiving numerous inquiries for stock for immediate shipment to the United States, while there is also more activity and a better tone in respect to British trade. As in some districts the cut of logs was less than anticipated on account of unfavorable operating conditions, there is little fear of a decline in prices. On the St. John and Salmon rivers several operators have been unable to get all their logs to the streams.

Spruce laths are disposed to strengthen, most sales being made around $3.15 for 1½ inch. Extra cedar shingles from a reliable manufacturer at less than $3.50 on Boston rate of freight are now considered a bargain. Smaller manufacturers are selling as low as $3.40, but this can scarcely be taken as the market price.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber trade continues active and the market firm. Within the week there hane been no price changes excepting in respect to British Columbia shingles, which, according to report, have been advanced ten cents per thousand. The new price is intended to apply to territory east of the Rocky Mountains, making the price in Manitoba and the Territories $2.75. At British Columbia points the figure remains at $2.25. Shingle manufacturers claim that the cost of production has increased much more than the selling price and that the new list will not give more than a fair margin of profit.

While the lumber business in British Columbia is in a prosperous condition, the trade is somewhat unsettled on account of a new regulation in respect to timber licenses ses which has been put into effect by the Provincial Legislature. This regulation provides that in future no special license to cut timber on Crown lands will be granted or renewed until after the applicants have had the limit surveyed by a provincial land surveyor. Loggers contend that the expense of making surveys will be exceedingly large.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber situation in the United States, as a whole, is most satisfactory. Retail dealers are placing orders quite freely, which is taken as an evidence that their stocks are low. As the demand throughout the winter was heavier than usual, it is surmised that retailers will be heavy purchasers of lumber this spring. Northern pine is exceptionally strong, the demand being reported in excess of the sup-

ply. Teis is exceptionally true with respect to low grade stock. Box makers are experiencing difficulty in securing the necessary lumber for their factories and are picking up mill culls and scoots wherever they can be located. Within the past month low grade stock has come into prominence, whereas the call for the upper grades has declined and stocks have accumulated. This is explained, no doubt, by the high price asked for the best grades. In the Buffalo market inch uppers have been held at $86, certainly a fancy figure, and as a result users of that grade of lumber have employed substitutes wherever it was possible to do so. The export trade is more active than for several years, 12-inch barn and box being in good demand for that purpose. Eastern wholesale dealers report that there is no talk of advancing prices, as it is felt that such action would curtail the eastern demand. If, however, there should be a further advance at producing points, it will be necessary for wholesale dealers to fall into line.

Hemlock and hardwoods continue strong. The demand for hemlock is in excess of the facilities for supplying it. In Michigan as high as $12 at the mill is asked.

There has been a flurry in the shingle market, caused by the situation in respect to red cedars. Prices of these shingles are somewhat weak, and it is reported that the Washington manufacturers are considering the closing down of the mills for a time.

GREAT BRITAIN.

British importers are still resisting the increased prices asked for lumber by White Sea and Swedish shippers. It is reported that the latter have reduced their asking prices five shillings per standard, and that as a result some contracts have been closed. Earlier in the season importers exhibited a similiar attitude in respect to Canadian lumber, but as the opening of navigation approached they gradually met the views of spippers and a considerable quantity of pine and spruce deals has been bought. The price of New Brunswick spruce deals is now firmly established at £7 10s per standard c.i.f. London and Liverpool for the usual specification of 60 to 65 per cent. 7 and 8 inch. This is equal to $19 per thousand feet. The consumption in Great Britain is not all that could be desired, but the opinion is advanced that a better tone will prevail from now on. Prices realized at recent public sales have been somewhat heavy, due probably to the indisposition of buyers to increase their stock of lumber very largely at a time when new stock is about to arrive. Reports from Ireland are not encouraging, the high prices asked for Quebec pine and spruce having induced some importers to purchase more heavily of pitch pine.

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

The market for New Brunswick shingles has recently stiffened slightly, and the production of well known mills is bringing $3.50 for extras. Less known and doubtful brands are selling at 10 to 15 cents less. The weather now is such that more shingles are being used, and as the winter mill production has been nearly cleaned out the indications are that the yards will be ready to buy freely by the time the summer mills start sawing. It is also likely that many of the strikes now on in building lines will be settled by May 15th, so that the season should open with a fairly brisk demand. General indications are, therefore, that prices will be held at present figures or higher. Quotations for standard shingles on Boston rates are as follows :

Extras, $3.40 to $3.50 ; Clears, $2.95 to $3.00 ; 2nd Clear, $2.40 ; Clear White, $2.30 ; Extra No. 1, $1.75.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Tracadie Lumber Company, of Sheila, N.B., took out about 13,000,000 feet of logs during the past winter.

Timothy Lynch, operating on the Miramichi River in New Brunswick, succeeded in getting all his logs to driving waters.

The O'Neill Lumber Company, of St. Martins, N.B., will have a smaller stock of logs than anticipated, as operators were obliged to cease work in the woods earlier than usual.

By the breaking of a boom at St. Romuald, Que., 15,000 logs belonging to E. Atkinson were set adrift. Most of the logs have been recovered, but at considerable expense.

Since January the Canadian Northern Railway has transported over 2,000,000 feet of saw logs from Whitefish and other points to Port Arthur for the Pigeon River Lumber Company.

It is reported that about 7,000,000 feet of logs cut on the Tobique river, in New Brunswick, have been left in the woods on account of the mild weather, also 20,000,000 feet cut on the Salmon river.

The Department of Railways and Canals at Ottawa is asking for tenders up to April 30th for the supply of about 155,000 feet b.m. of British Columbia fir dimension timber. The timber is required for the Rideau canal.

The Eastern States is said to be willing to buy heavily of No. 1 lath. The Merrill-Ring Company, of Duluth, Minn., have sold their entire cut for the coming season. Prices are $3 to $3.25 for No. 1, and $2.50 to $2.75 for No. 2.

In the Saginaw valley white pine shingles are quoted at $4.35 and $3.25. XXXX cedar are worth $4 and clear butts $2.75. Demand for lath is good. No. 1 pine are worth $3.75, No. 2 $3.25, No. 1 hemlock $3.35, and No. 2 hemlock $2.80.

The Huntsville Lumber Company, of Huntsville, Ont., are reported to have recently placed under contract almost the entire season's cut of their two mills, estimated in the neighborhood of 15,000,000 feet, and including lumber, lath and shingles.

The following tenders were received by the City of Ottawa for the supply of plank and cedar : W. H. McAuliffe, $6,710 ; W. C. Edwards & Company, $6,722; P. Burns, $6,872.50 : Ottawa Lumber Company, $6,960. The contract has been given to W. H. McAuliffe.

A report from Sydney, Cape Breton, states that the retail price of lumber is the highest ever quoted in that town, and that the demand is exceptionally brisk. Spruce scantling is selling at $14 per thousand, an advance of $1 over the figure of last year. Hemlock boards are quoted at $12, as against $11 one year ago. The most important advance, however, has taken place in the price of laths, which are particularly scarce and quoted at $3.50 in comparison with $2.25 last year.

It is reported that the shipments of lumber from Grindstone Island, Que., and Hopewell Cape, N. B., this season will exceed by a large amount the shipments of any previous year. It is said the total will be 28,000,000 or 30,000,000 feet. A number of vessels have already been chartered to load at these places. The ship Honolulu is due at Grindstone Island and the P. G. Blanchard is expected there on May 1st.

Of hemlock the American Lumberman says : Hemlock occupies a rather unusual position. The wood has come into great prominence during the last few months, due to the wide substitution that has of late been a feature of the market. It is now an important factor and the present demand is in excess of the facilities for supplying it. The situation in this wood is a good indication of the general market coudition, or rather of a peculiar phase of it. The consumption of lumber has been so heavy that woods other than those ordinarily used have been brought into play and the result has been a large increase in the demand for a wood that formerly was used to only a limited extent.

NEW LUMBER RATES.

A circular was issued on April 7th by the Grand Trunk Railway regarding lumber and lath rates from points in the Georgian Bay district to New York. The route will be by rail to Rouse's Point, Albany and Williams line along the Hudson river. The new rates are as follows :

From Trenton, pine or basswood lumber, per 1,000 feet, $3.75 ; laths per 1,000 pieces, 75 cents. From Peterboro, Campbellford, Lakefield, Lindsay, Fenelon Falls, Kinmount, Haliburton, Coboconk, Jackson's Point, Orillia, Uhthoff, Coldwater, Fesserton, Waubaushene, Sturgeon Bay, Victoria Harbour, Midland, Minessing, Hendrie, Phelpston, Elmvale, Wyevale, Penetang, Collingwood, Thornbury, Meaford, Longford, Washago, Severn, Gravenhurst, Muskoka Wharf, hardwood lumber, $5.85 per 1,000 feet ; $4 per 1,000 feet for pine or basswood lumber, and 80 cents per 1,000 pieces for laths. From Bracebridge, Falkenburg, Utterson, Huntsville, Craighurst, Orr Lake, Hillsdale, Mount St. Louis, Vasey, Novar, Emsdale, Scotia Jct., Katrine, for hardwood lumber per 1,000 feet, $6.15 ; for pine or basswood lumber, $4.25 per 1,000 feet, and 90 cents per 1,000 pieces of lath. From Burk's Falls, Berriedale, Sundridge, South River, Trout Creek, Powossan, Callandar, for hardwood lumber, $6.40 per 1,000 feet ; for pine or basswood lumber, $4.50 per 1,000 feet, and 95 cents per 1,000 pieces for laths.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

At an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., on March 26th, Canadian pine and spruce deals brought the following prices :

PINE :—Ex Avona, from Quebec, 8-16 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted red, £9 5s per standard ; 6-16 ft. 3x10, £9 ; 9-17 ft. 3x9 £9 10s ; 6-16 ft. 3x9, £9 10s ; 9-17 ft. 3x8 £8 10s ; 9-16 ft. 3x7, £8 ; 6-16 ft. 3x7, £7 15s ; 9-17 ft. 3x6, £7 10s ; 9-17 ft. 3x5, £7 10s ; 10.18 ft. 3x4-9, £7 10s. Ex Zanzibar, from Montreal—12-16 ft. 3x9 inch second quality, £12 10s. Ex Prome, from Montreal—14-16 ft. 3x11 in. fourth quality, £10 10s. Ex Belgian, from Montreal,—3 ft. 39-20 in. third and fourth quality, £7 ; 3 ft. 3x4-8, £6 10s. Ex Lycia, from Quebec—14-18 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted red, £10 ; 10-18 ft. 1x9, £9 15s ; 10-18 ft. 1x8, £8. Ex Rodney, from Quebec—10-22 ft. 4x8 in. unassorted red, £10 5s ; 8-23 ft. 4x7, £8 10s ; 10-18 ft. 3x9, £8 10s ; 10-20 ft. 3x8, £8 10s ; 12-20 ft. 3x7, £8 ; 10-18 fi. 3x7, £8 ; 10-18 ft. 3x6, £7 15s.

SPRUCE :—Ex Caledonian, from Quebec —10-13 ft. 3x7 inch unassorted white, 7 15s ; 8-13 ft. 3x7, £7 25s ; 12-17 ft. 3x5, £7 ; 13-16 ft. 3x5, £6 15s ; 12-16 ft. 3x5, £6 15s; 8-17 ft. 3x9 inch third quality, £9 ; 13-15 ft. 2x7, £8 10s ; 6-8 ft. 3x7-9 in. fourth quality, £8. Ex Minnetonka, from Quebec—9-14 ft. 3x8-11 in. unassorted, £8 5s ; 8-15 ft. 3x7, £7 15s ; 8-15 ft. 3x6, £7 5s ; 13 ft. 3x8, £8 5s ; 12-13 ft. 3x8, £8 10s; 12-14 ft. 3-7, £7 15s; 12-14 ft. 3x6, £7 10s; 8-13 ft. 2x6-9, £7 5s ; 7-13 ft. 2x4-5, £7.

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The Eastern Trading Company, of Shanghai, China, has written to the British Columbia Department of Agriculture in reference to obtaining a supply of wooden blocks. The particulars are given in the following extract from their letter:

"Our council have decided on laying down a system of tramways, and we hear privately that in the course of about two or three months tenders for wooden blocks 8 in. x 3 in. x 5 in. will be required, the wood to resemble "billion' as much as possible. This wood being so well known you will not require any explanation, but most of the supplies for this market now come from North Borneo.

"We are unable to give you any exact amount that will be wanted, but our informant told the writer that it would run into several shipments. Seeing that rails 26 miles in length will be laid, you will see that the contract will be worth securing.

"It will be advisable also to have quotations in bulk, because it is just possible that the company who have the contract will be able to cut blocks in this country owing to the cheapness of labour.

"We should like quotations c.i.f. Shanghai, either at per ton or per 1,000 blocks, at the same time if you quote per thousand it will be advisable to know the weight of 1,000 blocks.

Kindly give us full particulars as to the time that you can deliver the goods provided we can place the contract.

"We shall be required to give, say, from 30 to 60 days' credit to the contractors on this side, and if business results, we shall be prepared to accept your bills drawn upon us at 60 to 90 days sight. If necessary, we could arrange for you to draw upon the contractors direct, you to simply pay us a commission of say two and a half per cent. for the trouble; we should then act as your agents."

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From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Corinthian, for Liverpool, 356,937 feet deals, 44,136 feet scantling, 20,361 feet boards, 8,120 feet ends, by George McKean. Steamer Lake Simcoe, for Liverpool, 2,866 bundles pulp, by Troop & Son. Steamer Concordia, for Glasgow, 273,373 feet deals, 7,839 feet scantling, 9,427 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay; 25,000 feet deals, by Schofield & Company; 504 bales pulp, by St. John Sulphite Pulp Company. Steamer Bengore Head, for Belfast, 876 doors by Rathbun Company; 294,103 feet deals, 9,847 feet scantling, 374 feet ends, by George McKean; 150,243 feet deals, 19,289 feet birch plank, 1,190 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay; 29,700 feet deals, 848 feet ends, 46 tons birch timber, by William Thomson & Co. Schooner S. A. Fownes, for New Bedford, 119,887 feet plank, 32,040 feet scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Pandora, for Scituate, 1,474,250 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schooner Cora May, for Boston, 166,253 feet plank, by Cushing & Company. Schooner Walter Miller, for New Bedford, 51,916 feet boards, 11,000,000 shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schooner Annie M. Parker, for Santa Cruise, 292,036 feet pine boards, 28,750 ft. pine plank, 40,971 ft. spruce boards, 9,222 ft. spruce plank, 35,542 ft. spruce scantling, 21,700 pine laths, 292,700 spruce laths, 9,100 pickets, 28 spars. Schooner Sower, for City Island, 148,677 feet deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Steamer Manchester Trader, for Manchester, 2,717 feet deals, 8,149 feet scantling, 13,781 feet boards, 6,995 feet ends, 5,585 feet birch deals, 543 feet birch scantling, 100 feet birch ends, by George McKean; 1,308 bundles flooring, by W. O. Young & Company. Steamer Florence, for London, four cases chair stock, by A. Cushing & Company, 199,779 feet deals, 582,405 feet birch plank, 3,395 feet birch ends, by W. M. Mackay; 15,840 bundles shooks, by A. Gravel Lumber Company; 47 cases boards, by M. & L. Samuel, Benjamin Company; 1,500 pieces blocks, by William Thompson and Company. Steamer Alcides, for Glasgow, 1,680 bundles shooks, by Haley & Son; 1,814 pieces pine deals, by Schofield & Company; 125 tons birch timber, by S. Jarvis. Schooner Annie A. Booth, for New York, 184,045 feet boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Otis Miller, for Weymouth, Mass., 83,512 feet plank, 40,719 feet boards, 50,017 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Company.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

John Hanbury, of Brandon, Man., has purchased several thousand acres of timber lands on the northern coast of British Columbia. The property is in different sections between Vancouver and Jervis Inlet. The purchase price was $47,000. It is understood that Mr. Hanbury intends operating the limits, and that in all probability a saw mill will be erected.

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 27th March, 1903. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

A Huddersfield firm asks for names of Canadian exporters of weaving, spinning and twisting bobbins.

Inquiry is made by a firm of furniture makers and upholsterers for the names of parties able to supply dimension timber.

The following charters are reported: Barque Emigrant, Halifax, N. S., to w. c. England, deals, 37s 6d; several steamers, Bay of Fundy ports to U. K. during summer months at rates varying from 33s to 33s 6d; steamer Imperator Alexander II, St. John, N. B., to Melbourne, Australia, private terms; Barque Luarca, Weymouth, N. S., to River Platte, lumber.

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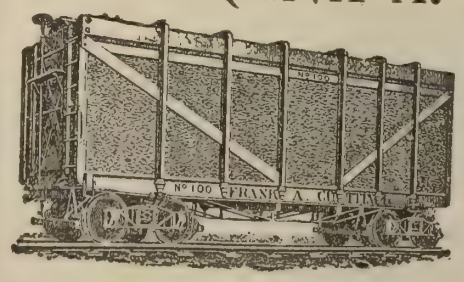

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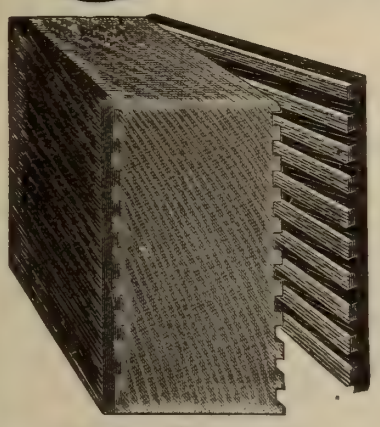

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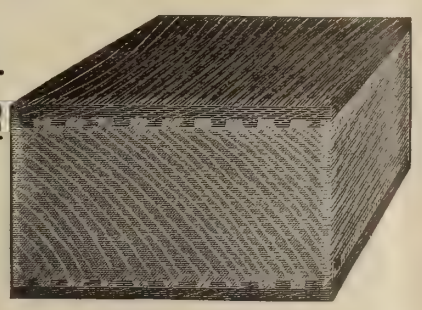

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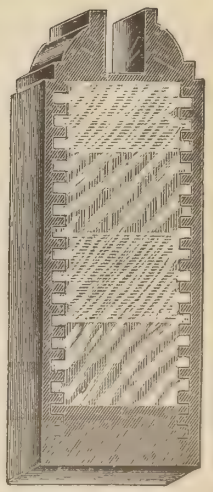

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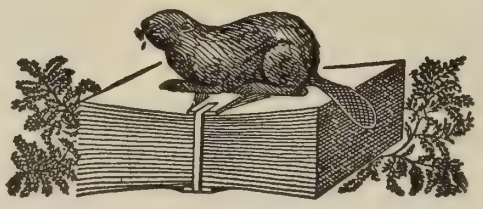

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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	20 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

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No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3
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1 to 2 in.	78	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	83	10-in. dressing and better	28 37
Selects, 2½ in up	75	10-in. common	20
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Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	1x10	24 26
No. 2	32	1x8	22 24
No. 3	25	No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	1x8	21
Stained saps	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 40
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Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	Dressing	26 20
Dressing boards, narrow	26	Common	32
1x10 inch shippers	21		

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Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 20
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2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
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1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x 10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
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			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Each week brings to the lumber trade a larger volume of inquiries and active business. Given fine weather and there will doubtless be more urgent placing of orders than has been seen for some time, for everybody seems imbued with a desire to make the most of the prevailing favorable commercial conditions. There are still to be found persons who regard lumber prices as being too high, but usually such persons give little consideration to the conditions which have brought about the advanced prices. To the writer a manufacturer advanced several arguments in justification of the present prices, one of which—and a very important one—was that the value of white pine timber is gradually working to a higher basis. He further named several large manufacturers who have disposed of their total 1903 cut, and others who have sold a large proportion of their output. When the quantity which will be shipped to the United States is deducted from the Georgian Bay production, it leaves no large amount of lumber to be disposed of in the home market. Buyers for the British market have placed under contract the usual proportion of the Ottawa Valley product. Considering these conditions, and the shortage in the log supply as the result of the early cessation of work in the woods, estimated from 10 to 15 per cent. of the total cut, the buyer who is waiting for lower prices before placing orders for his season's requirments seems likely to be disappointed.

The hope previously expressed of freedom from strikes in the building trades has so far been realized, but the demands recently made by the labor unions upon the Toronto contractors will, it is feared, result in a suspension of work.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Manufacturers of spruce lumber feel somewhat encouraged on account of recent inquiries received for cargo shipments to the east coast of England. A few years ago a number of cargoes were placed on the east coast, but since that time the business has been of little account. It seems that the price of Baltic whitewood has now reached the point where some consumers are disposed to again substitute spruce on account of its lower price. This demand will likely offset any probable decline in exports to the west coast of England. Prices of eastern lumber are practically unchanged. Favorable reports are heard in respect to cedar shingles, for which the range is now $3.40 to $3.50 for extras, Boston delivery.

Stream driving has commenced, the recent mild weather having caused a sudden rise of water in the rivers. In the northern part of New Brunswick there is still some snow in the woods, but in the southern portion it has entirely disappeared. In some quarters anxiety is expressed that the early disappearance of the snow may cause the streams to recede before the drives have reached the mills.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The only unfavorable feature in the lumber situation of the west is the danger of further labor troubles. The carpenters of Vancouver are now on strike, and in Winnipeg the situation is threatening, although the large amount of building placed under contract would seem to indicate that no serious results are anticipated. Some of the mills of Vancouver have an agreement with the builders under which they have refused to deliver lumber to others than members of the Exchange. On both sides, however, there is a hopeful feeling that the difficulty will be settled at an early date. The advance in the price of British Columbia shingles for delivery throughout Manitoba and the Territories, referred to last week, has been confirmed and gone into effect.

UNITED STATES.

There seems no likelihood of an early change in the remarkable condition of the lumber trade of the United States. The incidents of the past week have been in the direction of further strengthening the hands of the holder of lumber. Several large purchases of white pine have recently been made in the Lake Superior district. It is estimated that 150,000,000 feet of the proposed cut on the Menominee river has already been sold. In Chicago all grades of lumber are moving actively. Piece stuff brings $16.75 delivered in that city. Throughout the Eastern States there is a general complaint of a scarcity of box lumber, and there is a tendency to advance prices on all the coarser items. It is said that the supply of box, mill culls, and 6 and 12-inch barn boards is so small at Tonawanda that they are likely to be out of the market before new stock arrives. There is a splendid demand for Norway lumber, "C" and better being quoted at $40. Michigan manufacturers have made another advance in the price of hemlock lumber, for which the demand is much heavier than is usual at this season of the year. Some dealers are shipping green stock to fill their orders.

The entire hardwood list has been helped by the strong position of basswood. The Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association has changed its quotations on this lumber, making an advance of $1 from the list adopted March 25th. The present prices are as follows, f. o. b. Wausau: 1-inch 1sts and 2nds clear basswood, 5 to 11 inches, 8 to 16 feet, $33; 1¼ to 1½ inch, $35; 2 inch, $37. White ash is also stronger, while maple and soft elm are becoming scarce. Good quartered white oak is selling in the eastern market at $70, while one year ago it could be bought for $55.

The shingle situation is satisfactory except in respect to Washington red cedars. At a meeting of the Washington Shingle Manufacturers' Association, held last week, it was decided to restrict the production, and it is the general opinion that about two hundred of the Washington mills will be closed down for an indefinite period.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Reports received respecting the condition of the British market are somewhat at variance. Shippers claim that they have succeeded in placing large stocks at their asking prices, while from other sources comes the information that importers have as yet bought sparingly and that they are not inclined to fall in with the views of shippers as to prices. It is perhaps near the mark to say that less than the usual quantity of Canadian lumber has been placed this season with British buyers. The outlook, however, is by no means discouraging, as stocks are as a rule in a healthy condition. There are practically no wide pine deals held in first hands, and shipments are taken at prices ranging from £32 to £39 per standard. The statistical position of red pine is favorable. Taking the Glasgow market as an example, the stock on hand March 31st of this year was 1,140,000 feet, as compared with over 4,000,000 feet at corresponding period last year. Quotations range from £9 5s to £12 per standard. Waney and square pine timber have appreciated in value, 18 to 19 inch waney being held at 3s 9d to 4d per cubic foot, and first-class square pine, 35 to 40 feet average, at 2s 9d to 3s. First-class rock elm is in good demand, but the stock of soft elm is large and prices correspondingly low. Birch is in better inquiry, 15 and 16 inch average ranging from 19 to 21d per cubic foot.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The City of Winnipeg is asking for tenders up to April 28th for supply of lumber.

No. 1 white pine lath are quoted in Chicago at $3.60 to $3.75, No. 1 hemlock and No. 1 Norway at $3.25, and No. 2 lath at $2.75 to $3.

J. D. Carew, of Lindsay, Ont., has received a drive of 10,000 logs from Scugog Lake. Other drives are on the way from the Squaw River and Nogey's Creek.

The Rathbun Company have received the contract to supply lumber for the City of Kingston at $22.35 per thousand feet, and cedar for stringers at 3 cents per running foot.

The New Brunswick government will offer for sale at Fredericton, on April 22nd, four timber berths, as follows: 2 sq. miles on west branch Sabbies River, Bernard D. McCormick, applicant; 2½ sq. miles at mouth of Six Mile Brook, Cain's River, W. H. Murray, applicant; 6 sq. miles, north-west of Salmon River, W. H. Murray, applicant.

Owing to the early break-up of the logging roads in New Brunswick, W. J. Scott, operating on the Keswick river, was obliged to leave 4,000 logs in the woods. Several operators for Donald Fraser & Sons and the Tobique Manufacturing Company are reported to have also left large quantities of logs in the woods.

According to the United States Consul, the exports of lumber to the United States during the three months ending March 31 were valued at $185,428.58. Of this amount $94,616.03 represented Maine lumber manufactured at St. John, and $90,812.55 provincial lumber. Of the New Brunswick production long lumber was valued at $10,559.90 and lath at $25,922.27. Pulp exports represented $53,500.26, or more than half of the total New Brunswick product.

In the Chicago market tierce hoops are firm in price and scarce, quotations ranging from $15.50 to $16, while pork hoops are quoted from $11 to $12. In slack cooperage stocks are light and demand not urgent. Basswood heading for flour barrels is quoted at about 5½ cents a set, with sugar barrel heading at 6½ cents. The high price of hardwood lumber is making it difficult for purchasers of slack barrel stock to secure material with which to fill their orders.

Under date of March 28th, S. P. Musson, Son & Company refer to the Barbadoes lumber market as follows: "There has been no arrival of either white pine or spruce during the fortnight, but a mixed cargo of about 20,000 feet shipping and 50,000 feet second quality white pine, 40,000 shipping hemlock and 20,000 feet second quality spruce, said to be near by, has been sold at $26, $21, $19 and $18 respectively. Consumption is only moderate, and although stocks are not large there is not much inquiry, the impression being that prices will decline later on. There is hardly any inquiry for shingles."

Continued rains in the province of New Brunswick have caused freshets and resulted in considerable damage to logging booms. The boom at the mouth of the Nashwaak river gave way and 500,000 feet of logs belonging to Jas. M. Scott, of Dumfries, went adrift in the river. Most of them have been recovered, but at considerable expense. James Humphrey, of Moncton, lost 1,000,000 feet of logs and the top of his mill dam was washed away. By the breaking of the boom at Apohaqui, 5,000 logs belonging to Jones Bros. went adrift. A. H. Peck, of Hopewell Hill, suffered a slight loss in the same manner.

A better movement of shingles at North Tonawanda has not been noted this year, demand being exceptionally good. Red cedars are being quoted at 10 cents less than a week ago, attributed to a surplus and the disposition of consumers to secure other shingles that may be bought for less money. White pine manufacturers are reported somewhat behind in orders. There is a fair supply of them with dealers but the excellent movement makes more of them most desirable; consequently orders are being placed with producers right along.

A scarcity of dry hardwood is restricting the movement to consumers. During the month of March, says the Mississippi Valley Lumberman, a larger quantity was sold and shipped than in the the three preceding months, and supplies of the most desirable woods have been reduced to unusually low proportions. Prices on white quartered oak continue extremely high, and for the time being there is little prospect of any reduction. Common and cull are being absorbed more readily and $38 to $40 is obtained. A scarcity of basswood and cottonwood enables holders to obtained high prices, and cottonwood box boards have sold up to $44, and culls at $23, free on board, Cairo. The top price paid on basswood at Wisconsin points is $32 for firsts and seconds.

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From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Lycia, for Cape Town, South Africa, 100,000 feet deals, by Troop & Son. Steamer Peconic, for Mersey, 883,036 feet deals, 84,502 feet scantling, 28,537 feet ends, 29,420 feet boards, 98,194 feet birch plank, 14,883 feet birch ends, 16,979 feet hemlock deals, 177 feet hemlock scantling, 315 feet hemlock ends, by W.M. Mackay. Steamer Bavarian, for Liverpool, 279 tons birch timber, by W. M. Mackay; 783,208 feet spruce deals, 506,096 feet scantling, 59,143 feet ends, 60,084 feet boards, 44,200 feet birch deals, 150 feet birch scantling, 5,295 feet birch ends, by George McKean; 594 pieces elm timber, by Keenan Bros.; 13,980 maple blocks, 1,094 pieces oak, 348 pieces ash, by William Thomson & Company. Schooner Pawnee, for Mersey, 888,512 feet deals, 25,922 feet scantling, 45,752 feet ends, 157,984 feet birch plank, 13,391 feet birch ends, 2,807 feet birch squares, by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Lake Erie, for Liverpool, 467,071 feet deals, 324 feet scantling, 45,105 feet ends, 427 tons birch timber, by W. M. Mackay; 3,952 bundles box shooks, by A. Cushing & Company; 15,065 maple blocks, 50 maple logs, 3,573 feet oak plank, 210 tons birch timber, 9,480 doors, by Troop & Son. Schooner Romeo, for City Island, 86,121.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Edmiston & Mitchells' monthly timber circular of March 31st says of the Glasgow market:

Annexed will be found our usual quarterly statement showing the stock of logs and lumber at this date, compared with previous years. Of Quebec timber, waney pine, oak and ash logs are all considerably higher than at corresponding date last year, and a similiar remark applies to spruce deals; but of other Canadian goods, the stocks on hand generally are small. Low port spruce and pine are higher, and sawn pitch pine is 3,500 loads up, whereas, on the other hand, teak logs show a marked dimunition. Apart from these,

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A considerable amount of business has been done in contracting for the coming season's timber and deal requirements from Montreal and Quebec at prices which, generally speaking, show an advance on those of last season.

A fair amount of business has been done during the past month, several large transactions being reported in spruce deals, pitch pine and teak, while pine deals, sidings, etc., have also been active at firm prices. In American hardwoods there is a steady demand for poplar lumber of all grades and thicknesses, with the exception perhaps of 18-inch and up, which has come forward too freely of late, and prices for this stock are hardly as firm as they were.

WHITE OR YELLOW PINE.—Business during the month has been quiet. The import consists of about 150 loads sawn waney, via Baltimore, which met with ready sale "ex quay." There has been no movement from ponded stock of any importance, with the exception of a parcel of 1st quality square wood about 900 feet per page. Stocks are normal and prices are firm.

RED PINE.—There has been the usual small business, and the stock is now only about 150 loads. Prices firm at 1s. 9d. to 2s. per cubic foot.

OAK.—The demand still continues quiet, a few retail sales comprising the business for the month. The stock is heavy, chiefly composed of Southern States wood.

ELM.—Enquiries for good rock elm have been fairly numerous, and several transactions have taken place at satisfactory prices. The stock chiefly consists of second class and soft elm, for which there is little demand.

QUEBEC BIRCH.—There has been one import this month via Portland, consisting of 271 logs about 16-inch average, which were sold to arrive. The stock on hand is now very low, and there are several enquiries for 15 and 16-inch average, values of which are round about 19d to 21d per foot. Lower Port.—There is nothing of importance to report, the stock in first hands being exhausted. Nominal value of 15-inch Pictou is 17d to 18d.

ASH.—There is still a considerable stock on hand, and the consumption of this timber is becoming smaller and smaller, partly owing to the continued depression in the furniture trade, and partly to other cheaper woods being used in its place. Several shipments of American round logs have come to hand this month, the best of which found buyers from the ship's side, the balance going into store. Only second-growth ash is especially enquired for.

DEALS, ETC.—There has been a good steady business during the month, especially in the better qualities of pine goods. The stock of first pine deals and sidings is low, but of the lower qualities there is ample. Spruce deals are moving off freely, and prices of all kinds are firm. Current values are as under:— Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second pine deals.— 11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third pine deals.—11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s; Ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals.—9 and 11 inch, £11 10s to £12 10s; Narrows, £8 10s to £9 10s. First pine sidings.—9 and 10 inch, £24 to £25; 11 to 12 inch, £26 to £28; 13 to 14 inch, £29 to £31. Spruce deals.—9-inch and up, £8 15s to £9 10s; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s to £8 5s. Lower port pine and spruce.—7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s; 9-inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 15s.

The following is a comparative statement of the stock of Canadian timber and deals in Clyde at 31st March for the last two years:

	1902 Loads	1903 Loads
Quebec waney boardwood	1,402	2,748
" square white pine	3,206	2,605
" red pine logs	254	166
" oak logs	684	2,541
" elm logs	2,700	3,110
" ash logs	62	760
Birch logs	734	263
Birch planks and boards	1,865	2,001
Hickory logs	41	126
Maple logs	108	60
	Std.	Std.
Quebec pine deals, 1st Quality	288	303
" pine ends "	3	1
" pine deals, 2nd Quality	243	726
" " 3rd "	850	1,017
" " 4th "	332	340
" " Planks and boards	439	590
" spruce deals	2 602	3,487
" red pine deals	2,192	572
St. John and Lower Port spruce deals	4.513	5,681
St. John and Lower Port pine deals	483	1,946

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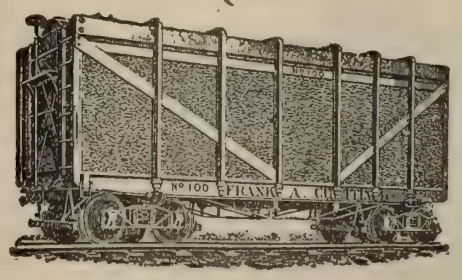

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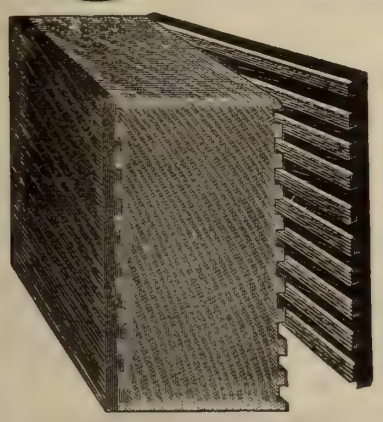

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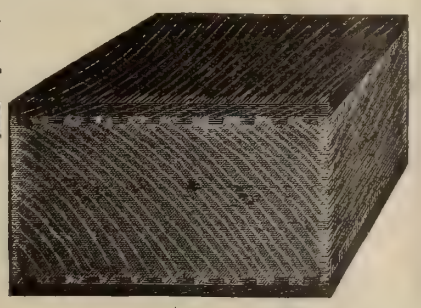

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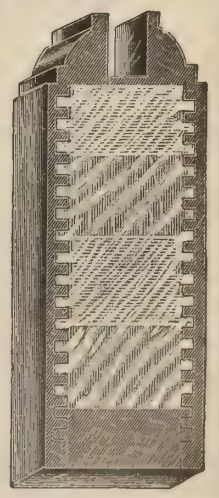

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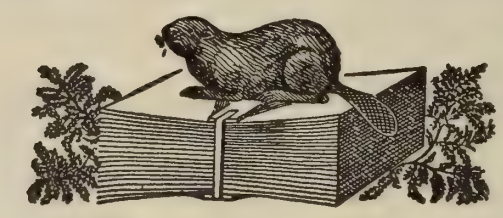

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Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
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10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

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Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10
No. 2	32	45	1x8
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12
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No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8
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Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

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		4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
		4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
28	37	10-in. dressing and better	28
	20	10-in. common	
35	30	12-in. dressing and better	35
	21	Common, 1x12	
29	30	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29
24	26	1x10	24
22	24	1x8	22
	27	No. 2 barn, 1x12	
	23	1x10	
	21	1x8	
35	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35
	45	" " 2 inch	
26	20	Dressing	26
	3	Common	

LATH.

Pine	$3 50	Spruce	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock
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Hemlock		2 20	
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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
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2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips
			Com. and culls

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, & up
			Com. & good culls

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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls

2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00	
Strips	19 00	21 00	
Com. and culls	13 00	15 00	

Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00	

1st & 2nd, white, & up	24 00	26 00	
Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00	

1st & 2nd, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00	
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

A scrutiny of the lumber situation fails to reveal any weak spots in the market. The movement of building lumber is large, manufacturers are buying quite liberally, and the export demand is gradually improving. United States firms are still buying with considerable energy. It is reported that the Skillings, Whitney & Barnes Lumber Company have purchased upwards of 150,000,000 feet of white pine lumber to be sawn this season by Ontario mills, while important purchases have also been made by other concerns. Lumber manufacturers have a larger volume of orders on their books than at this time one year ago. These factors cannot be ignored. On the other hand, they seem to remove any probability of lower prices during the spring or summer seasons.

Prices of log run pine are still of a wide range. A certain manufacturer who sold a large proportion of his output at $20 per thousand feet, is asking $25 for the balance, comprising 8,000,000 feet of selected logs. Average prices are perhaps $17 to $19 for common log run, $19 to $21 for medium, and $24 to $26 for choice. Norway lumber is worth about $13 at the mill.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Differences have arisen between the Montreal stevedores and longshoremen which threaten to tie up business at that port upon the opening of navigation. Thirteen steamers are expected to arrive for cargoes within the next week, and if a settlement is not reached in the meantime the shipping of lumber may be seriously interfered with. Chartering of lumber vessels has not been active, and it is considered that the spring shipments will be lighter than usual. The market for spruce deals is slightly stronger, while there have been numerous inquiries for clapboards for shipment to the Eastern States. Quebec shippers have placed considerable square and waney timber. It is reported that almost the entire stock of waney pine has been placed at prices averaging about 85 cents per cubic foot for 18-inch delivered on vessel at port. For long lengths as high as $1 is said to have been paid. Quebec oak has been placed around 80 cents c.i.f. London. There is a better tone to the shingle market. For extra quality New Brunswick cedars $3.50 is offered, while a few of the largest manufacturers are holding their best grade at $3.55.

UNITED STATES.

The records of building permits for twenty-three leading cities of the United States show that building is more active than last year. During the month of March, 1902, 7,216 permits were issued in these cities, representing a value of $30,968,821, as compared with 7,380 permits of a value of $37,246,655 for the corresponding month of this year. These figures indicate that the higher price of lumber has had little effect upon building operations, being offset no doubt by the prosperous financial and industrial conditions. There is an active demand for lumber of all kinds. The opening of navigation has been delayed and stocks of white pine are running low. At Buffalo and Tonawanda the scarcity of box and mill culls has resulted in a slight advance in prices. Some dealers are now asking $21 for 12-inch box, as compared with $20 a fortnight ago. There is also a shortage in thick cuts. In the Chicago market piece stuff is selling from the yards at from $17.50 to $18, with $16.75 asked for 2x4 to 2x10 in short stuff. No. 3 and better is held around $22.50. The demand for spruce lumber is strong and there is every prospect that present prices will prevail for some months at least.

Quartered oak leads the hardwood market. Prices of this kind of lumber are somewhat irregular, some dealers venturing to hold their stock at figures which are considered by more conservative persons to be excessive. There is a good call for thick maple, while recently a shortage in the supply of elm has developed. Green basswood is being purchased by some consumers on account of inability to obtain the dry article. Maple flooring, which has been a little weak for some time, is now showing more activity and a hardening tendency.

The situation in respect to the Pacific

Coast product has somewhat unsettled the shingle market, although increased sales are reported and it is believed that the season will be a good one. White pine hold steady, while white cedars have advanced.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British market continues somewhat perplexing. Some importers claim that weakness is in course of development, while others contend that the market is maintaining stability even in the face of very light buying. Agents of shippers report that it is most difficult to close contracts, but add that it will be absolutely necessary for importers to arrange for supplies at a very early date. In respect to Canadian lumber it can be said that first quality pine deals are now almost unobtainable, and sales of third quality have been made at £12 10s. to £12 15s. per standard of 1,980 feet. For fourth quality there is little demand. Quebec spruce deals have recently been sold in London at £9 5s. for 9-inch third quality, and £9 2s. 6d. for unassorted. For New Brunswick spruce, per regular liners from St. John, the price is £7 7s. 6d. to £7 10s. per standard. The imports by the liners have been small, but stocks at Liverpool, Manchester and other ports are somewhat heavy. Liverpool brokers are said to have made good sales of spruce on the Continent and in Ireland.

At a recent auction sale 2x11 Quebec spruce brought £12 per standard. A single lot of first quality white pine from Montreal, comprising 3x11, 3x10 and 3 x 6 and 7, sold at £13 10s., which was considered much below its value.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Martin O'Donohue has opened a lumber yard at West Selkirk, Man., with 700,000 feet of lumber in stock.

Oliver & Beaton, of Fort William, Ont., cut over 20,000 ties at English River during the past winter.

Laths in Chicago are held at $3.50 for No. 1 white pine, $2.75 to $3 for No. 2, and $3.25 for No. 1 hemlock or Norway.

There is between 210,000,000 and 250,000,000 feet of logs to come out of the Spanish river and tributaries this season.

Tenders are invited up to April 28th for supplying the Works Committee of the City of Winnipeg with lumber required during the current year.

A. R. Mann, of Winnipeg, has ceased logging operations in the vicinity of Fort Francis, Ont. During the past winter he took out over 350,000 ties.

Sales of about 3,000,000 feet of No. 3 and better lumber were made at Duluth last week at prices distinctly in advance of the average for the past two weeks for both the narrow widths and the boards.

Skillings, Whitney & Barnes, of Boston, have contracted for over 30,000,000 feet of lumber to be cut this season at Cutler, Ont., by N. N. Wright & Company. The total cut of the Cutler mill will be about 40,000,000 feet, all of which has been sold.

Gilroy & Humber, of Mableton, N. S., were heavy losers by a recent freshet. Of their season's output of logs boomed above the water mill, amounting to 12,000, not more than 4,000 now remain. The balance are strewn along the river and will have to be collected and rafted down to a convenient place for booming and sawing.

Chicago reports a weak market for cooperage stock. Tierce hoops which a few weeks ago were worth $15 now range from $11 to $12. There is practically no demand for staves, hoops or heading. Buffalo jobbers quote first-class elm staves at $9.25 to $9.50; basswood heading, 6 to 6½ cents; coiled hoops, $10 to $10.50 for 6-foot and $9.75 to $10.25 for 5½ foot.

A despatch from Fredericton, N. B., states that driving operations have commenced on most of the streams. R. A. Estey, Hillyard Bros., Murchie & Sons and others who operate on the Tobique river have engaged crews for driving. Donald Fraser & Sons started operations last week and expect to get about 12,000,000 feet of logs. J. A. Patterson, who operates on the Salmon river, and J. H. Sawyer, on the Gulmac river, have made excellent progress with their drives. On the Restigouche the ice has been slow in moving.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

With log driving well in hand on several streams, the lumbermen are now turning their attention to the mills. Preparations are well advanced for a good season's cut. The cool spring presages a steady movement of logs, as the larger streams will be fed gradually from their tributaries during the late spring and early summer. The ice is not expected to move out of the more northerly creeks for another fortnight.

The first mill in the Ottawa district to resume operations was that of the Hawkesbury Lumber Company, at Hawkesbury, Ont. The strike declared on Good Friday paralyzed operations, but it was of short duration.

The Booth mill at Ottawa is running night and day, and will soon be employing between 1,500 and 1,800 men and boys, in the mills and yards. The Mason mill at Hintonburg, secured by the Shepherd & Morse Company, with its new equipment, is about the only new thing outside the establishment of the Fraser mill at Deschenes, and Davidson & Thackery's new mill at Davidson, Que., the new lumbering village in the Pontiac district.

Reference to the market page will show an advance in several lines of high grade stock. Even as a futurity it is exceedingly scarce, and it is figured that over one-half of the 1903 mill cut has long ere this passed from the manufacturer to the British and American buyers. Local dealers are experiencing considerable difficulty in securing stock to supply the local market.

The first logs of the season are reported at the Coulonge boom, near the juncture with the Ottawa. The logs are part of a bunch of 100,000 cut for Davidson & Thackery's new mill at Davidson station.

Mr. W. H. McAulliffe, the well known local lumber dealer, has purchased an additional block of land in the Chaudiere district adjoining his present extensive piling and sorting grounds. He will erect a planing mill, and thus add an additional branch to his rapidly growing business.

Messrs. Hurdman & Elmitt, one of Ottawa's aggressive lumber firms, have secured territory for piling grounds convenient to the city and in touch with the different lines of railway.

Mr. E. A. Chamberlain, formerly of the James MacLaren Lumber Company, Buckingham, has accepted a position on the construction work at Mr. Alex. Fraser's new mill at Deschenes, near Ottawa.

Mr. W. P. Hinton, general freight and passenger agent of the Canada Atlantic Railway, was at its last meeting elected President of the Canadian Freight Agents Association. Mr. Hinton well deserves the honor, a point on which his friends in the lumber trade of Canada and the United States will agree. Although one of the youngest, he is one of the best informed railway men in America.

OTTAWA, April 20th, 1903.

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 3rd April, 1903. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

Inquiry has been made respecting the suitability of Canadian hemlock for railway ties, and the supplies of this timber available.

The names of users of spool-wood and "Excelsior" packing are required by a party in Canada who is taking up the manufacture and export of these goods.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

The following prices were realized for Canadian pine and spruce lumber at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., on April 8th:

PINE.—Ex. Langford, from Quebec—7-22 ft. 4x8 in. unassorted red, £9 per standard; 12-22 ft. 4x7, £8 10s; 9-20 ft. 4x6, £8 5s; 12-21 ft. 3x8, £8 10s; 10-20 ft. 3x7, £8; 12-18 ft. 2½x8, £8 10s; 12-18 ft. 2½x4-6, £7; 9-18 ft. 2x11, £12; 9-18 ft. 2x4-8, £7 5s; 10-18 ft. 1¼x4-11, £6 5s. Ex. Aquila, from Montreal—12-16 ft. 1x10 in. first quality red, £13 15s; 15-16 ft. 1x8, £12 10s; 15-16 ft. 1x7, £12 15s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Carlisle City, from St. John—4-24 ft. 1x8-10 in. first, second and third quality, £7 5s. per standard; 6-24 ft. 1x7, £7. Ex. Hermann, from Saguenay, Que.—10 ft. 3x8 in. unassorted, £8 15s; 9-10 ft. 3x8, £8 15s; 10-15 ft. 3x7, £7 15s. Ex. Avona, from Quebec—10-15 ft. 3x11 third quality, £9 10s; 10-19 ft. 3x7, £7 10s; 9-11 ft. 3x7-9, £7 15s; 9-18 ft. 3x6-12, £8; 4-8 ft. 3x7-12, £7 10s. Ex. Lycia, from Quebec—12-13 ft. 3x5 in. third quality, £6 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x4, £7,

A saw mill in Kings County belonging to S. B. Benjamin, of Wolfville, N.S., was destroyed by fire on the 16th inst. The mill was just starting on the summer cut, the pond being full of logs. The property was insured for $14,000.

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From Dorchester, N.B.: April 14, schooner Luta Price, for Vineyard Haven, lumber value $1,702, by Jas. Anderson & Sons.

From Chemainus, B. C.: April 4th, steamer Wendur, for South Africa, 1,552,223 feet lumber. April 7th, steamer Schurbeck, for Liverpool, 2,110,781 feet lumber.

From Halifax, N.S.: April 10, steamer Kastalia, for Glasgow, 57,096 feet hemlock deals, value $570; 692,983 feet spruce deals, value $8,375. April 16, steamer Pydna, for Cardiff, 2,721,973 feet spruce deals, value $33,813. April 11, steamer London City, for London, 150,625 feet birch plank, value $1,625.

From St. John, N.B.: Schooner Sea Bird, for Portland, 1,160,000 shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schooner Swallow, for Beverly, 98,945 feet plank, 15,165 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schooner Maggie Miller, for Hingham, 30,123 feet plank, 38,218 feet scantling, 48,000 shingles, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner M.D.S., for Vineyard Haven, 1,158,400 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Priscilla, for Boston, 118,586 feet plank, 38,245 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Adelene, for City Island, 43,338 feet deals, 205,241 feet boards, 3,219 feet plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Pardon G. Thompson, for Hartford, 27,910 feet boards, 77,992 feet scantling, 94,238 feet plank, by A. Cushing & Company. Barque Baden, for Buenos Ayres, 334,296 feet spruce boards, 32,190 feet plank, 145,298 feet scantling. Schooner Rosa Mueller, for Vineyard Haven, 1,474,500 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Frank and Ira, for Scituate, 93,441 feet plank, 4,872 feet scantling, 100,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Steamer London City, for London, 11,000 feet maple lumber, by Keenan Bros.; 98,965 feet deals, by George McKean; 40,041 feet deals by W. M. Mackay; 76,673 feet birch plank, 5,253 feet ends, by Donald Fraser & Son; 8,306 feet birch by Wm. Thompson & Company. Steamer Dunmore Head, for Dublin, 468 bundles shooks, by A. Cushing & Company; 462,059 feet scantling, 9,171 feet ends, by George McKean; 43 pieces birch timber, 10,695 bundles shooks, by William Thompson & Company. Schooner Lena Maud, for Beverly, 53,541 feet spruce boards, 68,024 feet pine boards, 4,835 feet pine plank, 1,097 feet pine deals, by Stetson Cutler & Company.

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We expect that staves and heading will be high for some time to come. Hoops we hardly expect will maintain present prices, although they should keep pretty near the present prices to make the manufacture of hoops a profitable business to the mill men.

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The question at the present time for the mill men is how to get sufficient timber to run their mills, and this is a very serious problem this year.

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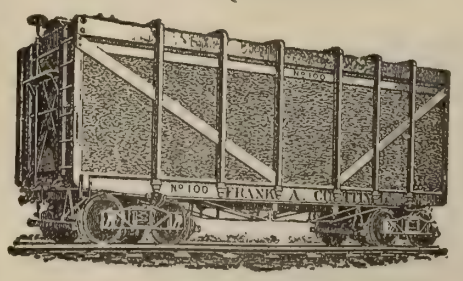

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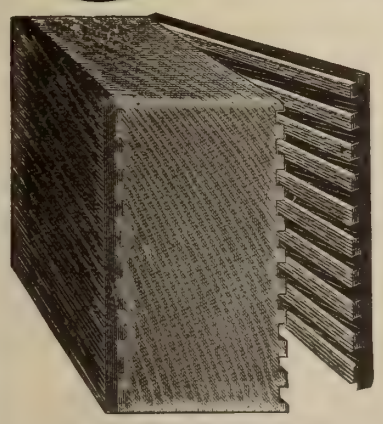

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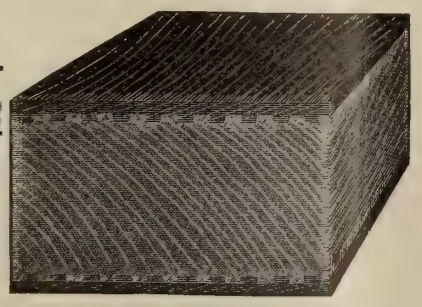

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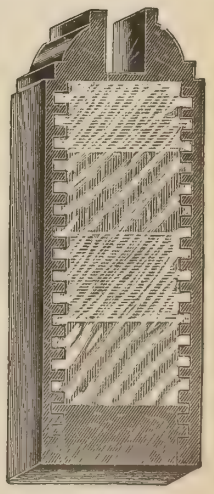

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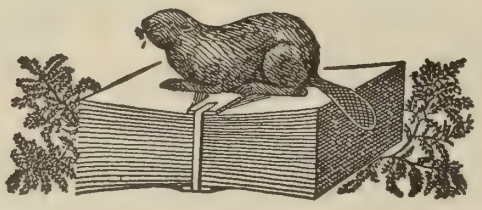

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Carrier, Laine & Co., Levis, Que.
Drake, F. J., Belleville, Ont.
Dunbar & Sons, Woodstock, N.B.
Dyment, Butterfield & Co., Barrie, Ont.
Gordon Hollow Blast Grate Co., Greenville, Mich.
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Hayes Machine Co., E. B., Oshkosh, Wis.
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Laurie Engine Co., Montreal.
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Madison Williams, Port Perry, Ont.
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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00 $50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00 30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00 29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00 26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50 17 50
2x10 common	17 50 18 50
2x12 common	18 00 20 00
3x10 common	18 00 19 00
3x12 common	18 50 20 00
1x10 and 12 common.	20 00 22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00 17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00 15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00 22 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box	17 00 18 00

1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 35
XXX white pine shingles	3 25
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in	3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 65

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00 $32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00 24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00 25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2	17 00 19 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.	18 00 20 00
" 1½ " 2	20 00 22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00 26 00
Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1¼ in	21 00 24 00
1½ to 2	23 00 26 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	18 00 19 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00 25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00 20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00 2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00 60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00 65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	16 00 19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	17 00 19 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00 24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3 24 00 26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2 32 00 35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 19 00 20 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4 20 00 21 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 31 00 33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 34 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 32 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 35 00 38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 60 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 "	3 85 00 100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 34 00 33 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$40 00 45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00 55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00 35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00 38 00
2 in.	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00 30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00 19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00 17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00 2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 13 inch	2 25 2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00 3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25 1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60 1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25 2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20 1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
n shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
2in.	60 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00
2in.	52 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide.	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6.	19 00
1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50
No. 2. White Pine	3 10
Hemlock	2 70

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	78 80
4 inch uppers	83 85
Selects, 2½ in up	75 77
1 to 2 in.	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	60 65
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52 56
No. 2	32 45
No. 3	25 30
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47 50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40
Stained saps	30 40
Bracket plank	35 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
Dressing boards, narrow	26 28
1x10 inch shippers	21 22
1x12 inch shippers	$ 24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
10-in. dressing and better	28 7
10-in. common	20
12-in. dressing and better	35 30
Common, 1x12	21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
1x10	24 26
1x8	22 24
No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
1x10	23
1x8	20
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 4
" " 2 inch	45
Dressing	26 20
Common	3

LATH.

Pine	$3 50
Spruce	$ $3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 50 $4 75
Clear butts	3 50 3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 50
Hemlock	2 20
Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in.	62 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in.	75 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in	36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	00
No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
Box, 1 x 4	15 00
1 x 6 & up	17 50
1x 10	18 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	20 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00 32 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00 37 00
2½ to 4 in.	40 00 42 00
Strips	19 00 21 00
Com. and culls	13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00 30 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00 37 00
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00 25 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 22 00
Common and culls	11 00 14 00
1st & 2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Common and culls	9 00 11 00

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE — SAW-MILL 10,000 capacity; in town of 3,000 population; no opposition; a snap; particulars on application to BOX 16, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

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59 SQUARE MILES ON THE BONNECHERE River for $10,000. Inspection invited at once. Also Mill and Water if desired with the limits at 4th Chute. JOHN KNIGHT, Renfrew P.O., Ont.

WANTED.

A 24" SURFACER, REVOLVING BED; ONE Iron Jointer, with 16" knives; one arm Sandpapering Machine; 500 feet 1-in. gas pipe; 45 1-in. unions; one Circular Self-Feed Rip Saw with iron frame. JOHN MCCORMICK, Lawrence Station, Ont.

FOR SALE.

TWO PRESCOTT BAND MILLS, ONE RIGHT hand and one left hand, both in good condition; two second hand carriages, one right and one left hand; also the following shingle machinery: One Perkins shingle machine; one Boss shingle machine, jointers, edgers and packing boxes, one drag cut off saw, one slabber. Address HOLLAND & GRAVES, Buffalo, N.Y.

HARDWOOD LUMBER WANTED

3-inch Common and Better Soft Elm.
2-inch 1's and 2's Soft Elm.
Also all grades Ash, Basswood, Birch and Elm. Send us list of any hardwood lumber you have for sale.

BRIGGS & COOPER CO., LIMITED,
Saginaw, Mich.

FOR SALE

VENEERS—SINGLE PLY OR GLUED UP stock. INTERNATIONAL LUMBER CO., LIMITED, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

BASSWOOD WANTED — WE ARE OPEN to purchase Basswood either in lumber, logs or 52" bolts. State price F. O. B. your nearest station. THOMAS BROTHERS, LIMITED, St. Thomas, Ont.

FOR SALE.—ONE MILLION FEET OF 1½" dry maple and beech, (mostly maple). This stock is cut rough edge and runs 6 to 16 feet in length, piled mill run. We will sell it at a low figure in blocks of 100 thousand feet and up. For particulars apply Box 318, Woodstock, Ont.

LUMBER WANTED

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A TOWNSHIP WITH GOOD RED AND White Pine. About 50,000 Logs now cut and a portion hauled. Mill on the ground. Best shipping facilities. Location on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier, Ont.

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FOR SALE

Lot No. 1. 1 car 8/4 log run Birch mill culls out.
½ car 4/4 log run Birch mill culls out.
2 cars 8/4 log run Beech mill culls out.
1 car 8/4 log run Maple mill culls out.
Lot No. 2. 2 cars 5/4 sound wormy Chestnut.
½ car 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Chestnut.
1 car 5/4 common Chestnut.
1 car 4/4 sound wormy Chestnut.
½ car 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Chestnut.
2 cars 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Red Oak.
2 cars 5/4 common Red Oak.
1½ cars 5/4 No. 2 common Red Oak.
1 car 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Red Oak.
1 car 4/4 common Red Oak.
½ car 4/4 No. 2 common Red Oak.
2 cars 4/4 log run Maple.
½ car 5/4 log run Maple.
10 cars 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar.
2 cars 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar 18 to 23".
2 cars 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar.
1 car 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar 18 to 23".
2 cars 6/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar.
1 car 6/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar 18 to 23".

Prices quoted on application.

CURLL & LYTLE LUMBER CO.
Pittsburg, Pa.

WANTED—MAN TO RUN MILL, 30 M. capacity, able to saw and do mill-wright work. Address, Box 35, MIDWAY, B. C.

BOOKKEEPER—RELIABLE AND COMPETENT—with knowledge of lumber business; references required. Address, in writing, Box 1,024, Peterborough, Ont.

FOR SALE — PLANING AND SHINGLE MILL in Dobbinton. Thirty-five h. p. boiler and twenty h. p. engine, residence in connection. Write to JOHN FRANK, Dobbinton, Ont.

WANTED.

TWIN ENGINE STEAM FEED IN GOOD order, unbroken, state diameters, cylinders, make, when can ship. Apply Box 66, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—A COMPETENT MAN TO TAKE charge of planing mill. Must understand machinery, dressing and matching of lumber and be able to grade same. Apply Box S, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—FROM 25,000 FEET TO 35,000 feet dry 1 inch beech, birch or maple, common and better. Will take in carloads lots. I will take from two or three different parties as long as there is a carload. Will pay the highest cash price. Apply to Box W, care CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

If assurance could be given that no troubles would result from the demands for increased wages which have been made upon almost every branch of the building trade, there would be removed the greatest barrier to an expansion of the lumber demand. Architects have in hand plans for numerous buildings, both large and small, the carrying out of which this season has been made conditional upon an early settlement of labor difficulties. Considering the present cost of building, the conservatism which is being shown is not surprising. Business in lumber during the month of April showed a gratifying improvement over that of the previous month. Apart from the circumstances to which we have referred, there is scarcely a dark cloud on the lumber horizon. In the Ottawa district prices are strong and the demand keen. Mill culls are selling readily, which is regarded as a very favorable feature. In Western Ontario there is an unprecedented demand for hemlock. Standard lengths, 16 feet and under, are now retailing in Toronto at $16. This is an increase of quite $2 since January last. This advance does not represent increased profit to the dealer, as the mill price of $10.50 quoted in January is now $12.50. Exceptionally long lengths of hemlock have sold in Toronto all the way from $17 to $20. Pine shingles are steady, with no advance. XXX are selling in Toronto at from $3.30 to $3.35, and XX from $2.40 to $2.45.

The hardwood situation is not likely to become easier until June at the earliest. Dealers are constantly in search of basswood, which is held at very stiff prices. It is almost impossible to buy firsts and seconds, as manufacturers insist upon the buyer taking common and better, for which $23 at the mill is usually asked.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber is stronger, probably in sympathy with the better feeling in the Eastern States. The majority of retail dealers have made a slight advance on all grades, while short lumber and clapboards are exceptionally firm. New Brunswick cedar shingles are in better demand. For extras as much as $3.60 is sometimes asked for Boston delivery, while no popular brand is to be had for less than $3.50. An advance of ten cents all along the line is predicted. Laths are somewhat irregular, although the tendency is towards higher prices, as some manufacturers are asking $3.40 for 1 5-8 inch on Boston rate.

Information concerning the log drives is somewhat conflicting. From Maugerville, N. B., comes the advice that the logs cut on the back streams are hung up, the snow all gone, and the river very low. On the other hand, it is reported that at Campbellton and other points north there are three or four feet of snow in the woods. The outlook for driving operations would seem to be fair, although the drives are likely to be later than last year.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber situation in the West remains unchanged, there being an active demand at firm prices. The mills are operating to their utmost capacity, but are unable to meet the orders which specify early shipment. Enquiries are largely confined to building lumber, as throughout the entire Northwest building operations are very active. The permits granted this year in the city of Winnipeg exceed in value those for the corresponding period of last year by a million dollars.

A dispatch from Vancouver dated April 17th states that manufacturers have decided to reduce the price of shingles for Northwest delivery by ten cents. The statement, however, cannot be confirmed at time of going to press.

At a meeting of the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association held at Tacoma, Washington, on April 17th, at which several British Columbia mills were represented, it was decided to make a slight advance in the price of flooring, car roofing and siding, the demand for which has been larger than the mills have been able to supply.

UNITED STATES.

Apprehension that May 1 may bring serious labor troubles has acted as a

depressing influence in the timber trade. The carpenters of Boston and Philadelphia threaten to go on strike on that date unless their demands are conceded, and it is feared that it may involve all lines of building. Buyers of lumber for building purposes have urged that immediate shipment be made, while there has been a disposition to curtail orders for delivery after that date. The demand from factories and similar sources is steadily enlarging, and promises to consume a very large quantity of lumber this year. Box factories at Buffalo and Tonawanda which were closed on account of exhaustion of material have resumed operations, one or two cargoes having been received. There is a decided scarcity of box lumber and thick No. 1 cuts. Mill culls are by no means in heavy stock, while the price is $2 higher than last spring. Eastern spruce is equally as strong as pine. Opening spring sales have been at higher figures than ever before. Ordinary frames are held at $19 in Boston, but sales are reported at higher prices for prompt delivery. Hemlock is being bought very largely for the cheaper class of buildings, the difference between its cost and that of white pine being considerable.

Floods in the Southern States are reported to have curtailed the hardwood output at least 40 per cent. This circumstance has further strengthened the hardwood market, which has for some time been buoyant. Buffalo dealers are asking $85 for inch quartered white oak. Thick maple is wanted in excess of the supply, while buyers are at all times in search of basswood. Inquiries for maple flooring are numerous.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Reports from the British market are a repetition of what has been said for weeks past. Prices still remain firm but the outlook is uncertain. Importers refuse to entertain shippers' quotations, and there are at present no signs that either side will yeild. A lessened import this year will probably be the result. In some quarters it is predicted that later on shippers will be compelled to resort to free consignments and a drop in prices may result.

In the Liverpool district there is a large consumption of spruce deals of the ordinary sizes required for building purposes. Prices for ordinary specifications, say 60 per cent. of 7 and 8 inch, are nominally £7 10s c.i.f., but for better specifications higher prices have to be paid. In square and waney timber there is a fair trade at prices named last week.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Micmac is loading a cargo of deals at St. John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Seguin cleared from Parry Sound, Ont., last week for Ogdensburg, with a cargo of lumber.

The cut of lumber in Yale and Kootenay, British Columbia, during the present year is expected to reach 100,000,000 feet.

The steamer Monarch is loading 400 standards of deals at Three Rivers, Que., after which she will proceed to Montreal to complete cargo for England.

The William Richards Company, of Boiestown, N. B., have secured the contract for the rear of the corporation drive on the Miramichi river. T. Lynch, of Fredericton, will have the running portion of the drive.

The cooperage market in Chicago is quiet, with little stock offering and apparrently still less wanted. In lard tierces the packers are offering $1.10 for small contracts, while the cooperage men are holding for $1.15.

The Town Council of Toronto Junction, Ont., has awarded the contract for supply of 900,000 feet of pine lumber to A. H. Clemmer at $18.33 per thousand feet, and that for 300,000 feet of cedar to the Toronto Junction Lumber Company at $15.50.

In Chicago there is a good inquiry for piece stuff, which is quoted at $16.50 to $16.75, with the latter price paid for good stock in shipping condition. Hemlock is in steady request, the range being from $12 to $13 for short dry piece stuff.

The W. H. Sawyer Lumber Company, of North Tonawanda, has purchased 20,000,000 feet of lumber from the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, which constitutes nearly the entire output of the H. Whitbeck Company's mill at Marinette, Wis.

The schooner Brooklyn is loading lumber at Bear River, N. S., for the West Indies, shipped by Clarke Bros. The schooner Alexandria is loading at Kingsport, N. S., for the West Indies, while the schooner Severn is loading at Weymouth.

A despatch from Chipman, N. B., dated April 20th, stated that several million feet of logs had arrived at the boom at Brigg's Corner, on the Salmon river. A large quantity of logs are stranded along the bank of the river, while the balance of the drives on the Salmon river and Coal Creek are on their way down.

Under date of April 11th Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company says of the Barbadoes market: "The arrivals have been the "Hilda C." from Lunenburg, N. S., on April 6th, with 120,000 feet of spruce, which we placed at $21, and the "Arctic," from Halifax, N. S., with 25,000 feet of white pine, 68,000 feet shipping and 21,000 feet second quality spruce, which we sold at $26.11, $20.30 and 17.30 respectively. A little previous to these arrivals we had placed about 140,000 feet spruce for prompt shipment at $21.50. The stock of white pine is moderate and first receipts should bring fair rates, but dealers expect a marked decline in both pine and spruce in the near future. We have no receipts of shingles to advise. The season is approaching, however, when arrivals from Gaspe may be looked for."

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From Chemainus, B.C.: Steamer Windur, for South Africa, 1,551,000 feet lumber, value $19,885, by Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company. Barque Shurbek, for Liverpool, 2,111,000 feet lumber, value $32,952, by Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company. Barque Adam Tegetthoff, for Antofagasta, 714,000 feet lumber, value $9,755, by Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company.

From Halifax, N.S.: Steamer Manchester Importer, for Manchester, 9,488 feet spruce deals, value $931. Steamer Tunisian, for Liverpool, 146,372 feet birch plank, value $1,245. Steamer Evangeline, for London, 130,330 feet hemlock deals, value $1,164. Schooner Saint Marie, for New York, 91,500 feet lumber, valve $1,098, 451,000 laths, value $902.

From St. John, N.B.: Steamer Lake Megantic, for Avonmouth, 370,613 feet deals, 51,079 feet scantling, 14,072 feet ends, 466,448 feet birch plank, 12,128 feet birch boards, by W. M. Mackay; 43 elm logs, 50,000 feet spruce deals, 12,778 bundles box shooks, by Troop & Son. Steamer Manchester City, for Manchester, 250,069 feet deals, 16,627 feet scantling, 2,706 feet ends, by George McKean. Steamer Lake Ontario, for Liverpool, 5,385 bundles shooks, by Troop & Son; 350,791 feet deals, 8,228 feet scantling, 1,885 feet ends, 58,759 feet birch plank, 9,010 feet birch ends, by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Lakonia, for Glasgow, 75 maple blocks, 14,000 feet Scantling, by Schofield & Company; 2,575 maple blocks, by J. S. Findlay; 254,571 feet deals, 1,885 feet scantling, 6,972 feet ends, by George McKean; 241,347 feet spruce deals, 12,199 feet scantling, 10,787 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay; 312,960 feet deals, 12,212 feet ends, 88,930 feet pine deals, 664 feet pine ends, 7,545 feet pine plank, by Donald Fraser & Sons; 80 pieces birch timber, 6,930 feet birch boards, 78,000 spruce deals, 2,976 feet ends, 128,867 feet deals and scantling, by Schofield & Company. Steamer Evangeline, for London, 54,565 feet deals, by George McKean; 228,690 feet box shooks, by A. Gravel Lumber Company. Steamer Tunisian for Liverpool, 166,032 feet deals, 3,319 feet scantling, 1,082 feet ends, by George McKean; 4,751 maple blocks, 5 basswood blocks, 942 bundles maple flooring, by Wm. Thomson & Company; 544,902 feet spruce deals, 60,167 feet scantling, 11,064 feet ends, 19,446 feet boards, 168,427 feet birch plank, 40,700 feet birch ends, 507 tons birch timber, by W. M. Mackay. Schooner Rewa, for City Island, 167,980 feet plank, 10,414 feet boards, 27,597 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Francis Shubert, for City Island, 153,239 feet deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner H. A. Holder, for Plymouth, 20,138 feet hemlock boards, 67,704 feet plank, 16,889 feet scantling, 427,000 shingles, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Agnes May, for Boston, 89,837 feet plank, 33,881 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Tay, for New Haven, 104,000 feet plank, 57,716 feet scantling, 5,721 feet boards, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Lotus, for Warren, 65,116 feet plank, 72,748 feet scantling, 40,600 laths by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Beaver, for City Island, 126,748 feet plank, 22,813 feet scantling, 44,508 feet boards, bo A. Cushing & Company.

SHIPPING MATTERS.

Freight rates on lumber from British Columbia points are as follows: To Sydney, 32s. 6d. to 36s 6d.; Melbourne or Adelaide, 40s.; Port Pirie, 37s. 6d.; Fremantle, 47s. 6d. to 50s; Shanghai, 37s. 6d. to 40s.; Kiao-Chau, 40s.; Taku, 45s.; Vladivostock, 40s.; West Coast S.A., 32s. 6d. to 35s.; South Africa, 52s. 6d. to 56s. 3d.; U.K. or Continent, 50s.

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It is understood that nearly all of the large owners of vessel tonnage enrolled in the Lake Lumber Carriers' Association are bringing their influence to bear on the subject of an advance in the Lake Superior carrying charges. It is expected that a meeting will be held shortly. Just what the increase will be nobody seems willing to venture, although it is said that an advance of 25 cents, making the charge both to Chicago and lower ports $2.75 per 1000 feet, will be recommended.

BUSINESS NOTES.

J. & T. Charlton have closed their woodworking plant at North Tonawanda, N.Y. They are disposing of a quantity of hemlock, white pine, spruce and other lumber preparatory to devoting their entire attention to their manufacturing interests in the Georgian Bay district. It is understood that the firm will continue an office in Tonawanda, but will dispose of the mill.

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(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

The mills of the Ottawa district are getting under way on the season's cut, and their work is cut out for them, to quote a popular expression. Mills that are not working are waiting on logs.

Reports from the drives show that the movement of the 1902-1903 cut of logs is a slow one. The water is low on many streams, and the ice still remains on others. The spring so far has been a cold one, and rains are needed, along with a continuous spell of bright weather, to put the streams in high water.

Mail reports received from the Kippewa district go to show that the log drives have started on the Ostobonning, North Kippewa and other streams that are free from ice. Moreover, log-cutting operations were in full swing as late as the 21st inst. It is seldom in the one season that the drives start so early and log cutting is continued so late as to practically overlap. The weather is accountable for the strange combination of circumstances. Sun and wind have cleared the ice from some of the streams and lakes, while snow still lingers in the woods. Thus sleighing is provided and the operators enabled to cut logs in the proximity of the open streams, haul them and send them on their way the next day.

The railway companies report a brisk movement of lumber to New York, via the Albany barge route, and to Montreal, the shipments in both cases being for export. Next week the Rideau Canal will be ready for the Ottawa and American barge lines, and lumber shipments by water will get under way.

The Ottawa Valley lumber market is a veritable puzzle these days and it is almost an impossibility to fix on settled prices. What goes in one yard doesn't carry in another.

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Ottawa, April 25th, 1903.

Keswick Bros. have completed logging operations on the Restigouche river, in New Brunswick. Owing to inability to get the supplies to the camps last winter, the cut was smaller than expected.

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There is a steady market for hemlock lumber at unchanged prices: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 to $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

There is a good demand for western pine: Uppers 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1 in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2 in. $78; 2½ to 3 in. $84; 4 in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

There is a very firm market for hardwood lumber with the demand excellent, especially for whitewood and quartered oak. The quotations are: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end-dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Spruce clapboards are very firm, with only small offerings: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30 to $33.

Shingles are firm at the advance: Extra cedar, $3.50 to $3.60; clear, $3.00 to $3.10; second clear, $2.30 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.80; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in., five butts to 2 inches, $3.50 to $3.60; 18-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $4.25; five butts to 2¼ inches, $4.50.

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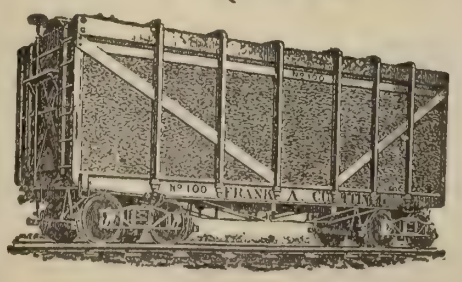

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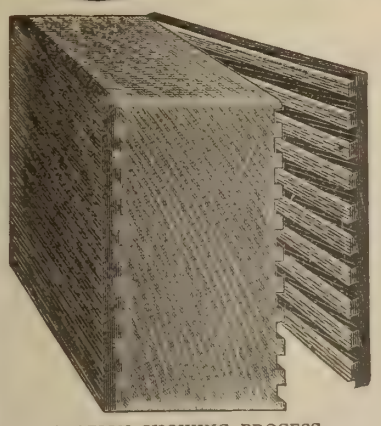

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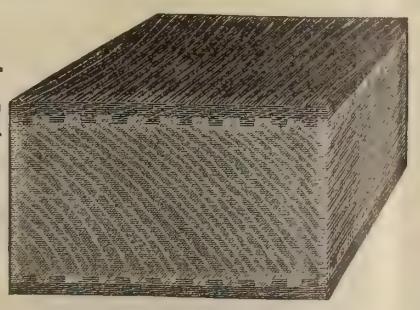

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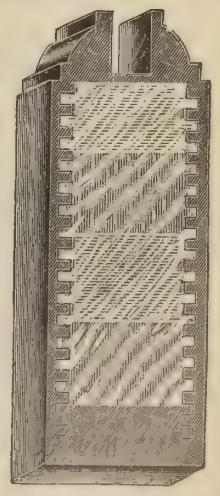

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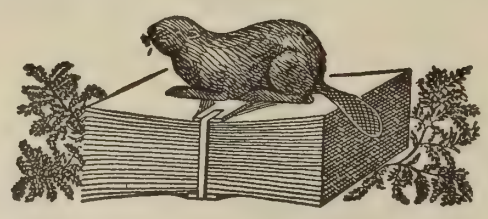

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" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
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RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6.	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	28	7
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common		20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	35	30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24	2
No. 2	32	45	1x8	22	24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12		27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10		23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8		20
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	4
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	20
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		3
1x10 inch shippers	21				

LATH.

Pine	$3 50	Spruce	$ $3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	55 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	26 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, & up	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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	2 cars 8/4 log run Beech mill culls out.
	1 car 8/4 log run Maple mill culls out.
Lot No. 2.	2 cars 5/4 sound wormy Chestnut.
	½ car 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Chestnut.
	1 car 5/4 common Chestnut.
	1 car 4/4 sound wormy Chestnut.
	½ car 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Chestnut.
	2 cars 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Red Oak.
	2 cars 5/4 common Red Oak.
	1½ cars 5/4 No. 2 common Red Oak.
	1 car 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Red Oak.
	1 car 4/4 common Red Oak.
	½ car 4/4 No. 2 common Red Oak.
	2 cars 4/4 log run Maple.
	½ car 5/4 log run Maple.
	10 cars 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar.
	2 cars 4/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar 18 to 23".
	2 cars 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar.
	1 car 5/4 1st. and 2nd. Poplar 18 to 23".
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WE CAN SUPPLY FOR PROMPT SHIPMENT 75,000 feet Rock Elm timbers from 12 to 34 feet long, cut to order. For particulars, etc., write to KEENAN BROS., Owen Sound.

COMBINED LATH MILL AND BOLTER for sale, two of these machines, wood frames, 2-16" bolter saws, 3-12" lath saws, one has back and front power feed rolls, with extra heavy weighted top rolls, the other front power feed rolls only; thoroughly rebuilt; for sale cheap. WATEROUS, Brantford, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

An almost complete suspension of work in the building trade in Toronto, on account of labor troubles, has checked the local consumption of lumber. Where a few weeks ago dealers were being urged to accept orders, many of them now report, for the first time this spring, a slackening in the home demand. The strikes are likely to be settled at an early date, but if the employers should find it necessary to meet, even in part, the demands of labor for increased wages, it is feared that the cost of building will be so high as to discourage the carrying out of proposed undertakings. Many building projects are now in an embryo state awaiting the outcome of the negotiations under way. Throughout the province an average volume of building is in progress.

Fluctuations in lumber prices have been slight. A comparison of the May lists with those of April shows only minor changes. Common pine, 6x6 in 14 and 16-foot lengths, is held at $17 at the mill. Ten inch box and common is worth about $16, and inch box and common shorts about $13. Box manufacturers appear to be using a larger quantity of spruce lumber than formerly. The average price for spruce on the Georgian Bay is about $15, although as high as $19 is asked for lengths of 24 and 26 feet in 2 x 6 to 12-inch.

There continues to be heavy buying of hemlock lumber and dimension timber. For lengths above 18 feet $13.50 at the mill is asked.

Hardwoods are moving actively, shipments to the Eastern States being quite large. Manufacturers' prices for inch mill-run elm and basswood are around $20, and for birch $18. There is said to have been disappointment with the quantity of hardwood logs taken out during the winter, which has given a still firmer tone to the market.

Shingles and lath are steady. For XXXX pine shingles $2.75 at the mill is asked.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Shipping of lumber from the port of Montreal has been paralyzed by the longshoremen's strike, which at time of writing has assumed a somewhat serious aspect. Vessels are completely tied up. Reports from mill points are encouraging. Manufacturers are receiving numerous inquiries for clapboards and other spruce lumber for shipment to the Eastern States. In lath and shingles the firmer tone noted last week has been retained. The demand continues to improve. Extra cedar shingles now range in price from $3.50 to $3.60, clears are worth $3, and second clears $2.40, on Boston freight rate.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND MANITOBA.

The lumber consumption throughout the North-West this spring is exceptionally large, the demand being chiefly for building material. At some points a scarcity is reported, but it is believed that, as all the mills are now in operation, the production will shortly overtake the demand. Attracted by the rumors of a lumber combine, several American capitalists are turning their attention to the Canadian North-West, and will, it is reported, establish yards at different points. It is improbable that such action will result in reducing to any extent the price of lumber, owing to the high cost of production. Confirmation has been received of the change in the price of British Columbia shingles for delivery throughout Manitoba and the North-West. The new list which went into effect on April 1st last has been canceled, and the list of August 25th, 1902, is in effect. Owing to the shortage of cars the shingle manufacturers are considering the ques-

tion of closing down the mills for a time, but it is hoped that such action will not be found necessary.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber demand in the United States during the past week has been of average volume, although labor troubles in the Eastern States are a disturbing factor in the situation. There has been a falling off in the demand for dimension timber, and until the uncertainty prevailing in labor circles is removed bnyers will be cautious about assuming large responsibilities. Nevertheless lumber prices remain firm. At Buffalo and Tonawanda box lumber and other coarse grades have never been as scarce, resulting in an advance of from 50 cents to $1 during the past week. Some of the better grades are also scarce, due in large measure to a heavy export demand. The activity of hemlock has not subsided. In some instances an advance of 50 cents upon the list price has been made. Hemlock piece stuff is taking the place of Norway because of the difference in price. Very little Michigan hemlock is finding its way into the Eastern States, so that the Pennsylvania product has little competition. The spruce market continues firm, although random lengths are slightly easier at Boston.

There is as yet no indications of lower prices for hardwood lumber. At Michigan mi ls log run maple is held at $14, with very little dry stock being offered, log run basswood at $20, and ash at $16. At wholesale centres in the Eastern States log run basswood has sold as high as $30. Poplar is in excellent demand, bringing $52 in New York city. Maple flooring is firm and it is believed that concerted action on the part of manufacturers would make it comparatively easy to advance the prices to their former level.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The best that can be said of British trade is that the market is steady. Prices of lumber in stock have not strengthened as much as the position would seem to warrant, while contracts closed for new stock do not compare favorably in volume with the corresponding period of last year. The demand from South Africa is growing, but is not yet sufficient to measureably affect the market. Considering the uncertain outlook, it must be said that Canadian lumber is exceptionally firm. Pine deals are finding a ready market and some of the favorite sizes are becoming scarce. Spruce deals remain steady on the basis of £7 10s c. i. f. London and Liverpool for 60 per cent. of 7 and 8 inch. A quantity of spruce deals shipped from St. John was recently sold in Belfast at £8 per standard c. i. f. for deals and 10s per standard less for narrow widths. Battens are moving very freely, and public sales have shown a gradual advance in price.

Red pine has recently become active in the British market. It is being used more extensively for house-building purposes, and on account of its cheapness takes the place of North of Europe timber. At late public sales 3 x 10 red pine deals brought £16 15s per standard, and 3 x 9 as high as £17 5s. At the same sale first quality white pine deals of regular sizes sold at £30 5s per standard.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Bawtry is loading deals at Halifax, N. S., for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Rathlin Head is loading deals at Hochelaga, Montreal, for the United Kingdom.

The schooner Estella loaded a cargo of railway ties at Bathurst, N. B., for Charlottetown, P. E. I.

The steamer Monarch took on 300 standards of deals at Three Rivers, Que., last week and is completing her cargo at Montreal.

William O'Neill is operating two portable mills at Sackville, five miles from Bedford, N. S., where he has over 4,000,000 feet of logs to be manufactured.

Two timber lots of 100 acres each in the parish of Lisfield, Sunbury County, N. B., owned by the Wm. E. Perley Estate, were sold last week to S. A. M. Skinner for $100.

The Rathbun Company have a drive of 75,000 pieces coming down the Burnt river. The logs will be sawn at Fenelon Falls, the firm having purchased the Ellis mill at that place.

The schooner Sephie loaded lumber at the Conger Lumber Company's docks at Parry Sound last week on account of the Edwin S. Hartwell Lumber Company, of Chicago.

J. J. Shields Bros., of Brooke, Ont., have shipped three carloads of square timber from Alvinston to England. The shipment contained nearly 2,000 cubic feet and is intended for ship-building purposes.

Spruce lath are selling in the Georgian Bay district at $2.50 for No. 1, $2 for No. 2, and $2.25 for mill run. No. 1, 32 inches in length, is worth $1.15 at the mill. No. 1 hemlock lath is held at $2.50 and No. 2 at $2.

During the week ending April 25th last, there were shipped from St. John, N. B., to the United States 1,220,000 feet of long lumber, 610,000 shingles and 50,000 lath. A cargo of 608,272 feet of long lumber cleared for Buenos Ayres and several steamers for the British ports.

Owing to the scarcity of elm and basswood, slack cooperage stock is slightly higher. At Buffalo first-class dry elm flour barrel staves are held at $9.25 to $9.50; basswood heading, 6¼ to 6½ cents; coiled hoops, $10 to $10.25 for 6 foot and $9.50 to $9.75 for 5½ foot; hickory hoops, $6.50 to $6.75.

Bank logs, by which is meant logs taken out in small lots by farmers and made up into rafts, are now arriving at Springhill, a few miles above Fredericton, N. B. They bring $11 per thousand feet for good spruce and $4.75 for hemlock. With such prices for the logs, the price of lumber cannot be otherwise but high.

John Carew, of Lindsay, Ont., has received his first consignment of logs from Scugog Lake. He has a drive containing about 1,000,000 feet on the Burnt river between Gooderham and Gelert; another containing 15,000 ties and half a million feet of logs is at Bass Lake in Harvey Township. The Squaw river drive, containing 6,000 ties and 600,000 feet of timber, is already at Ball lake and will shortly reach Lindsay. About 800,000 feet of logs and 4,000 ties are at Rosedale and will be taken to Fenelon Falls for sawing.

NEW BRUNSWICK LOG DRIVES.

The outlook for log drives on the upper St. John river and tributaries has improved during the last few days. The river rose fully four feet last week and is now higher than at any time this spring. There is still plenty of snow in the woods and another week with the river at its present driving pitch will see about all the logs on the move.

Already between 5,000,000 to 8,000,000 feet of logs have run into the booms at Douglas and Sugar Island. They came principally from the Tobique, Allegash and Grand Rivers and belong to Hilyard Bros., Estey, Cunliffe Bros., Sweeney, and Fraser & Son. None from Northwest Branch have yet put in appearance.

R. A. Estey, of Fredericton, has been advised that his Tobique drives, amounting to about 4,000,000 feet, are in safe water and his Rockway drive is coming along well. It is believed that all the Tobique drives will be out next week.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Vancouver, B. C.: Schooner Carrier Dove, for Shanghai, cargo lumber.

From St. John, N.B.: Steamer St. John City, for London, 258,303 ft. deals, 18,737 ft. scantling, 5,198 ft. ends, 1,656 ft. boards, 21,713 ft. birch plank, by A. Cushing & Company; 7,290 bundles shooks, by A. Gravel Lumber Company; 7,925 bundles shooks by William Thomson & Company. Steamer Pretorian, for Liverpool, 709,370 ft. spruce deals, 69,321 ft. scantling, 31,385 ft. ends, 45,924 ft. birch plank, 601 ft. ends, 174 tons birch timber, by W.M.Mackay; 32,317 ft. birch squares, by D.Fraser & Sons. Steamer Manchester Importer, for Manchester, 245,415 ft. deals, 22,964 ft. scantling, 65,181 ft ends, 28,890 ft. boards, 5,076 ft. birch deals, by George McKean; 377,394 ft. deals, 17,673 ft. scantling, 7,429 ft. ends by W.M.Mackay; 100,343 ft. deals, 378 bundles shooks by A. Cushing & Company; 27,504 ft. pine boards by William Thomson & Company. Steamer Lake Simcoe, for Liverpool, 6,339 maple blocks, 1,473 pieces oak lumber, 1,050 pieces elm lumber, 728 pieces oak lumber, 7,374 bundles shooks, 62 cases skewers, by Troop & Son; 210,267 ft. deals, 10,461 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay; 3,784 pine doors (American goods) by Troop & Son. Schooner Hunter, for Fall River, 5,361 ft. plank, 122,873 ft. scantling, 100,652 ft. plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Steamer Russ, for Sharpness, Eng., 2,252,665 ft. deals, 151,679 ft. scantling, 65,465 ft. ends, 97,744 ft boards, by W. M. Mackay. Steamer Lake Manitoba, for Liverpool, 9,937 maple blocks, 820,000 ft. oak lumber, 126,000 ft. maple flooring, 4,000 ft. birch timber, 24 maple logs, 6 elm logs, 6,000 elm strips, 1,200 doors, by Troop & Son; 1,117,136 ft. deals, 21,086 ft. scantling, 63,513 ft. ends, 503 tons timber, by W. M. Mackay. Barque Blenheim, for Rio Janerio, 608,272 ft. deals, 24,104 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay. Schooner Annie Harper, for Boston, 67,877 ft. boards, 610,000 shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Ida May, for City Island, 147,677 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Sallie E. Ludham, for City Island, 217,167 ft. boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Str. Micmac, for Brow Head, 1,619,000 ft. deals and battens, 33,236 ft. scantling, 72,376 ft. ends, 179,113 ft. boards, by Alex. Gibson Railway & Mfg. Co. Str. Pocasset, for Mersey, 1,306,517 ft. deals and battens, 27,038 ft. scantling, 81,595 ft. ends, 142,355 ft. boards, 316 tons birch timber, by Alex. Gibson Railway & Mfg. Co.

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In an interview given recently Mr. J. A. Humbird, of St. Paul, who is interested in the Victoria Lumber Company of Chemainus, B. C., said: "There is a large amount of lumber being sold at the present time. The worst feature about the lumber and shingle business on the coast is the car shortage. The trouble is that the westbound shipments are not great enough to keep the number of cars required here. You can't expect railroad companies to haul empty cars to the coast for the purpose of hauling lumber eastward."

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BRITISH TIMBER SALE

Canadian lumber brought the following prices at an auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, Eng., on April 22nd:

PINE.—12-18 ft. 3x9 in., first quality red, £16 15s per standard; 12-18 ft. 3x8, £13, 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x7, £13; 9-22 ft. 3x9, £16, 15s; 12-22 ft. 3x9, £17 5s; 12-22 ft. 2½x 9, £15 15s; 12-22 ft. 1x11, £16 5s; 12-19 ft. 1x9, £15. Ex. Loughrigg Holme, from Quebec—12-18 ft. 4x11 in. third quality, £9 5s and £9 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x11, £9 5s. Ex. Etolia, from Quebec—11-22 ft. 3x7-11 in. first quality red, £16; 17-22 ft. 3x11 in. second quality, £11 5s. Ex. Minnewaska, from Quebec—9-19 ft. 4x9-11 first quality red, £11 5s; 6-19 ft. 3x9, £10 5s. Ex. Lycia, from Quebec—13-20 ft. 4-6x9-11 first quality, £14 15s; 17-21 ft. 4x9 in. second quality, £10 5s; 5-6x9-11 in. third quality, £10 10s; 17-20 ft. 4x11, £9; 17-22 ft. 4x7-8, £8 10s. Ex. Montezuma, from Quebec—13-22 ft. 1x9 in. red, £8 5s and £9; 12-20 ft. 1x9, £8 15s; 13-18 ft. 1x9, £8 15s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Quebec—6-23 ft. 3x8 in. first quality red, £12 10s; 6-25 ft. 3x7, £12 10s; 6-25 ft. 3x6 £10 10s; 6-24 ft. 3x5, £9 10s; 14-27 ft. 4x11, second quality red, £12 15s; 9-27 ft. 3x8-10, £9; 6-30 ft. 3x7, £8 10s; 6-25 ft. 3x5-6, £8 5s; 14-24 ft. 4x11 in. second quality, £7 5s. Ex. Zanzibar, from Quebec, 12-18 ft. 3x10 in. first quality red, £16 10s; 12-18 ft. 3x8, £13 10s; 12-18 ft. 3x7, £13 5s; 12-18 ft. 1¼x11, £16 15s; 12-18 ft. 1¼x10, £14 10s; 12-18 ft. 1¼x 8, £13; 12-18 ft. 1¼x7, £12 5s. Ex. Prome, from Quebec—12-22 ft. 1x11 in. second quality red, £10 15s; 17-23 ft. 3x 11in. £9 5s; 12-19 ft. 3x11, £9; 10-16 ft. 3x9, £10 5s; 15-22 ft. 1x9, £9; 14-18 ft. 1x9, £9 5s; 12-16 ft. 1x9, £9.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Milwaukee, from Montreal—14-15 ft. 3x8 in. second quality, £8 10s per standard; 9-11 ft. 3x8, £8 5s. Ex. Memnon, from Montreal—13 ft. 3x9 in. fourth quality, £8 10s. Ex. Kingstonian, from Quebec—8-13 ft. 3x9 in. fifth quality, £5.

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Hemlock boards are firm, but prices are generally unchanged : Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 for good eastern ; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine holds very firm, with a good demand and only a moderate supply : Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87 ; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97 ; 4-in. $96 to $100 ; selects, 1 in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2 in. $78 ; 2½ to 3 in. $84 ; 4 in. $86 ; fine common, 1-in. $67 ; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69 ; 2 - in. $72 ; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82 ; barn boards, $23 to $33 ; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is in excellent demand with the market very firm both here and in the South. There is still complaint as to the scarcity of whitewood and quartered oak, and prices may go higher. The quotations are: Quartered oak, $75 to $83 ; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25 ; red oak, plain, $43 ; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48 ; common, $38 to $45 ; brown ash, $41 to $44 ; white ash, $43 to $46 ; maple, $33 to $37 ; end-dried white maple, $46 ; birch, $27 to $30 ; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50 ; elm, $29 to $31.

Spruce clapboards are still very scarce, and prices are firm and unchanged: Extra, $45 ; clear, $43 ; second clear, $40 ; extra No. 1, $30 to $33.

There is a good demand for shingles and prices are firmly held : Extra cedar, $3.50 to $3.60; clear, $3.00 to $3.10 ; second clear, $2.40 to $2.50 ; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.80; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in., five butts to 2 inches, $3.50 to $3.60 ; 18 - inch, five butts to 2 inches, $4.25 ; five butts to 2¼ inches, $4.50.

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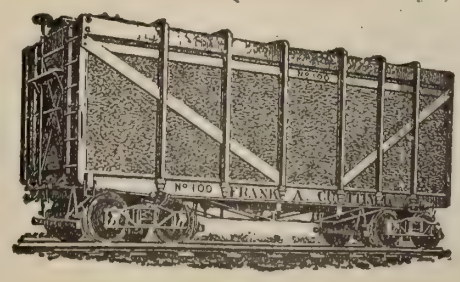

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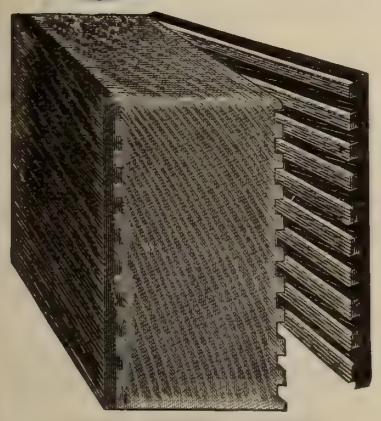

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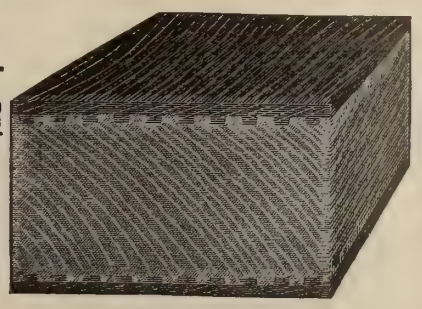

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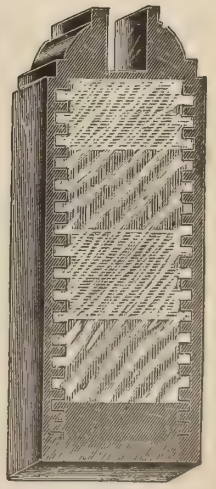

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A dispatch from Seattle, Wash., dated April 22nd, says :—"Secretary Victor H. Beckman, of the Shingle Association, has received a letter from the Treasury Department asking for information regarding an order recently issued by the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific Railways and three days ago supplemented by an order from the Wisconsin Central, refusing to furnish any more cars for shingle shipments east of Chicago. The contention of the lines is that they now have upwards of 14,000 cars on foreign lines in the east, which they are unable to get back. The effect of this order will be to kill the Washington shingle market in the eastern states, amounting to about 5,000 cars annually, and in the face of present conditions, including the largest surplus stock on record in the hands of the coast mills and little demand in the central west, the situation is alarming to the trade."

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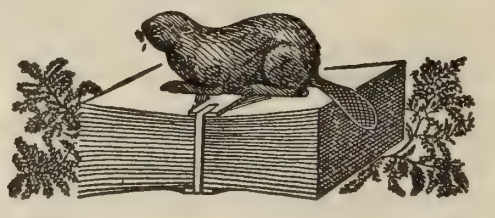

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8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
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1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10	24 2
No. 2.	32	45	1x8	22 24
No. 3.	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10	23
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Opinion is somewhat divided as to the future course of the lumber market. There is at the present time a fair demand from all sources, but the consumption by building operations is likely to be curtailed by labor troubles. In the city of Toronto the situation is rather serious, a large amount of projected work having been withdrawn on account of the unsettled condition of the labor market. Fortunately a large percentage of the lumber production has already passed out of first hands and is to be exported, so that manufacturers will not feel a decline in the local consumption very keenly. A favorable feature is the large consumption of lumber by furniture and implement factories and other manufacturing industries. The fire in Ottawa must also be reckoned with as a market factor, tending as it doubtless will to keep prices firm. Approximately fourteen million feet has thereby been taken out of the market, while no small quantity will be required for the reconstruction of buildings in the burned district.

Prices are little changed from last week. Box lumber is showing strength on account of the heavy demand. Shingles and lath are firm. Some dealers are said to be shading the price of British Columbia shingles, but it cannot be said that prices are quotably lower.

Basswood continues in strong demand. Holders of dry stock are to a large extent making their own prices and shipments of the new cut are being made almost green from the saw. Birch is in slightly better enquiry, but the supply is considerable.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

A settlement having been reached in the dock laborers' strike at Montreal, the shipment of lumber will again resume normal conditions at an early date. From the manufacturer's standpoint the outlook for lumber in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces is good, and prices are not likely to slump this season. Clapboards have made a sharp advance, prices now being $46 for extra quality and $44 for clear, on Boston rate of freight. It is probable that the higher prices will stimulate production, therefore it is unreasonable to expect that these abnormal prices will hold throughout the season. The highest prices on record have been obtained for spruce logs, a small quantity having recently changed hands at Springhill, N. B., at $13. This figure, however, is considered to be about $2 above the average market price. Cedar shingles are commanding the higher prices named last week. The demand has improved, and enquiry has proven that the available supply is not large.

UNITED STATES.

The manufacturers of yellow pine lumber have decided to advance prices on several descriptions of inch boards, and the Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association is expected to take similar action in respect to dimension timber. It will thus be seen that the predicted decline in prices upon the resumption of work by the mills is not likely to take place. The strength of the market, in the face of a demand restricted by labor troubles, is remarkable. The East is receiving a considerable quantity of lumber from the upper lakes, and dealers are now in a better position to supply the demand. So far the strikes have not been as serious as was anticipated, although in New York the lumbermen have closed their yards rather than accede to the demands of the teamsters. Building there is practically at a stand-still. Philadelphia is suffering from a similar cause, but in other cities the most serious difficulties have been adjusted.

Cargo prices of pine for Chicago delivery are firmer, short dry piece stuff being quoted at $17, which is the record price. Business from retail yards has been comparatively light, but it is gradually increasing and the outlook is brighter. The position of spruce stocks is such as to warrant higher prices. Manufacturers, however, are adopting a conservative policy and it is not likely that quotations will be materially higher this season. Hemlock sells well, the base price in Buffalo being $15.50. Practically no Michigan hemlock is being shipped to the Eastern States. The course of maple flooring prices is being watched with much interest. A short time ago cutting of prices was general, but the situation is now much stronger. A slight improvement in the movement of hardwoods from producing points to the markets is noted. Michigan maple has been received in considerable quantities at Buffalo and Tonawanda. Efforts are being made to increase the supply of basswood, but it seems that the early cut is under contract and consequently out of the market so far as the wholesale buyer is concerned. Plain oak is slightly higher.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The strained relations between shippers and importers are now confined largely to European lumber. Many British buyers have accepted the quotations of shippers of Canadian pine and spruce deals and have closed contracts for a considerable quantity. The stock of pine deals and boards of first and second quality has become greatly reduced and prices for lum-

ber now in the yards are somewhat higher. The supply of the lower grades is moderate. It is understood that buyers have raised their offers in many instances, which accounts for a better feeling and increased business. At recent sales Canadian pine deals realized very satisfactory prices. Red pine is steadily growing in favor. In price it corresponds with Swedish fifth quality deals, while it is generally considered to be a superior class of lumber. Spruce deals are at a higher level. All classes of square and waney timber are steady. Oak leads in point of strength, while ash is relatively weak.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Pandosia is loading deals at Miramichi, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

The schooner Brooklyn sailed from Bear River last week for Cienfuegos, with lumber.

The barque Antigua has loaded lumber at Tusket Wedge, N. S., and sailed for Buenos Ayres.

The steamer Pharsalia is loading deals at West Bay, N. S., for W. M. Mackay, for shipment to England.

In the Chicago market No. 1 white pine lath are selling at $3.50, and No. 1 Norway and No. 1 hemlock at $3.

The Pollet River Lumber Company's drive of 2,500,000 feet of logs reached the mill at Elgin, N. B., last week.

Knight & Company took out 4,000,000 feet of logs during the past winter, which they will manufacture at Musquash, N. B.

A total of 2,206,758 feet of lumber, valued at $29,304, was received at Bay City, Mich., from Georgian Bay ports during April.

The schooner Clifford C. is loading lumber at Bridgetown, N. S., for Boston. The schooner Clarence Shaffner is loading at same port for the West Indies.

For the week ending May 5th, 5,600,000 feet of lumber and 584,000 shingles reached Buffalo by vessel. The receipts at the Tonawandas totalled 9,000,000 feet of lumber.

The steamer Mount Royal has just loaded 150 standards of deals at Three Rivers, Quebec, and is completing her cargo at Montreal. She is destined for Great Britain.

During the week ending May 2 three steamers cleared from St. John, N.B., for British ports, their cargoes totalling 6,028,783 superficial feet of deals, scantling and boards.

So far this season about 7,500,000 feet of bank logs have been brought to Springhill, N. B., and sold. About 3,000,000 feet is still to arrive. Spruce logs are worth about $11.50 per thousand, and hemlock $4.75.

Ninety-eight ships sailed from St. John, N. B., the past winter as against sixty-six during the previous winter season. The exports included the following: 36,141,195 superficial feet of spruce and pine deals; 1,773,329 superficial feet of birch deals; 3,478 tons of birch timber; 959,272 feet of other lumber; 136,158 maple blocks; 2,128,657 box shooks; 5,391 elm logs; 47,352 bales pulp; also 17,041 maple and ash boards of American manufacture.

A report from Buffalo says: All prices are firm and it will take more of a disturbance than is expected to upset them. Receipts by lake have added to the already fair amount in yard, but it is expected that after the first lot of a cargo or two there will be a falling off. Reports from the saw mills do not give any promise of easing in prices, but there will be much objection to paying any more than formerly. Much of the lumber that is coming in was bought last fall, but the difficulty is it is mostly sold at prices that are just about on a par with the present asking prices at the mills. So there must be a readjustment before the mills and the eastern middleman shall understand each other.

Under date of April 25th, Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company, of Barbadoes, say: "During our reaping season, now going on, there is always a good demand for lumber. Last sales for local use were as follows: White pine, $26.21 for first quality and $21 for second quality; spruce, $20.30 for first and $17.30 for second quality. Two cargoes contracted for some time ago have arrived; prices have since declined, and we cannot now quote white pine at over $24.50 to $25, and spruce $18 to $18.50. There has been no arrival of Gaspe Long Cedar shingles since October. Last sales were made at $4.89 to $5.04 per thousand. Cedar Laying shingles are worth from $2 to $2.20, and Spruce Laying $1.60 to $1.65. We sold a cargo of Cypress sawn saps at $3.80 for 6-inch, $3.50 for 5-inch, and $3.20 for 4-inch. There is some enquiry for "hearts" split".

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N. S. : Steamer St. John City, for London, 213,111 feet spruce deals, value $2,587; 105,976 feet birch plank, value $921. Barque Elma, for Swansea, Wales, 193,593 feet birch plank, value $2,077; 516,455 feet spruce deals, value $8,190.

From St. John, N. B. : Steamer Indrani, for Glasgow, 431,340 feet deals, 11,927 feet scantling, 14,495 feet ends, by W. M. Mackay; 221,620 feet deals and battens, 13,112 feet ends, by D. Fraser & Sons; 76,133 feet deals, by A. Cushing & Company. Steamer Oriana, for Durban, 1,436 pieces pine deals, by William Thomson & Company. Schooner Stella Maud, for Fall River, 300,000 laths, 31,150 feet boards, 32,361 feet plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner I. N. Parker, for New Haven, 81,326 feet ends, 2,170 feet plank, 22,736 feet scantling, 150,000 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Wapiti, for New York, 645,000 laths, by Randolph & Baker. Schooner Hattie Muriel, for Westerly, 125,282 feet boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Leonard C. Holly, for Providence, 604,500 laths, by Dunn Bros. Schooner Lyra, for Boston, 100,319 feet plank, 24,162 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Company.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, in their monthly timber circular of April 30th, review the Glasgow market as follows:

Business during the past month has been on the whole rather quieter than we have been recently accustomed to, but this is by no means unusual on the eve of the opening of the Quebec summer trade, the first arrivals of which are due here in a week or two. Prices have been well maintained, and there is no special weakness discernible in this direction so far as can be judged. Apart from pitch pine and spruce, stocks all over are very moderate, and particularly so in the case of first quality Canadian pine deals and sidings, prices for which continue to be as firm as ever, with the tendency still upwards. A fair amount of business has been done in teak, most of the recent arrivals having been disposed of from ships' side at prices which continue to show a very firm tone. In American hardwoods there has been considerable activity, with the exception, perhaps, of wide poplar lumber, which has been imported too freely of late.

The Clyde shipbuilding returns for March show that the output for the month represents 16 vessels of about 32,000 tons, compared with 16 vessels of 33,500 tons for corresponding period last year. The amount of new work secured on the Clyde is disappointingly small, only totalling about 25,000 tons. There is some fear of trouble with the engineers, and it would be most unfortunate if they are so badly advised as to come out on strike at this time in view of the dull prospects of this industry.

Housebuilding is still fairly brisk in the city and neighborhood, but there are evidences of quieter times ahead.

WHITE OR YELLOW PINE.—The import during the month consists of about 100 loads via St. John. The demand has been quiet in waney boardwood, but there has been more movement in square pine. Some 400 to 500 loads have been sold at round about 2s. 10d. per cubic foot. Stocks are moderate and prices are firm.

RED PINE.—There is nothing new to report. The present small stock is being gradually exhausted, with no prospect of further imports.

OAK.—The import consists of about 150 loads Southern States wood. There have been few enquiries, and the consumption has been small during the month. Stocks are still heavy.

ELM.—There has been the usual steady demand for 1st. class rock, and the stock of this class is now small, with prices firm. Second class is moving off slowly, and the stock is still heavy.

BIRCH. -- Quebec. — There have been two arrivals this month, consisting of about 150 loads (chiefly 15 and 17-inch average), which were disposed of from the ships' side. Value of 15-inch is about 19d. and 17-inch 23d., but prices are inclined to be easier as there are considerable quantities offering for early delivery. Lower Port.—The import consists of about 125 loads St. John timber, which was disposed of "ex quay" at 1s. 5½d. per foot on a basis of 15-inch average — a very fair price. Planks.—The stock on hand is still heavy, and prices show no immediate appearance of improving.

ASH.—The business done in this once popular furniture wood is becoming smaller and smaller in this market, so that the stock on hand is only being reduced very slowly. It consists chiefly of old Quebec timber, and is being sold at about 2s. on a basis of 15-inch. In American ash there is a fair enquiry for second-growth logs.

DEALS, ETC. — Business during the month has been quiet, though deliveries from the public yards are well up to the average. In 1st. quality pine goods the import has been small and has gone direct into consumption "ex quay". Spruce deals arriving per liners have gone chiefly into store. Current values are as under:—Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second pine deals.—11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s.—Third pine deals.—11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals.—9 and 11-inch, £11 10s. to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10s. First pine sidings.—9 and 10 inch, £24 to £25; 11 to 12 inch, £26 to £28; 13 to 14 inch, £29 to £31. Spruce deals.—9 inch and up, £8 15s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower port pine and spruce.—7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s.; 9 inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 15s.

LUMBER BURNED.

By the disastrous fire which occurred in Ottawa on Sunday last, about 14,000,000 feet of lumber was destroyed. It was owned by J. R. Booth. The loss in round numbers will be $200,000, but the insurance is said to cover between 65 and 75 per cent. of the amount. None of the lumber was of high quality, the average price being about $14 per thousand feet.

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THE SASH AND DOOR DEMAND.

There is not as much activity in the sash and door trade as was anticipated one month ago. The erection of several proposed buildings of importance in Toronto has been postponed on account of the tenders exceeding the estimate of cost. The situation in the United States is similar, and is set forth by the American Lumberman as follows:

Strikes and labor unrest have had a quieting effect upon general business conditions in practically all trade centers and the door industry has not failed to share in this reduced volume of business. Wholesalers are not complaining seriously, however, as they are doing a fair business as a rule and in some instances are even active. Whatever dissappointment may exist is mainly on account of the late spring, which delayed the starting in of the usual spring trade, and the volume has not reached expectations. The strikes in various lines of business and many of them affecting the lumber trade directly, are not conducive to heavy building operations in the cities and the high prices of material and labor a so have had a depressing effect upon the building industry in general.

Prices are being maintained in good shape, very few deviations from the generally accepted list being found. Trade has improved to some extent since the sending out of the advanced price on No. 1 and No. 2 doors, and there is some talk that before very long another discount card will be sent out, possibly carrying also a slight advance. The sentiment of the trade seems to be in favor of the issuance of price lists frequently in order to stimulate interest in the market; and while the tendency of the market is now firmer it must be remembered that last fall prices were materially lowered and that the recent advance that has been made is only a partial recovery toward the former quotations.

Dullness is the prevailing keynote of the situation in the New York city market and there is talk of occasional cutting of prices in order to secure desirable orders, though such instances are declared to be few and far between. The factories are keeping busy, but they are accumulating a stock of manufactured goods that may take some time to work off.

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Hardwood lumber shows little change, prices being firm with whitewood and quartered oak in light supply. The quotations are: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end-dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

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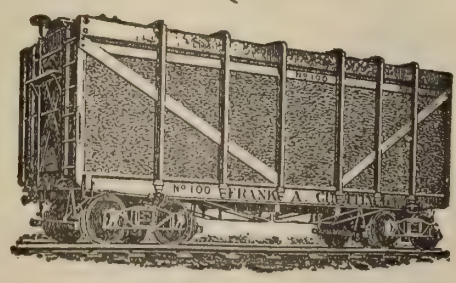

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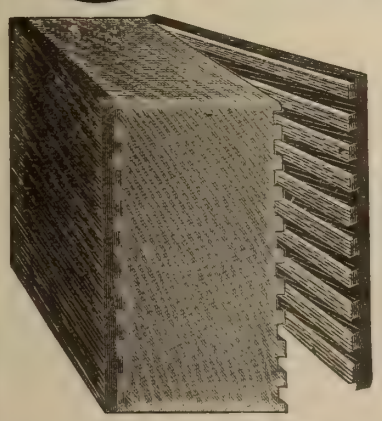

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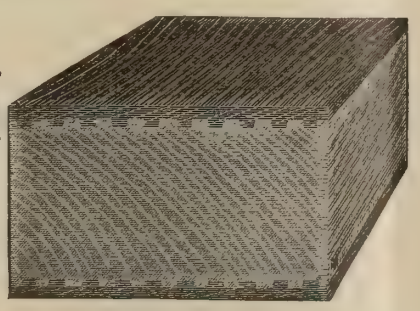

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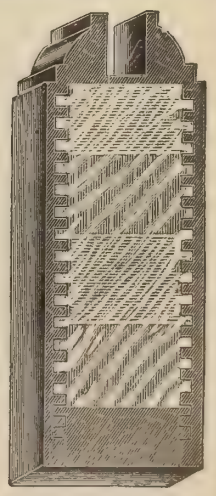

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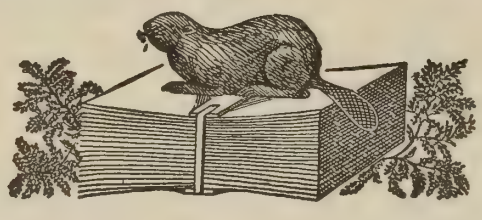

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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00 $50 00
½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00 30 00
1 to 10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00 29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00 25 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50 17 50
2x10 common	18 50 19 00
2x12 common	20 00 21 00
3x 9 common	19 00 20 00
3x12 common	20 21 00
1x10 and 12 common.	20 00 22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00 17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00 15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00 22 "
1¼ and 1½ in. box	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 00
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 20
XXXX 5 to 2 in	3 45
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 65

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00 $32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00 24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00 25 00
" M. R., 1 to 2	18 00 20 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	19 00 20 00
" 1½ " 2	21 00 22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00 26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼in	25 00 26 00
" 1½ to 2	24 00 27 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	20 00 22 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00 25 00
" 2	3.. 25 00 20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2.	24 00 2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds.. 1½	50 00 60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4.. 60 00 65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	17 00 19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	3.. 18 00 20 00
Elm rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00 24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3.. 24 00 26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds.. 1½"	2.. 32 00 35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 1 1½	19 00 21 00
Maple 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4.. 20 00 22 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00 33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4.. 34 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4. 35 00 38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2.. 00 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds.. 1 "	3.. 85 00 100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2.. 34 00 38 00

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$40 00 45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00 55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00 35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00 38 00
2 in.	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00 30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00 19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	15 00 17 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s. c. shorts	11 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00 2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25 2 40
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00 3 25
XX, 18 inch	1 25 1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60 1 90
XXXX 16 inch	2 25 2 50
XX, 16 inch	1 20 1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in average	& size 55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
2 in.	60 00
2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00
2 in	52 00
2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1½ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6	19 00
1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50
No. 2. White Pine	3 10
Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	78 80
4 inch uppers	83 85
Selects, 2½ in up	75 77
1 to 2 in.	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	60 65
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52 56
No. 2	32 45
No. 3	25 30
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47 50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40
Stained saps	30 40
Bracket plank	35 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
Dressing boards, narrow	26 28
1x10 inch shippers	21
1x12 inch shippers	$ 24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
10-in. dressing and better	28 7
10-in. common	20
12-in. dressing and better	35 30
Common, 1x12	21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
1x10	24 21
1x8	22 24
No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
1x10	23
1x8	20
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 4
" " 2 inch	45
Dressing	26 20
Common	3

LATH.

Pine	$3 50
Spruce	$ $3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 00 $4 75
Clear butts	3 50 3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Hemlock	2 23
Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in.	62 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in.	75 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
1¼x10 and 12.	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in	36 00
Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	00
No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
Box, 1 x 4	15 00
1 x 6 & up	17 50
1x10	18 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	20 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00 32 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00 37 00
2½ to 4 in.	40 00 42 00
Strips	19 00 21 00
Com. and culls	13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00 30 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00 37 00
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00 25 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 2 00
Common and culls	11 00 14 00
1st & 2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Common and culls	9 00 11 00

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in lengths from 12 to 18 feet long, cut plump inch, 6 inches and up in width. THE CANADIAN CANOE CO., LIMITED, Box 107, Peterboro.

HARDWOOD LUMBER WANTED

3-inch Common and Better Soft Elm.
2-inch 1's and 2's Soft Elm.
Also all grades Ash, Basswood, Birch and Elm. Send us list of any hardwood lumber you have for sale.

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WANTED—200,000 FEET RED OAK, 2", 2½" and 3". Apply "Special," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—TWIN ENGINE FEED FOR carriage; state make, size of cylinder, condition, when could ship. B.F. WARD, Brantford.

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VENEERS—SINGLE PLY OR GLUED UP stock. INTERNATIONAL LUMBER CO., LIMITED, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada.

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BOOKKEEPER—RELIABLE AND COMPETENT—with knowledge of lumber business; references required. Address, in writing, Box 1,024, Peterborough, Ont.

WANTED—2" HARD MAPLE, CULL OR better, 2" Black Ash and Soft Elm, log run, culls out. All dry. Address Box 37, care CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

FOR SALE

WE CAN SUPPLY FOR PROMPT SHIPMENT 75,000 feet Rock Elm timbers from 12 to 34 feet long, cut to order. For particulars, etc., write to KEENAN BROS., Owen Sound.

WANTED — TO BUY (STUMPAGE) ON Georgian Bay within five miles of Railroad or Lake, five million Hemlock and one to two million Pine, Spruce, Cedar, etc. Box B, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED.

IN CAR LOTS, INCH CULL LUMBER either Hardwood or Pine, cut to 22 inches long. State quantity and price. Also Basswood Lumber, inch, millrun. Box T, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

LUMBER WANTED

FOR EXPORT DURING THE SEASON OF 1903, 40 to 50 carloads of 1" Soft Elm Lumber suitable for coffin boards stock. Will pay spot cash at any station in Canada. For prices and specifications address J. S. FINDLAY, Owen Sound.

WANTED—WE ARE ALWAYS OPEN TO contract for all kinds of hardwood lumber. Please state price F. O. B. your nearest station, quantity and quality of the different kinds you will have to sell during 1903. We also require a large amount of Dimension stuff, particulars of which will be furnished, on application, by the KNECHTEL FURNITURE CO., of Hanover, Ont.

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WE WANT GOOD 18" WHITE PINE AND 18" Cedar, all grades, either contract mill output or single car lots. Write fully. J. G. STRAIT & SONS, Wolcott, N. Y.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The building outlook in Toronto is so uncertain that it is almost futile to endeavor to forecast the future of the lumber market. There is the usual steady demand from manufacturing industries, but the building requirement is gradually falling off on account of the postponement of projected work. It is estimated that buildings representing a value of $2,000,000 are being delayed by labor troubles. Visits to the offices of lumber dealers indicate that there is less confidence in the maintainence of present prices than, perhaps, at any previous time this year. It seems to be the almost universal opinion that lumber prices in general have reached the top notch for this season. It is not anticipated, however, that there will be any marked decline, as much of the season's production of both pine and hardwoods has already been sold for export. In outside towns building is progressing satisfactorily and dealers catering to that section of the trade report a fair volume of business.

Several orders have recently been placed for 12-inch pine boards. The wide sizes are becoming scarcer each year, and a gradual advance in price would seem to be in order. There is an improved demand for red pine, several manufacturers reporting sales at very satisfactory prices.

In the Ottawa valley there has been an advance in the price of shingles, ranging from 15 to 25 cents. The supply is light and the feeling somewhat confident that high prices for shingles will prevail throughout the season. Clear butts in 16-inch cedar range from $1.60 to $1.90, and XXXX from $2.25 to $2.50.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The lumber trade of Montreal are anticipating an average consumption of lumber for the balance of the season, as labor difficulties in most branches of industry have been satisfactorily adjusted. The settlement of the longshoremen's strike has been followed by unusual activity in shipping circles, several steamers having sailed from Montreal with lumber cargoes. Prices of spruce lumber remain stationary, although some manufacturers are said to be making a slight cut in the price of clapboards, which for some time have been selling at abnormal figures. The higher prices ruling for square and wany pine timber promise to be maintained throughout the season.

Reports concerning log drives in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia are of a favorable character. Judging from present appearances the mills will have a full stock of logs for the season. In the northern part of New Brunswick there is still some snow in the woods.

UNITED STATES.

Building operations in the city of New York are completely tied up on account of the New York Lumber Trade Association and the Building Material Dealers' Association stopping the delivery of supplies to prevent the unionizing of their yards. The labor situation in that city is somewhat serious, about 50,000 men being on strike, and it is feared that if a settlement is not reached at an early date the lumber business of the Eastern States may suffer throughout the entire season. A strike of carpenters in Philadelphia has curtailed the consumption of lumber in that city. Where no labor troubles exist, building operations are more active than at the corresponding time last year. Prices of white pine continue steady. Our Albany list this week shows an advance of $1 in the price of 1 x 12 inch boards. On the upper lakes the movement of stock is satisfactory, particularly when it is remembered that the supply of dry lumber is very small. Buying by box concerns continues to be the feature of the market. Although business all spring has been good, box manufacturers state that there is a steady increase in the number of orders. Chicago reports a falling off in the local demand for lumber, but no decline in price. A cargo of short and narrow pine piece stuff was recently sold at $16.50.

Manufacturing industries are heavy buyers of hardwood lumber at the present time. This class of lumber has not so far shown any signs of the effect of the various strikes. Maple flooring is moving more actively at higher prices. Quartered oak sells in the Boston market at from $73 to $85, and plain oak from $45 to $50, with white ash about $1 higher. Both thick ash and maple are scarce in the Eastern States.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There seems to have been a slight turn for the better in the British lumber market. Orders are being placed more liberally, although the deadlock between shippers of North of Europe lumber and importers has

not yet been broken. The statement of stocks on hand on April 1st is favorable to Canadian lumber. Taking the Surrey Commercial Docks at London for example, it is found that, as compared with one year ago, white pine deals show a decrease of 72,590 pieces, battens of 30,228 pieces, and ends of 39,312 pieces. In spruce deals the decrease is 148,557 pieces, and in spruce battens 199,780 pieces. The stock of spruce in the docks is only about half the quantity in store one year ago. With a moderate consumption, therefore, it should not be difficult to maintain prices at their present basis. The supply of first and second quality pine deals is unusually light, and prices are slightly higher than one month ago. A good movement is reported in Quebec timber, several lots of square and waney pine having recently changed hands at current prices. A quantity of ash timber from Quebec sold at recent public sales at 75 shillings per load of 50 cubic feet.

There has recently been received in London some whitewood from Eastern Europe. It is said to have been purchased by consumers who have found that it takes the place of the more expensive Quebec spruce deals. Is is not anticipated, however, that the competition from this source will affect the import from Canada.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Orange is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for the west coast of England.

During the month of April 53 special licenses to cut timber were issued by the British Columbia Government.

G. L. Burtis, of Thessalon, Ont., has received his first raft of logs from Garden River, containing about 3,000,000 feet.

The base price for hemlock at Buffalo is still $15.50, with every prospect that this figure will be maintained for some time to come.

No. 1 white pine lath are held in the Chicago market at $3.50, while No. 2 can be had for $2.60. The enquiry is largely for No. 2.

J. B. Farwell & Son, of Oswego, N. Y., and Orillia, Ont., lost a considerable quantity of telegraph poles by the recent forest fires north of Peterboro.

M. Ryan, of Smith's Falls, Ont., has secured the contract of supplying the Dominion Government with timber required for repairs and construction work on the Rideau Canal.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa is prepared to receive tenders up to June 10th for a permit to cut timber on berth No 1066 in the province of Manitoba, containing an area of 150 acres.

The schooner Palma is loading lumber at Weymouth, N. S., for Cuba, the shippers being G. D. Campbell & Company. The schooner Lillie is loading at Bear River, N. S., for Cienfuegos.

The New Brunswick Government will sell by auction on May 27th two timber berths, as follows: Three square miles at head of Tomogonops river, T. W. Flett, applicant; two square miles in Breadalbane Settlement East, Bartholomew river, Michael Buggy, applicant.

The steamer Ella Sayer is loading timber and deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom. The steamer Norfolk is completing a cargo of timber and deals at Chicoutimi for the United Kingdom. The steamer Nordboem loaded at Montreal and is completing cargo at Pierreville.

Messrs. Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., in a recent report, say: There is no change to report in this market for either pine or spruce deals. Pine remains firm at record prices for anything really good, and, of necessity, anything approaching these prices is very hard to obtain for the more numerous parcels which do not fulfill this condition. For spruce the London market is quietly firm without change either way, and should remain so so long as supplies do not increase on the rate of the past twelve months. Birch, elm and ash timber continue in fair demand; but oak has fallen back a little during the month. London seems to be giving up white pine timber altogether. The stock is almost nominal, but there is no change in quotations. The arrivals from New Brunswick have been:

	1903	1902
Pine Deals....	Nil	....16,000 pcs.
Spruce Deals..	86,000 pcs.	....24,000 "
Birch Planks..	50,000 "	....12,000 "

The following prices of Canadian lumber are quoted by Messrs. Farnworth & Jardine, Liverpool, Eng.:

	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
QUEBEC PINE TIMBER		
Square, per cu. ft.....	0 1 8 @	0 2 10
Waney, per cu. ft.....	0 2 6 @	0 3 6
St. John, 18 in. per cu. ft...	0 2 6 @	0 3 3
Dalhousie, etc., per cu. ft..	0 1 3 @	0 1 8
Red Pine, per cu. ft.....	0 1 7 @	0 1 10
Oak, 1st quality, per cu. ft.....	0 2 9 @	0 3 4
2nd quality, per cu. ft.	0 1 6 @	0 2 6
Elm, per cu. ft.....	0 2 9 @	0 3 6
Ash, per cu. ft.....	0 1 6 @	0 2 3
Birch, St. John, per cu. ft.....	0 1 5 @	0 1 10
Quebec, per cu. ft.....	0 1 5 @	0 2 0
Nova Scotia, etc., per cu. ft.	0 1 2 @	0 1 6
Birch Planks, per cu. ft.....	0 0 9 @	0 0 0
Spars, Spruce.....	0 0 10 @	0 1 0
QUEBEC PINE DEALS.		
1st quality, per std.....	22 10 0 @	31 0 0
2nd quality, per std.....	17 0 0 @	22 0 0
3rd quality, per std.....	11 10 0 @	12 15 0
SPRUCE DEALS.		
St. John, etc., per std.....	7 7 6 @	7 12 6
Nova Scotia, etc., per std..	7 0 0 @	7 10 0
Boards, Spruce, etc., per std....	6 0 0 @	6 15 0
Oars, Ash, per running ft.....	0 0 3 @	0 0 5

LIVERPOOL TIMBER STOCKS.

The stocks of timber, deals, etc., in Liverpool, Birkenhead, Garston, Saltport and Runcorn on 30th April for two years were as follows:

	1901	1902
Quebec Square Pine, cu. ft.....	66000	30000
Quebec Waney Pine, cu. ft.....	70000	35000
St. John Pine, cu. ft.....	2000	Nil
Other Ports Pine, cu. ft.....	2000	Nil
Red Pine, cu. ft.....	12000	3000
Pitchpine, Hewn, cu. ft.....	262000	330000
Pitchpine, Sawn, cu. ft.....	871000	660000
Pitchpine, Planks, cu. ft.....	218000	555000
Oregon Pine, cu. ft	13000	81000
Californian Redwood, cu. ft..	78000	Nil
Danzig, etc., Fir, cu. ft.....	22000	16000
Swedish and Norway Fir, cu. ft....	Nil	Nil
Oak, Canadian and U. S., cu. ft....	142000	67000
Oak Planks, cu. ft.....	120000	80000
Oak, Baltic, cu. ft.....	Nil	Nil
Elm, cu. ft.....	28000	40000
Birch, cu. ft.....	320000	238000
Ash, cu. ft.....	24000	52000
East India Teak, cu. ft.....	179000	107000
Greenheart, cu. ft.....	132000	156000
N.B., etc., Pine Deals, std.....	19800	9780
Quebec Deals, etc., std.....	9670	12180
Baltic Deals and Boards, std.....	28400	4930
Norway, etc., Flooring Boards, std.	4940	4370

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

A late revision of the price lists on the market page shows an all-round advance in shingles. Stock for present disposal is scarce and the demand high. Pine shingles, clear butt 18-inch, have advanced to $2.50 and $2.75, XXXX 18-inch to $3.50 and $3.75, and XX 18-inch to $1.25 and $1.75.

In lumber proper, pine sidings show an advance to $16 to $20. Other lines continue firm at prices previously quoted. The market is strong and stock scarce.

Shipments for the past week have been interfered with to a considerable extent by the labor troubles in New York city. The struggle between capital and organized labor has reached a stage where building operations in Greater New York are at a stand-still. Local lumber shippers have been advised to withhold for the present lumber intended for New York, as it is found impossible in that city to unload and place the lumber. Until building operations are resumed there will be a dullness in the forward movement of lumber from Ottawa.

The lumber destroyed in Sunday's fire in the J. R. Booth's yard in the west end of the city consisted principally of shorts and box stuff, aggregating in all about sixteen million feet. From the nature of the lumber destroyed it can be seen that there will be no hole in the stock of high grade stuff, although the impression has got abroad that the fire in diminishing an an already inadequate supply, would advance prices. The mere fact that the lumber was all sold and awaiting shipment would tend to prove the fallacy of this report of a probable advance in price. The insurance experts place Mr. Booth's loss at $220,000, on which there is $160,000 insurance, leaving a loss of $60,000.

The papers throughout the Province have come to the assistance of Ottawa with the advice that the lumber piles be moved to the country. The Council has taken the matter up, and in view of the fact that this is the second time the city has suffered within a comparatively short time it is likely that the piles, or at least the greater part of them, will go. Mr. Booth has threatened to remove his mill from the city if he is compelled to seek piling grounds outside its limits.

While the lumber piles were the primary cause of Sunday's fire, it must be borne in mind that the complete collapse of the waterworks system for forty minutes permitted the fire to gain a headway it would not have otherwise secured.

The camp supply number of THE LUMBERMAN excited favorable comment from the Ottawa district subscribers. The letter press and illustrations were both voted creditable in a high degree to the publisher and editorial staff.

The McGillivray Company of Ottawa has purchased the King mill at Parry Sound, with a daily output of 30,000 feet.

Reports from the Georgian Bay district show that the saws are doing their level best to put out a record cut of lumber. The mills at Blind River and other points were in full swing by the first of the month. It is reported that the Michigan Land and Lumber Company has sold its mills and mill site at Blind River to Dobson & Mc Keown, of Bay City. At Spanish Station the Mississaga Lumber Company is building a new mill with a daily output o 125,000 feet.

Reports as to the progress of the drives are conflicting. From the Kippewa and Temiscaming districts come reports of rains which will gladden the hearts of the lumber operators and incidentally help the drives along. It is rumored, however, that McLachlan Bros.' drive from the Petawawa limit recently purchased by that firm, has been "hung up." This report cannot be confirmed. If true it would mean a serious set-back, as the logs were intended for this season's cutting. On the Coulonge and Gatineau the logs also seem to be moving freely enough.

The supply of manufactured lumber in the Georgian Bay district is small and steadily decreasing. Even before the mills had entered on the cutting of the present season's lumber the boats were loading for Bay City and other points with the stock standing from last season. A new $12,000 dock is being built at Blind River by the Dominion Government. When completed this will greatly facilitate the movement of lumber.

OTTAWA, May 18, 1903.

TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 8th May, 1903. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this journal.

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From Parrsboro', N. S. : Barque Katahdin, for Sharpness, 938,835 feet deals, 159,860 feet ends and scantlings, value $13,282, by M. L. Tucker. Steamer Gamen, for Sharpness, 2,580,040 feet deals, ends and scantling, value $29,975, by George McKean.

From Halifax, N.S. : Steamer Peruvian, for Liverpool, 7,649 cubic feet birch timber, value $1,340; 10,205 superficial feet birch squares, value $160; 8,952 feet squares, value $140. Steamer Loyalist, for London, 220,926 feet spruce deals, value $2,864.

From St. John, N.B. : Schooner Maggie Miller, for Boston, 3,430 feet boards, 97,451 feet spruce plank, 6,408 feet scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Steamer Gulf of Venice, for London, 385 crates veneering, 324,084 feet deals, 2,105 feet scantling, 690 feet ends by George McKean ; 410,181 feet deals, 52,209 feet birch plank, 4,835 feet ends, by W.M. Mackay. Schooner Flash, for Boston, 825,000 cedar shingles, 15,000 feet spruce clapboards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schooner Essie C., for Bath, 990,000 cedar shingles, by Charles Miller. Schooner Genevieve, for City Island, 151,402 feet plank, 29,392 feet plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schooner Frank and Ira, for City Island, 137,177 feet pine boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schooner Sebago, for Washington. 1,725,000 shingles, by A. Cushing & Company.

From Montreal : Steamer Canada, for Liverpool, 6,379 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by Watson & Todd ; 122 pcs. birch timber by McArthur Export Company ; 6,379 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Lake Champlain, for Liverpool, 3,960 pcs. deals, by E. H. Lemay; 6,080 pcs. boards by Charlemagne Lumber Company ; 8,778 pcs. deals, 3,230 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd ; 18,212 pcs. boards, 649 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros. Steamer Corinthian, for Liverpool, 229 pcs. birch timber, 2,584 pcs. deals by W. & J. Sharples; 2,643 pcs. boards, 59 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Company ; 8,690 pcs. deals, 1,555 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Bavarian, for Liverpool, 5,708 pcs. deals, 200 pcs. boards and ends, by Robert Cox & Company. Steamer Salacia, for Glasgow, 926 pcs. deals by Dobell, Becket & Company. Steamer Sarmatian, for Glasgow, 1,745 pcs. deals, 1,333 pcs. boards, by Robert Cox & Company.

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THE BOSTON MARKET.

There is a good demand at Boston for spruce lumber, with the supply only fair. If it were not for strikes dealers say the demand would exceed the offerings. There is some anticipation that the troubles in New York will cause some diversion of shipments to this port, but as yet nothing of this kind has occurred. Prices are firm and unchanged: Ten and 12-inch dimensions, $21; nine inch and under, 19; 10 and 12-inch random lengths, 20 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18.50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.00.

Hemlock is firm at quotations: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is in rather better supply, but prices are very firm as previously quoted: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1 in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2 in. $78; 2½ to 3 in. $84; 4 in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

The supply of hardwood lumber is only moderate, especially of whitewood and quartered oak. Prices are very firm: Quartered oak: $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end-dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Clapboards are steady at revised quotations: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

There is no change to note in shingles, prices being firm: Extra cedar, $3.50 to $3.60; clear, $3.00 to $3.10; second clear, $2.40 to $2.50; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.80; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in., five butts to 2 inches, $3.50 to $3.60; 18-inch, five butts to 2 inches, $4.25; five butts to 2¼ inches, $4.50.

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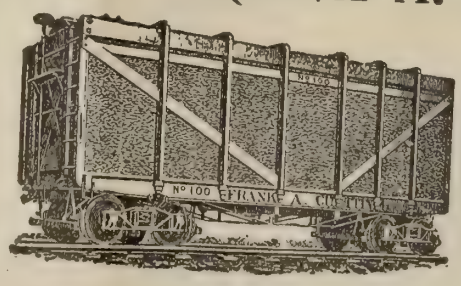

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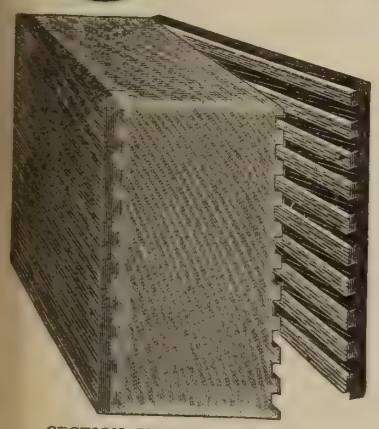

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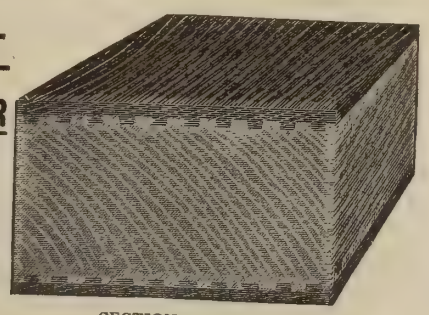

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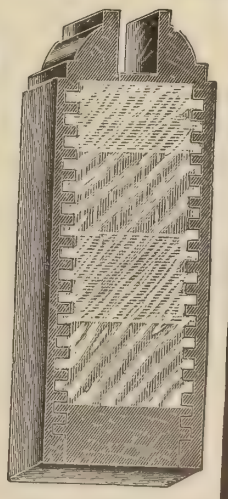

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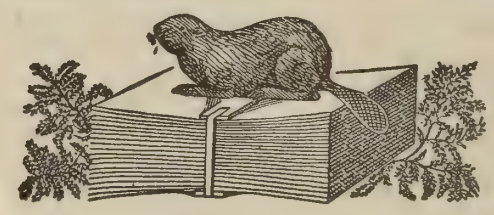

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Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4	34 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	32 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4	35 00 38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2	60 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 "	3	85 00 100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds "	2	34 00 31 00

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, mill	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 00	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XXXX, 18 inch	3 50	3 75
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: Clear Butt, 16 inch	1 60	1 90
XXXX, 16 inch	2 25	2 75
XX, 16 inch	1 20	1 25

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 11in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x5 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 10
		Hemlock	2 75

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83 85	1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
2½ in.	83 85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
1 to 2 in.	78 80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	83 85	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	75 77	10-in. common	20
1 to 2 in.	70 72	12-in. dressing and better	35 30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	60 65	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52 56	1x10	24 25
No. 2	32 45	1x8	22 24
No. 3	25 30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47 50	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35 40	1x8	20
Stained saps	30 40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35 40
Bracket plank	35 45	" " 2 inch	45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40	Dressing	26 20
Dressing boards, narrow	26 8	Common	23
1x10 inch shippers	21 22		

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in.	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	55 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in. 40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips 19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	2 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11 00

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FOR SALE

WE CAN SUPPLY FOR PROMPT SHIPMENT 75,000 feet Rock Elm timbers from 12 to 34 feet long, cut to order. For particulars, etc., write to KEENAN BROS., Owen Sound.

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WANTED—A QUANTITY OF HICKORY Pieces, mostly small sizes. Particulars of Scantling will be furnished on application. Apply Box 8, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED.

IN CAR LOTS, INCH CULL LUMBER either Hardwood or Pine, cut to 22 inches long. State quantity and price. Also Basswood Lumber, inch, millrun. Box T, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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WE WANT GOOD 18" WHITE PINE AND 18" Cedar, all grades, either contract mill output or single car lots. Write fully. J. G. STRAIT & SONS, Wolcott, N. Y.

LIMIT FOR SALE

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Hear You N. B. Cedar Shingle Fellows !!

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

From a provincial standpoint there is no apparent decrease in the demand for lumber. Manufacturing industries, which are operating to their full capacity, have been heavy buyers of late. Many dealers have recently visited the pine producing districts in search of desirable box grades which could be purchased at reasonable figures. Manufacturers are disposed to ask a slight advance on this class of lumber if in shipping condition. In Toronto the retail yards are doing some business, although not as much as was anticipated earlier in the year. This is due to the tie-up of building operations. Had it not been for labor troubles assuming more prominence than usual this year, it is quite probable that a record building season would have been experienced. As it is, the demand for lumber has been sufficient to maintain prices, as in very few instances has any inducement been offered the buyer. The uniformity of lists which has prevailed throughout the season is an indication that the trade regard present prices as warranted by the cost of production.

A number of the Georgian Bay mills have been closed down temporarily of late on account of a shortage of logs, the drives having been delayed by head winds.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The demand for lumber for building purposes is keeping both manufacturers and dealers very busy. In Winnipeg the volume of building is unusually large, and as many structures commenced early in the spring are now nearing completion, there is a corresponding increase in the call for finishing lumber. Prices are steady. British Columbia mills are making large shipments to the east. The lumber trade of that province are considerably exercised over an announcement made by the Provincial Government to the effect that nearly all the timber lands on Vancouver Island and the coast, not already taken up, had been reserved for two years for the Island Power Company, a new pulp concern. An order-in-council prevents any more special licenses being taken out.

UNITED STATES.

Notwithstanding the labor troubles, a record of building permits for twenty-one leading cities of the United States shows an increase of 5 per cent. for the month of April over the corresponding month of last year. This volume of building is reflected in a steady demand for lumber, although in New York city, where the number of workmen on strike has increased, trade is practically at a standstill. No change in prices has occurred. Box lumber is in exceptionally strong enquiry, with a few dealers asking an advance in price. A report comes to hand that the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association have reaffirmed the price list adopted on January 1st, which will be reissued as the list for June. This is indicative of confidence that the demand will absorb the supply at prevailing prices. Large sales of shingles and lath have recently been made in the Lake Superior district. Saginaw dealers are doing a steady trade and are still buying some lumber at producing points. The Chicago market is quiet on account of fewer orders from local dealers. Prices of piece stuff for country delivery have been advanced to $17.50 for 2x4 and 2x6 in 12 and 14-foot lengths. Twelve inch No. 1 common boards are quoted at $27 for 10 and 12 foot and $26 for 14 and 16 foot. No. 2 12-inch boards are worth $24 and $23 for the lengths named. No. 3 boards are held at $18 for all lengths below 18-feet.

The hardwood industry continues active. Stocks are more plentiful, although still short in many lines. The tendency of al prices is upward. Inch quartered oak is constantly enquired for, and when it cannot be found, birch is often purchased. Maple flooring is stronger.

The tone of the hemlock market is especially firm. Chicago cargo quotations are $12.50 to $13 for short piece stuff delivered, equivalent to $11.50 at the mill. In carloads piece stuff brings $13.50 to $14. There is such a shortage in dry hemlock that some stock has been moved green.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There is a somewhat better tone to the British lumber market. New stock is arriving slowly, with a favorable influence on prices. The higher grades are scarce and in strong demand. A quantity of first-class pine from Montreal recently sold at £32 10s per standard for 11-inch, and at £24 5s for 9-inch. On the whole the prices realized at recent public sales have shown an improvement, importers not being disposed to sacrifice their present holdings in the face of the exceedingly high prices asked for new stock. As it is probable that the import of lumber will be moderate, there is no reason to anticipate an over-supply. Spruce deals remain firm and are going steadily into consumption. Shippers show no signs of reducing their asking figures, and it is admitted on all sides that the present level of prices is likely to be maintained. A considerable quantity of Swedish lumber

is being shipped by British dealers to South Africa, where business is gradually expanding.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Inderurle is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

Robinson, Wright & Company expect to saw over 10,000,000 feet of deals at their mills at Shulee, N. B., this season.

The Corporation of Toronto Junction, Ont., has contracted for red pine lumber at $16.98 per thousand, and for cedar at $16.90.

It is reported that Chew Bros., of Midland, Ont., have taken a contract to saw several million feet of logs for the Hartwell Lumber Company, of Chicago.

All the logs belonging to the Swan River Lumber Company at Fisher's Siding, near Dauphin, Man., were destroyed by fire last week. The loss is estimated at $30,000.

Exports of lumber from St. John, N. B., to the United States during the week ending May 16th were 1,030,000 feet of long lumber, 4,000,000 lath and 2,290,000 cedar shingles.

A Prince Edward Island firm write us that they are desirous of purchasing No. 1 white ash and white oak pork barrel staves and headings. They use from 300,000 to 500,000 staves a year.

The Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Company, of Fort Steele, B. C., took out 15,000,000 feet of logs last winter. The drives on the Kootenay and St. Mary's rivers have commenced.

W. H. Higgins, of Vancouver, B. C., is operating in the vicinity of the Toba river. On Wednesday, May 13th, 9,000,000 feet of logs were swept down the stream a distance of thirteen miles in a little over four hours. Uusually such drives are of several days' duration.

The cut of the Rat Portage Lumber Company last winter was about 65,000,000 feet of logs. In addition there are 35,000,000 feet carried over from last season, which will give 100,000,000 feet to be sawn this year at the company's mills at Rat Portage and Rainy River.

Under date of May 9th, Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company say of the lumber market: During our reaping season, now going on, there is always a good demand. There has been no arrival of white pine during the fortnight, and we cannot quote the value of a cargo at over $24.50 to $25 per M. A cargo of spruce has arrived, which was sold to arrive some time ago at $21.50 per M. The value has since declined, and is now about $18.50 per M. There has been no arrival of Gaspe Long Cedar shingles since October. Last sales were made at $4.89 to $5.04. Cedar Laying are worth $2 to $2.20 and Spruce Laying $1.60 to $1.65. We sold a cargo of Cypress "sawn saps" at $3.80 for 6 inch, $3.50 for 5-inch, and $3.20 for 4-inch. There is some enquiry for hearts' split.

McLean's saw mill near Arkona, Ont., was burned a few days ago, at a loss of $2,500.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following export shipments of lumber from British Columbia were made during the first four months of this year:

From	For	Cargo—Ft.
Hastings	Plymouth	817,317
Hastings	Natal	1,165,095
Chemainus	Calcutta	1,761,907
Chemainus	Valparaiso	798,701
Hastings	Sydney	15,624
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	78,769
Hastings	Yokohama	16,100
Hastings	Shanghai	964,964
Hastings	Callao and Iquiqui	1,368,922
Chemainus	South Africa	1,950,802
Hastings	Hongkong	175,129
Hastings	Hongkong	10,003
Hastings	U. K.	1,597,776
Chemainus	Liverpool	1,899,365
Hastings	Nagasaki	754,653
Hastings	London	1,215,036
Chemainus	Liverpool	2,110,781
Chemainus	Port Elizabeth	1,551,223
Hastings	Shanghai	902,782
Chemainus	Autofagasto	714,791
Hastings	Japan	35,872
Hastings	Callao	.....
Hastings	South Africa	.....
Hastings	Osaka	.....
Chemainus	U. K.	.....
Chemainus	Cape Town	.....

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Montreal: Steamer Fremona, for London, sailed May 18th, 1,033 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Monarch, for London, sailed May 18th, 4,428 pieces deals, 18,359 pieces boards, by Watson & Todd; 3,505 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 2,622 pieces deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 40,909 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 2,026 pieces boards, by Montreal Lumber Co.; 779 pieces birch by McLaurin Bros. Steamer Rathlin Head, for Belfast, sailed May 19th, 807 pieces deals, etc., by McLaurin Bros.; 8,803 pieces deals, etc., by J. Burstall & Co.; 93 pieces birch timber by McArthur & Co.; 100 pieces birch timber, 2,955 pieces deals, etc., by W. & J. Sharples; 13,632 pieces deals, etc., by Watson & Todd; 35,632 pieces deals, etc, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Alcides, for Glasgow, sailed May 19th, 4,070 pieces deals, by J. Burstall & Co. Steamer Nordboem, for London, sailed May 21st, 446 pieces timber, 17,332 pieces deals, etc., by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Turcoman, for Liverpool, sailed May 21st, 11,481 pieces deals, boards and ends, by Robt. Cox & Co. Steamer Nyassa, for Glasgow, sailed May 21st, 510 pieces timber, 14,062 pieces deals and ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Elia Sayer, for London, sailed May 21st, 57,989 pieces birch and pine deals, 9,710 pieces ends, 100 logs birch timber, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Alexandrian, for Antwerp, sailed May 22nd, 25,816 pieces deals, boards and ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 13,397 pieces deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Manchester Trader, for Manchester, sailed May 22nd, 7,456 pieces deals and boards, by Robt. Cox & Co.; 755 pieces elm lumber, 4,642 pieces 2-inch lumber by C. P. R.; 4,935 pieces 1½" lumber by G. T. R. Steamer Kensington, for Liverpool, sailed May 22nd, 16,573 pieces deals and boards, by Watson & Todd; 3,285 pieces timber, by G. T. R. Steamer Ionian, for Liverpool and Quebec, sailed May 22nd, 2,742 pieces deals, 370 pieces timber, by W. & J. Sharples; 5,833 pieces deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 1,274 pieces deals by Watson & Todd. Steamer Montrose, for Avonmouth, sailed May 22, 6,099 pieces deals by W. J. Sharples & Co.; 6,418 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd; 2,121 pieces deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 1,243 pieces deals by Montreal Lumber Co. Steamer Lake Erie, for Liverpool, 11,755 pieces lumber, by J. Burstall & Company; 17,981 pieces deals, etc., by Robert Cox & Company; 7,304 pieces boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Company; 2,358 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd; 22,654 doors, 13,337 pieces boards and deals, by W. C. Edwards & Company; 2,271 doors, 1,066 maple blocks, by C. P. R. Steamer Monterey, for Bristol, 967 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd: 10,394 pieces boards, by W. & J. Sharples; 1,029 pieces boards, by Montreal Lumber Company; 19,217 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Company; 1,425 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Company; 794 doors, by C. P. R.

From Halifax, N. S.: Steamer Briardene, for Manchester, Eng., 1,447,043 ft. spruce deals, value $16,500, 271,967 ft. spruce scantling, value $2,719, 29,411 ft. ends, value $630, 172,466 ft. pine deals, value $2,040, 5,468 ft. pine ends, value $43. Steamer Dahome, for Bermuda, 8,000 ft. spruce lumber, value $130; for Trinidad, 28,392 ft. lumber, value $350. Barque Poscidon, for Cork, Ireland, 334,104 ft. spruce deals, value $3,790, 236,435 ft. hemlock, value $2,085. Steamer Bawtry, for Brow Head, 208,571 ft. hardwood deals, value $2,560, 1,515,440 ft. spruce deals, value $15,190, 19,435 ft. spruce scantling, value $192, 92,319 ft. spruce boards, value $920, 1,455 ft. ends, value $100. Steamer Gulf of Venice, for London, 110,752 feet spruce deals, value $1,430, 129,606 ft. birch planks, value $1.377. Steamer Unlunda, for Liverpool, Eng., 29,567 ft. spruce deals, value $294, 51,269 feet birch plank, value $539; 11,133 ft. birch squares, value $175.

From St. John, N. B.: Schooner Romeo, for Bridgeport, 78,322 ft. plank, 52,844 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Maple Leaf, for Fort de France, 144,810 ft. pine boards, 24,016 ft. pine plank, 66,002 ft. hemlock boards, 75,000 shingles, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner A. P. Emerson, for Philadelphia, 1,407,000 laths, by Dunn Bros. Schooner F. & E. Giban, for New Bedford, 145,401 ft. boards, by J. E. Moore. Schooner Effie May, for Fall River, 300,000 laths, 300,000 shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Compans. Schooner H. A. Holder, for Boston, 140,611 ft. plank, by A Cushing & Company. Schooner Lilian Blauvelt, for St. Georges, Grenada, 226,583 ft. boards, 10,029 ft. plank, 125,000 cedar shingles, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Reporter, for City Island, 103,934 ft. pine boards, 44,686 ft. pine plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Domain, for Bridgeport, 31,647 ft. pine boards, 25,000 ft. spruce boards, 267,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner J. L. Colwell, for Vineyard Haven, 192,479 ft. hemlock boards, by R. A. Estey. Schooner Thistle, for Boston, 84,051 ft. plank, 90,610 ft. boards by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Lena Maud, for Neponset, 81,650 ft. boards, 175,000 cedar shingles, 100,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Walter Miller, for Vineyard Haven, 767,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company. Schooner Priscilla, for New York, 99,845 ft. plank, 59,465 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Company. Schooner Progress, for Fall River, 58, 977 ft. boards, 500,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Company.

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PINE.—Ex. Carham, from Montreal—16 ft. 3x11 in. 2nd quality, £19 per standard; 15 ft. 3x11, £19; 14 ft. 3x11, £18 10s; 12-13 ft. 3x11, £19; 9-13 ft. 3x11, £19 5s. Ex. Norge, from Quebec—14-18 ft. 3x8 in. unassorted red, £8; 10-18 ft. 3x8, £8 5s; 17-24 ft. 3x11, £9 5s; 12-18 ft. 3x7, £8; 12-18 ft. 2½x8-11, £8. Ex. Prome, from Quebec—3 ft. 3x10-23 in. first quality bright, £17 10s; 3 ft. 3x4-6, £12 5s; 2 ft. 3x6-17, £10 5s; 2 ft. 3x4-5, £10. Ex. Montfort, from Montreal—12-13 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, £32 10s; 9-16 ft. 3x9, £24 5s. Ex. Montezuma, from Quebec—10-16 ft. 3x9 in. 4th quality, £10 5s; 10-16 ft. 3x8, £9 10s. Ex. Montreal, from Quebec—6-21 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted red, £8 10s; 6-22 ft. 3x10, £8 10s; 6-23 ft. 3x7, £8 5s; 6-21 ft. 3x7, £8. Ex. Everingham, from Montreal—13 ft. 3x11 in. 3rd quality, £13 5s; 12-16 ft. 3x6 in. 4th quality, £6 15s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Belgium, from Quebec—16 ft. 3x9 in. second quality, £10 5s per standard. Ex. Minnetonka, from Quebec—12 ft. 3x8 in. 3rd quality, £8; 13 ft. 3x7, £7 15s; 12 ft. 3x7, £7 15s. Ex. Valborg, from Dalhousie, N. B.—12-20 ft. 3x10 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd quality, £8 5s; 14 ft. 3x9, £9 5s; 17-21 ft. 3x9, £8 5s; 9-21 ft. 2½x7, £7 5s. Ex. Avona, from Quebec—13 ft. 3x8 in. 3rd quality, £8; 12 ft. 3x9 in. 4th quality, £9 5s. Ex. Lycia, from Quebec—13-18 ft. 3x11 in. 3rd quality, £9 10s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Quebec—12-13 ft 3x7 in. 3rd quality, £7 15s; 11-14 ft. 3x7, £7 10s.

BIRCH.—Ex. Devona, from Quebec—9 ft. 21 in. and up, £6 per load of 50 cubic feet; 13 ft. 20 in. and up, £5 5s; 8 ft. 18 in. and under 20, £5.

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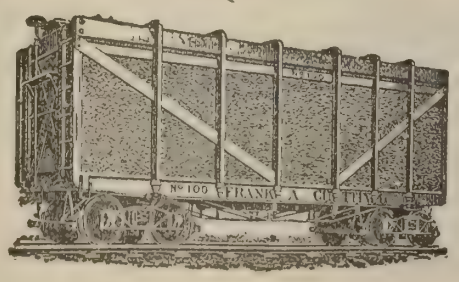

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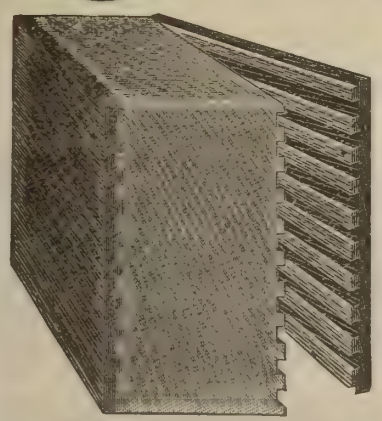

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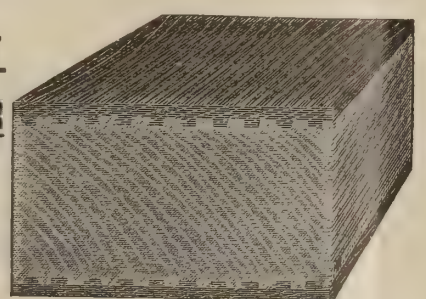

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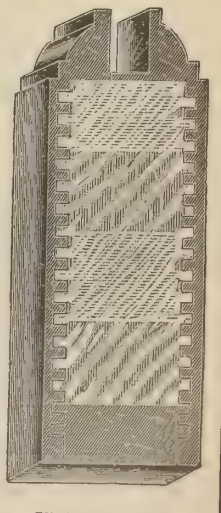

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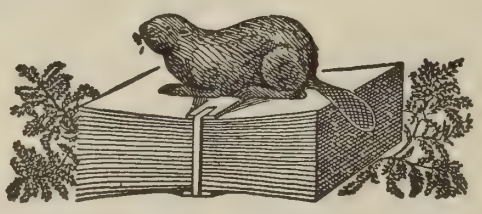

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FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6.	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$16 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

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No. 1. White Pine	3 40	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

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Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
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1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 35 30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10 24 25
No. 2	32	45	1x8 22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 20
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 40
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 20
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	Common 23
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$ $3 25

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
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2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
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No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in. 40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips 19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
Common and cul's	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	2 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Despite the unsettled condition of labor and its consequent effect upon building operations, the lumber market, from many points of view, is all that could be desired. The demand has been remarkably good and prices considerably higher than last year. Most mills have so far been unable to accumulate any stock. Advices from the Ottawa valley and Georgian Bay districts are to the effect that many mills have sold their entire season's cut. Hemlock is moving actively, and notwithstanding the advance that has taken place in the price of this lumber, it is predicted that it will resch a higher figure befor the close of the year. Thick stock, say two inches up, is much inquired for.

All lines of hardwood lumber are in demand, but particulary basswood and elm. Competition among buyers has been so keen of late that a large percentage of the contemplated output has already been contracted for at prices ranging from $2 to $4 higher than last year. There is every reason to believe that the hardwood market will hold its own for the balance of the season, and there can be little risk in buying at present quotations.

Revised prices for cedar shingles at Ottawa are $3.30 to $3.50 for XXXX in 18 inch, $2.50 to $2.75 for clear butts, and $1.65 to $2 for XX.

The labor situation in Toronto and one or two other points is such as to cause some apprehension regarding the extent to which the lumber business will be affected thereby. The past month witnessed a falling off in the demand for building timber, and unless an early settlement is reached many proposed undertakings will be postponed indefinitely. Strikes in the Eastern States have also restricted the volume of shipments to that market.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The lumber business of the Eastern Provinces appears to be in a satisfactory condition. The demand from the Eastern States has fallen off recently owing to labor difficulties, but manufacturers still have plenty of unfilled orders on their books. By some it is reported that the demand exceeds the supply, with prices from fifty cents to one dollar per thousand in advance of last year on both spruce and hemlock. Spruce clapboards in 4-feet lengths find a very ready market, and notwithstanding the high price at which they are selling, the tendency seems to be upwards. No drop from the present price is anticipated within the next two months at least. Buyers are steadily accumulating cedar shingles. The price of extras is now firmly established at $3.50 to $3.55 for Boston delivery, with other grades equally firm. Some large shipments of lath have been made to the Eastern States. The uncertainty regarding the log drives is causing lumbermen some anxiety. Should a large quantity be hung up, as now seems probable, the result would probably be an advance in the price of lumber.

UNITED STATES.

A careful scrutiny of the various lumber markets of the United States leads one to the conclusion that the volume of trade has declined during the past two weeks. This is probably due largely to the unsettled conditions prevailing in the building trades in New York and some other eastern cities. There seems to be reason to expect a settlement of the New York building strikes this week, which would doubtless be followed by heavy buying of lumber. There has been no noticeable weakness of prices. Although some of the first cut has been marketed, it has had no effect upon prices, which are holding well. The splendid outlook for an abundant yield of wheat is doubtless a strengthening factor in the situation. At Buffalo the quantity of low grade pine is smaller than it was expected to be at this season of the year, and prices are consequently stiff. Some dealers are holding inch uppers at $80, 6-inch box at $17, 8-inch at $18, 10-inch at $19, and mills culls at $15. Difficulty has been found in contracting for dimension timber, owing to the fact that better returns can be obtained by sawing the logs into boards. This may result in a scarcity of dimension stuff.

Hardwood lumber is slightly more plentiful, although the demand readily absorbs

the available supply. Maple is a quick seller. Basswood is getting more plentiful, while there is complaint that the supply of elm is giving out.

Hemlock prices remain steady. The supply of logs in Pennsylvania and Michigan is very light, so that there will be no difficulty in marketing stock even if the consumption should fall off. It is difficult to size up the shingle situation. A report from the Sagniaw valley states that prices are weaker than they were in the early spring and that stocks are accumulating at the mills.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The consumption of lumber in Great Britain during the month of May was not as active as in the corresponding month of last year. It is believed, however, that the decrease in consumption will be offset by reduced imports. The outlook for shipbuilding has improved of late, while the unsatisfactory condition of house-building continues. Importers are still waiting developments. Offers are being made about five shillings per standard less than the quotations asked by shippers, but the latter have so far refused to close contracts on that basis. The stocks of pine at Liverpool are considerably lower than at this time last year, a fact which carries considerable weight. First and second quality are very scarce and high prices are being paid for standard dimensions. There has been no change in spruce prices. Opinions are freely expressed that the fluctuations in values during the season will be very slight. For 3 x 9 second and third quality spruce shippers are asking £9 15s and £9 5s respectively, while as high as £9 5s has been asked for third quality.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Holmlea is now loading deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Asta is loading deals at St, John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

White pine lath are selling in the Chicago market at $3.50 for No. 1, $2.75 for No. 2, and $3 for No. 1 mixed and hemlock.

The barque Luarca sailed last week from Weymouth, N. S., for Buenos Ayres, with a cargo of lumber, shipped by D. G. Campbell & Company.

A. Hamilton will operate the mill of the Imperial Lumber Company at Warren, Ont., this season, and will cut Booth & Gordon's logs from Bannerman Creek.

W.O. Dickson, of Victoria, B. C., has purchased 5,000 acres of timber on the San Juan Straits. The timber is principally cedar and will be shipped to the United States.

The Grand Forks Lumber Company, of Grand Forks, N.D., has sold about 4,000,000 feet of logs to D. E. Sprague, of Winnipeg. The logs will be rafted to Winnipeg.

One million feet of logs on the banks of the Kootenay river, about six miles above Wardner, B. C., were destroyed by fire last week. The logs were the property of the Crow's Nest Lumber Company.

Slack cooperage stock is in better demand. Both elm and basswood logs are so scarce that the production of cooperage material is sure to be light. Jobbers quote slack stock $9.25 to $9.50 for first-class dry elm flour barrel staves; 6¼ to 6½ cents for first-class basswood heading; $9.50 to 9.75 for 5½ ft. coiled hoops; $10 to $10.25 for 6-foot and $6.50 to $6.75 for hickory hoops.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to 2nd June, as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers :—

Waney WhitePine..	60,896	703,082	129,040
White Pine.....	.....	48,152	10,3200
Red Pine.....	140	3,273	40
Oak.....	45,761	34,494	141,240
Elm.....	139,664	267,486	141,200
Ash.....	47,830	9,636	30,320
Basswood.....	.....	.....	.....
Butternut.....	462	.....	.....
Tamarac.....	.....	.....	.....
Birch and Maple ...	250,097	78,002	112,520

There is a considerable quantity of Southern pitch pine timber being shipped north to Canada this season owing to high prices and the difficulty in obtaining pine timber locally. Messrs. Mason, Gordon & Company, of Montreal, have just unloaded in that port the steamer "Hampstead," which brought from Savannah, Ga., 1,500,000 feet b.m. of very fine pitch pine timber which will be used largely for the harbor improvement works now going on. The Steamer "Henley" has arrived at Three Rivers, Que., from Savannah, with a second cargo of 1,600,000 feet b.m. of pitch pine timber, also for Mason, Gordon & Company, and is now discharging same. The timber is to be used for building the new Government dock in that city, for which Mr. Randolph Macdonald, of Toronto, is the contractor. The loading of the two steamers just mentioned at Savannah, Ga., crerted a considerable interest in that city, being the first steamers which have ever loaded full cargoes of timber out of that port, all cargo shipments having been made by sailing ships. Besides these steamers, several full cargoes of timber have been shipped to lower province ports by sailing ships this season and several more ships are under charter.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Shipments of lumber from Ottawa to Montreal and New York by water at paesent are active, more so perhaps than by rail. The resumption of coal carrying operations by water this season has already brought a dozen or more roomy American barges into port. The owners of these are only too anxious to secure a return cargo to the States and lumber is handled at a very reasonable rate. While the trip by water to New York takes several weeks, the difference in rates is worth considering where time is not a factor.

It is reported that a large block of 12-inch stock has been purchased by the Shepard & Morse Company from Mr. J. R. Booth. The lumber is intended for the South American markets. While the exact prices could not be ascertained, it is learned that they were good and stiff, and showed an advance on last season.

The Shepard & Morse Company has the Mason mill at Hintonburg, in the west end of the city, running night and day. Between 250 and 300 men are employed altogether on two shifts, with about 150 on the day shift alone. The old mill always had a good reputation for a mill of its class. The latest improvements installed by the Shepard & Morse Company make it one of the best band mills in the district. This mill is the first in the Ottawa district to use the double cutting band and steam set works.

The last year or so has seen some changes in the style of the output of the Ottawa district mills. The advance in the prices of manufactured lumber has led to an easier and more elastic grading and a more intelligent effort to produce the largest quantity of the high priced grades out of a log. What was formerly known as mill culls now classifies as box lumber, and some of the stock grades that were known as shipping culls are now classified by some manufacturers as mill run.

A correction will be noticed in this week's Ottawa market quotations in the section devoted to cedar shingles. Eighteen inch stock has been substituted for sixteen inch, for the reason that the former has the run. The sixteen inch stock, broadly speaking, is not required by or manufactured for the Ottawa trade. For this reason quotations will hereafter be made on eighteen-inch cedar shingles and not sixteen-inch as heretofore. For the benefit of those who may be interested in the latter, it may be said that the quotations which upon general inquiry seem to be correct on sixteen-inch shingles are: XXXX $2.80 to $3.00; clear butt $1.75 to $2.00; and XX $1.25 to $1.35. On the other hand eighteen-inch stock runs as follows: XXXX $3.30 to $3.50, clear butt $2.50 to $2.75, and XX $1.55 to $2.00.

Efforts to secure reliable hardwood quotations about Ottawa meet with scant reward, for the reason, given by the dealers, that there is a lack of anything like the uniform cassification that holds in other lines of lumber. All depends on the manufacturer; where one may get $25 for a line of ash or maple another not a dozen miles away accepts $16.

The latest reports speak of heavy rains in the Kippewa and Upper Ottawa country. This will gladden the hearts of the mill men, as it will facilitate the movement of the log drives. The latter seem to be coming along nicely, and the first logs of the 1093 cut may be expected at the mills within a month.

Mr. J. F. Birchard, of Detroit, Mich., formerly travelling representative of the CANADA LUMBERMAN, now with the Wing Graphite Metal people of Detroit, was in the city this week. He reported marked activity in the lumber industry of the Maritime Provinces, Quebec and Ottawa district. A number of mills east of Ottawa are being overhauled and in other places new ones built. Stocks of standing lumber are light and the season's sawing will be a heavy one, as orders are numerous.

Mr. J. R. Booth has bought a farm near the city, which it is believed he intends to use for pilling grounds. Hon. W. C. Edwards has announced, on the other hand, his inability to secure other piling grounds near the city, and says he will have to close down his mill at Ottawa if the by-law prohibiting lumber piling within the city is not rescinded.

OTTAWA, MAY 30, 1903.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Hopewell Cape, N. B.: Str. Eastry, for Sharpness, Eng., 2,168,862 ft. spruce deals, battens and scantlings, value $26,135, by J. Nelson Smith. Str. Albuera, for Manchester, England, 3,336,825 ft. spruce deals, scantling and boards, value $41,750, by W. Malcolm Mackay.

From Yarmouth, N. S.: Schr. Victor, for Boston, 135,000 ft. lumber, 8,000 laths.

From Hillsborough, N.B.: Barque Alert, for Whitehaven, England, 535,621 ft. spruce deals, 129,573 ft. spruce scantling, 14,803 ft. spruce ends, value $7,855, by J. Nelson Smith.

From Parrsboro, N. S.: Str. Pharsalia, for Manchester, England, 2,770,525 ft. deals, value $34,632; 652,078 ft. ends and scantlings, value $6,403, by M.L. Tucker.

From St. John, N. B.: Schr. Pandora, for Boston, 67,903 ft. spruce deals, 18,500 ft. clapboards, 634,000 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Str. Univer e, for Limerick, 2,134,418 ft. deals, 143,649 ft. ends, by W. M. Mackay.

From Montreal: Str. Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 4,981 pcs. deals, 1,056 pcs. ends, 1,779 pcs. ends, by J. Burstall & Co.; 4,160 bundles boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Co; 100 pcs. square birch, by McLaurin Bros.; 9,828 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co. Str. Lake Manitoba, for Liverpool, 20,190 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 15,306 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 27,391 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 9,154 pcs, deals, by Williams, Edwards & Co.; 1,950 pcs. lumber, 3,271 doors, by C.P.R. Str. Dominion, for Liverpool, 566 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Mariana, for Glasgow, 3,516 pcs. pine deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 2,711 pcs. pine deals, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Hungarian, for Liverpool, 15,094 pcs. deals and ends, by Robert Cox & Co.; 1,217 pcs. deals, 124 pcs. timber, by W. & J. Sharples; 7,770 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Company. Str. Tunisian, for Liverpool, 1,188 pcs. deals and ends,

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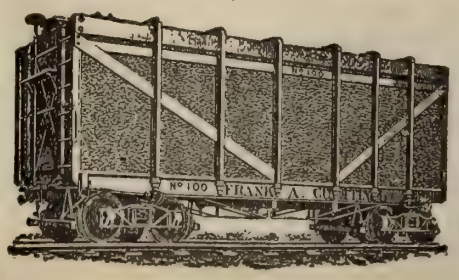

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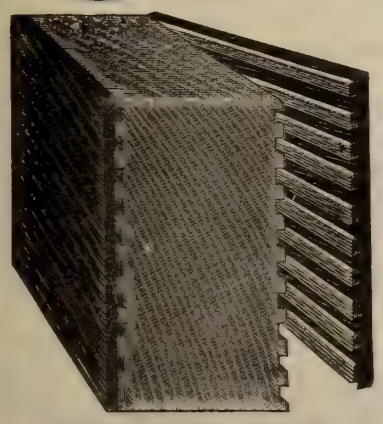

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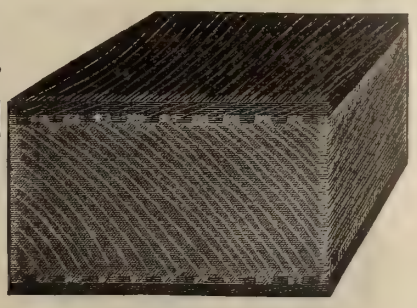

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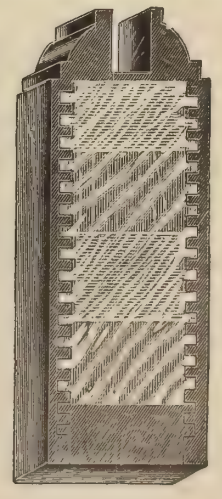

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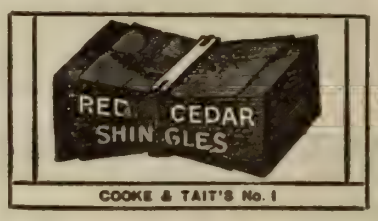

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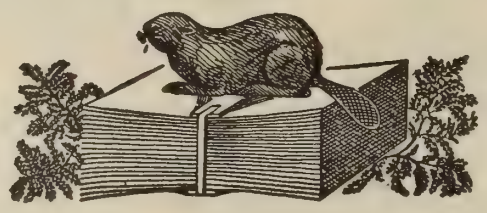

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1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
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XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
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			Area Square Miles.
Block A,	1st range,	No. 12	28
"	3rd "	north ½ of 11	25
"	3rd "	south ½ of 11	25
"	3rd "	north ½ of 12	25
"	3rd "	south ½ of 12	25
"	3rd	13	25
"	3rd	14	21¾
"	3rd	15	18
"	3rd	16	15½
"	3rd	17	27
"	3rd	18	35
"	3rd	19	27½
"	3rd	20	22
"	4th range,	north ½ of 10	25
"	4th "	south ½ of 10	25
"	4th "	north ½ of 11	25
"	4th "	south ½ of 11	25
"	4th "	north ½ of 12	25
"	4th "	south ½ of 12	25
"	4th "	north ½ of 13	25
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"	4th "	south ½ of 14	25
"	4th "	north ½ of 15	25
"	4th "	south ½ of 15	25
"	4th "	north ½ of 16	25
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"	4th "	north ½ of 18	25
"	4th "	south ½ of 18	25
"	4th "	north ½ of 19	25
"	4th "	south ½ of 19	25
"	4th "	north ½ of 20	23
"	4th "	south ½ of 20	27½
"	6th "	½ north of 7	25
"	6th "	½ south of 7	25
Grand Lake Victoria		611	19
"	"	612	11¼
River du Lievre,	north-west branch	5	50
"	"	6	50
"	"	7	50
"	"	8	50

ST. MAURICE.

		Area Square Miles.
Manouan 1,	North	50
Manouan 2,	North	24
Manouan 3,	North	35
Manouan 1,	South	50
Manouan 2,	South	50
Manouan 3,	South	45
Manouan 8,	South	30
Manouan 9,	South	21
Rear Manouan 3,	North	30
Rear Manouan A,	North	40
Rear Manouan B,	North	49
Rear Manouan C,	North	50
Rear Manouan D,	North	50
Bostonnais Island		10
Bostonnais 3,	North	40
Upper St. Maurice	5	35
" "	6	36
" "	7	49
" "	8 to 14 each	50
" "	15	60
" "	16	38
" "	17 to 27 each	50
" "	28	62
" "	29	35
" "	30	30
" "	31 to 43 each	50
" "	44	49
" "	45	50
" "	46	50

SAINT CHARLES.

	Area Square Miles.
River a Mars 3	20
River du Moulin 4	12
Rivers aux Ecorces et au Canot	39
River aux Ecorces 5	29
River aux Ecorces 6	41¼
River aux Canot 1	26
Grande Pikauda 2	38½
Grande Pikauda 3	38¾
River Sainte Anne, Beaupre 1	28
River Sainte Anne, Beaupre, 2	27
River Sainte Anne, Beaupre 3	37
River des Neiges 1	20
River des Neiges 2	28
River des Neiges 3	30
River Montmorency 1	42
River Montmorency 2	28
River Jacques Cartier, N. E. branch 3 East	33

LAKE SAINT JOHN CENTRE.

		Area Square Miles.
River Ouitachouan	141	19½
"	142	25

LAKE SAINT JOHN WEST.

		Area Square Miles.
River au Saumon	1	46
"	2	49
"	3	41½
River Peribonka	128	64
"	129	54
"	130	38

LAKE SAINT JOHN EAST.

		Area Square Miles.
River Shipshaw	126	57
"	127	55
"	128	49½
"	129	36

SAGUENAY.

			Area Square Miles.
Riviere Portneuf,	East Branch		120
River Saint John	7		12
" "	8		12
" "	East branch	1	22
" "	" "	2	18
" "	" "	3	20
River au Saumon	1		34
River Magpie	3 to 8, each		32

River Manicouagan 7 to 28, each	50
River aux Outardes 1 to 12, each	50
Part of Saguenay East A	7
Saguenay West 1 A	10
Part of Saguenay 3 to 4, West	49
Township Albert 88	20¼
River Malbaie 8 A	40
" " A	58
" " 10	60
" " 11	57
" " 13	49
" " 12	54
" " 14	28
" " 16	32
" " 17	37
River du Gouffre	22½
" " 15	43
River Moise 1	25
" " 2	25
River Pentecote	300
River Pentecote, east branch 1 north	20
" " " " 2 "	20
" " " " 1 south	20
" " " " 2 "	20
River du Bassin 1 north	20
" " 1 south	20
River Natashquan 1 to 4 each	50
Township Callieres	15
Sault au Cochon 1 east	30
Rear township Callieres	18

BONAVENTURE WEST.

River Nouvelle 1	50
" " 4	22
River Escoumenac 3	13
" " 4	15
" " 5	42
" " 6	24
River Bonaventure 4	38
" " 5	27
" " 6	25
Little River Cascapedia, Branch East 3	42
" " "	150
River Grande Cascaepdia 1	14¾
" " " 2	21
" " " 3	21
" " " 4	32
Josuah Brook	27
Township Angers	33
Metapedia, range 2, River Restigouche	1

GASPE WEST.

River Cap Chat 1	47½
" " 2	45
River Sainte Anne	225
Rivers Marsouis and a la Martre	25
Township Chlorydorme	65
River Grande Vallee des Monts	35

GASPE CENTRE,

Township Douglas	9
Township Malbaie 3	21
" " 4	9¼
" " 5	8½
Township Fortin	71
Upper River Malbaie	50
Township Perce	6

GRANDVILLE.

Township Demers C	1½
Township Viger 2	2⅔

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

No limit will be adjudged at less than the minimum price fixed by the department.

The limits will be adjudged to the highest bidder on payment of the purchase price, in cash or by cheque accepted by a duly incorporated bank. Failing payment, they will be immediately re-offered for sale.

The annual ground rent of three dollars per mile, with fire tax, is also payable immediately.

Those timber limits, when adjudged, will be subject to the provisions of all timber regulations now in force or which may be enacted hereafter.

Plans of limits offered for sale are open for inspection in the Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, in this city, and at the office of the Crown lands and timber agents in the different agencies in which said limits are situated, up to the day of sale.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Opinion concering the lumber outlook is more divided than it has been for some time. The prolonged strikes have greatly restricted building operations and unsettled business in general to some extent. Local dealers are not altogether satisfied with the volume of trade, claiming that orders have fallen off for both local consumption and for export to the Eastern States. An evidence that the market is well in hand, however, is found in the fact that prices have not weakened. This can no doubt be attributed to the large proportion of the season's cut that was contracted for early in the season. Mill men are in the fortunate position of being protected in large measure from declining prices by means of early contracts. Hardwood lumber is equally as firm as pine, and by many it is reported that the buying of it is of a better character. Hemlock remains steady. There is a heavy demand for inch stock, which is selling in some cases fully one dollar higher than 2-inch. Most of the mills are asking about $12 for 10 and 12 inch boards up to 16 feet in length.

Shingles and lath are practically unchanged in price. The demand for hemlock lath is growing. Mill prices are $2.50 for No. 1 and $2 for No. 2.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prospects in lumber circles in the eastern provinces are rather discouraging. The recent drought has been the cause of several forest fires which have destroyed both timber and mills, while the water in the rivers is so low that many logs are likely to be hung up. For this reason the supply of lumber will be greatly reduced and probably inadequate to meet the demand. Scarcity of logs has already resulted in the closing down, temporarily, of several large mills at St. John. Higher prices for timber, therefore, may be anticipated. Many manufacturers have placed their entire cut under contract, and are now compelled to refuse orders. Inquiries for both lumber and shingles are increasing in number. No change is reported in the price of New Brunswick cedar shingles, although the manufacturers who practically control the market are said to be in favor of making an advance.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Building activity in Winnipeg shows no abatement, and throughout the entire North-West there is a good demand for lumber. Importations from the United States are increasing. This is having a slight effect upon prices, especially of shingles. The British Columbia Shingle Manufacturers' Association have decided to curtail the output by closing down the night shift at all the mills, and it is said that some of the mills will voluntarily close down entirely until the present supply is reduced. Orders for British Columbia lumber continue in fair volume and large shipments are being made to the east.

UNITED STATES.

Floods throughout the South-Western States have resulted in much damage to property and blighted lumber prospects. In the east the labor situation has not improved materially, although rumors have been current for some time that an early settlement of the New York building trades strike would be brought about. The lumber market is quiet, principally due to the conditions named above. One or two grades are said to be slightly weaker in price, but firmness characterizes the general market. There has been heavy buying of box lumber. In the Lake Superior district No. 4 and 5 boards are selling readily at $11.25 and $6 to $6.25 per thousand, with the demand in excess of the supply. Norway lumber is in the same position. It is claimed that the supply will not be sufficient to meet the requirements. Hemlock continues to show unusual strength. At Buffalo it is selling at $16 to $18, and in New Jersey State the price has been advanced to $17 to correspond with the New York quotation.

The hardwood trade continues in excellent condition and seems to have been little affected by labor troubles. Prices are very strong, and stocks are not accumulating to any extent. It is believed that there will be a very small supply with which to meet the fall and winter demand.

Shingle prices have been unsettled by the continued weakness of red cedars. These are selling thirty cents lower than at the corresponding time last year. It is unreasonable to expect that other grades will more than hold their own so long as red cedar prices continue demoralized.

GREAT BRITAIN.

An improved tone is manifest in the British timber market. The consumption is about equal to that of last year, and if the import should be light, as is now predicted, a further improvement would seem to be in order. The strike in the shipbuilding trade at Belfast has been averted for the present. Importers are adding to their stocks whenever they can obtain even a slight concession in price, and a few are even acceding to the demands of shippers. The latter are not likely, in view of the lessened production, to reduce their asking prices. The first cargoes of Canadian pine deals have arrived at Liverpool and London, largely on contract. There has been no change in the position of spruce deals. The report from Belfast that prices are somewhat lower is not confirmed by information from other points. Elm timber is showing strength. A quantity from Quebec, 28 to 39 feet in length and from 12 to 21 inches in diameter, recently brought £5 15s per load of 50 cubic feet. Ash timber, on the other hand, is very dull and almost a drug on the market, the price obtained at recent public sales being 65s per load.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The tug "Pilot" has been chartered to tow to Vancouver, B. C., 10,000,000 feet of logs, the property of W. H. Higgins.

No. 1 white pine lath is quoted at $3.50 for delivery at Chicago by water, No. 1 mixed at $3 to $3.50, and No. 2 at $2.75.

The Grand Valley Seignory, comprising 54 miles of timber limits, situated in the Lake St. John district of Quebec, is reported to have been purchased by a syndicate for $100,000.

The steamer Pandosia is loading deals at Miramichi, N. B., for the United Kingdom. The steamer Pydna is loading at Hopewell Cape, N. B., for Dublin. The steamer Holmlea sailed from Montreal last week for Hull, England, with a cargo of deals.

Two timber berths were sold at the Crown Lands office, Fredericton, N. B., last week as follows: Three square miles on Emognops River, to Thomas W. Flett, at $151 per mile; two square miles on Bartholemew's river, to W. T. Whitehead, at $30 per mile.

Tenders are invited by the Department of Interior at Ottawa up to July 8th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1071, comprising 20 square miles, in the district of Saskatchewan, also for Berth No. 1072, comprising fifteen square miles, in the same district.

Dickie & McGrath, of Tusket, N. S., are now loading with lumber the barque Leviathan, 1,006 tons. The barque Dristig is due to load for Lannelly, Wales; the barque Patriarch, 1,221 tons, for Buenos Ayres; the Ciampa Emilia, for Bristol Channel, while several others are due to load later.

Under date of May 23rd Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes lumber market: "There have been no arrivals since the spruce by "Ich Dien" reported in our last. This vessel had about 40,000 feet of second quality spruce, which we sold at $16.66. There is a fair supply and no inquiry. In white pine a cargo with full proportions of second quality would, we think, meet fair prices. There have been received a small lot of Spruce Laying shingles, which were placed at $2.21."

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From Montreal : Str. Bengore Head, for Dublin, sailed May 26th, 583 bales pulp board, by Laurentide Pulp Co.;7,001 pieces deals, by McLaurin Bros.;737 pieces deals, by W. & J. Sharples ; 7,696 pieces deals and boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 50 pieces timber, by McArthur Export Co. Str. Mount Royal, for London, sailed May 23rd, 5,737 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 4,050 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd ; 100 logs, by McLaurin Bros. Str. Roman, for Antwerp, sailed May 27th, 806 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Kastalia, for Glasgow, sailed May 27th, 1,304 pieces deals and boards by E. H. Lemay ; 9,343 pieces deals and boards by J. Burstall & Co.; 40 pieces timber, 1,449 pieces deals, by G. T. R.; 476 pieces oak lumber by C. P. R. Str. Manchester City, for Manchester, sailed May 30th, 5768 pieces deals, 100 pieces ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1,465 pieces boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 176 pieces square birch, by McLaurin Bros. Str. Monteagle, for Bristol, sailed May 28th, 69 logs, by W. & J. Sharples ; 74 pieces timber, by McArthur Export Co.; 15,351 pieces timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 3,016 pieces timber, by Montreal Lumber Co. Str. Mount Temple, for Liverpool, sailed May 29th, 2,944 pieces deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 4,944 pieces deals, by E. H. Lemay ; 10,114 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 16 pieces deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 5,094 pieces deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 556 rolls wood boards, 5,566 pieces lumber, 8,972 pieces lumber, by C. P. R. Str. Michigan, for London, sailed May 29th, 714 pieces deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Sicilian, for Glasgow, sailed May 22, 9,720 pieces deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 3,745 pieces deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 1,454 pieces boards, 4,911 pieces deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Hampstead, for London, sailed June 1st, 110,260 pieces deals, boards and ends, by Cox, Long & Co. Str. Toronto, for Rotterdam, sailed May 26th, 8,638 pieces pine boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Parisian, for Liverpool, sailed May 28th, 335 pieces birch timber, 9,100 pieces deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Norman, for Newport, sailed May 28th, 40,311 pieces deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples ; 5,854 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd ; 2,548 pieces deals and boards, by J. Burstall & Co.

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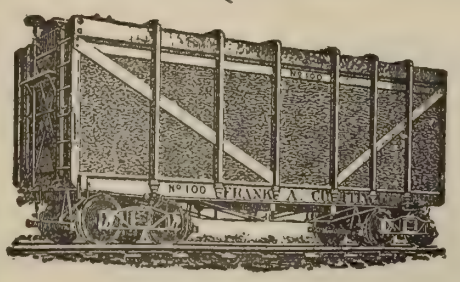

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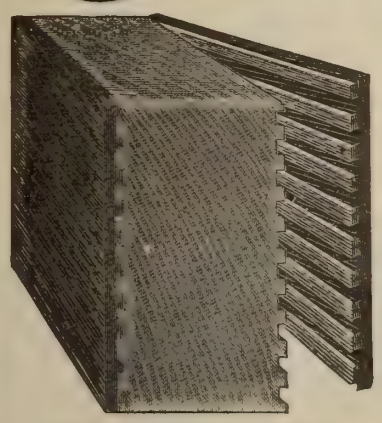

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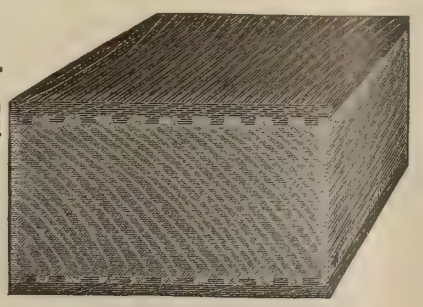

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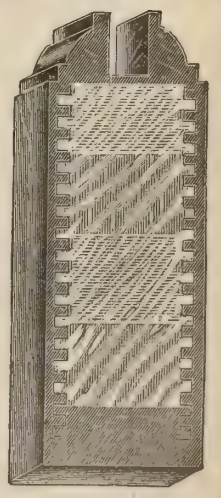

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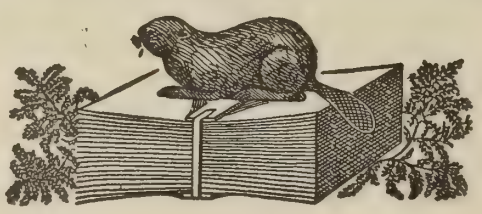

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Hill & Co., Wm. E., Kalamazoo, Mich.
Hayes Machine Co., E. B., Oshkosh, Wis.
Kennedy & Sons, Wm., Owen Sound, Ont.
Knight Mfg. Company, Canton, Ohio.
Lloyd Manufacturing Co., Kentville, N. S.
Laurie Engine Co., Montreal.
Manistee Iron Works, Manistee Mich
Madison Williams, Port Perry, Ont.
Mowry & Sons, B.R., Gravenhurst, Ont.
Nash, Sander Co., J. M., Milwaukee, Wis.
Owen Sound Iron Works Co., Owen Sound Ont.
P. Payette & Co., Penetanguishene, Ont
Perkins & Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.
Petrie, H. W., Toronto, Ont.
Perrin & Co., W. R., Toronto, Ont.
Robb Engineering Co., Amherst, N. S.
Rodgers Iron Mfg. Co., Muskegon, Mich.
Sherman Co., W. S., Milwaukee, Wis.
Stuart-Arbuthnot Machinery Co., Winnipeg.
Sleeper Engine Co., Montreal.
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The Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., Peterboro', Ont.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.

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Commercial Oil Co., Hamilton, Ont.
Queen City Oil Co., Toronto.

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Reeves Pulley Co., Toronto.

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The Jenckes Machine Co., Sherbrooke, Que.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.

PAPER AND PULP MILL ENGINEERS

Vogel, Chas. H., Ottawa.

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Shurly & Dietrich, Galt, Ont.
Hoe & Co., R., New York.
The James Robertson Co., Montreal, Que.
The Ottawa Saw Co., Ottawa, Ont.
Buckeye Saw Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ohio.
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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50	17 50
2x10 common	18 50	19 00
2x12 common	20 00	21 00
3x10 common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	20	21 00
1x10 and 12 common.	20 00	22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00	15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in. box	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
XXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..		2 56
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in...		2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
A : M. R., 1 to 2..	18 00	20 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in. ..	19 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2..	21 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¾ in	25 00	26 00
1½ to 2	24 00	27 00
" m. r. 1 " 1¼	20 00	22 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3..	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2..	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds.. 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry 1sts and 2nds.. 2 " 4..	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	17 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3..	18 00	20 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3.. 24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds.. 1½"	2.. 32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 1 1½	19 00	21 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4.. 20 00	22 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4.. 34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4.. 35 00	38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2.. 60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds.. 1 "	3.. 85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2.. 34 00	33 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in..	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in..	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet,		
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 00	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00	
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00	
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
17 " "	24	28
18 " "	27	29
	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 40	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up .. 19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better 28 30
Selects, 2¼ in up	75	77	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 35 30
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	1x10 24 25
No. 2	32	45	1x8 22 24
No. 3	25	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 20
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 40
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 20
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	Common 23
1x10 inch shippers	21	2	

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 2

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00		
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
2 in	62 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
4 in	75 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1 x 6 & up.	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x10	18 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	1x13 and up	20 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
1½ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	2 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	11 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

WANTED—SOFT MAPLE, 2, 3 and 4" COMMON and better, or firsts and seconds. Box 90, care of CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—ONTARIO CEDAR SHINGLES XXX, XX, X; White Pine Shingles XXX, XX, X; Cedar Squares. Address Box 37, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

HARDWOOD LUMBER WANTED

3-inch Common and Better Soft Elm.
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Also all grades Ash, Basswood, Birch and Elm. Send us list of any hardwood lumber you have for sale.

BRIGGS & COOPER CO., LIMITED,
Saginaw, Mich.

FOR SALE.

One 20" x 24" Waterous engine, 8 ft. driving wheel, 26" face. 11 ft. x 4 ft. Stillwell & Bierce Heater, feed pipe and connections to heater complete.
One 10" x 18" Engine.
One 3-k.w. 2,500 Standard Dynamo and Voltmeter, wiring and 50 lamps (complete.)
One pair twin engines, 10x16.
One No.2 Carriage and Saw Frame, 78 ft. track, and two 60" Saws.
One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrils and saws.
Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.
One 14' x 60" Boiler; one top saw slash table.
About one mile of telephone wire, and two 'phones. For particulars, apply to BOOTH & GORDON, Azilda, Ont.

WANTED—TWIN ENGINE FEED FOR carriage; state make, size of cylinder, condition, when could ship. B.F. WARD, Brantford.

FOR SALE

VENEERS—SINGLE PLY OR GLUED UP stock. INTERNATIONAL LUMBER CO., LIMITED, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada.

FOR SALE

WE CAN SUPPLY FOR PROMPT SHIPMENT 75,000 feet Rock Elm timbers from 12 to 34 feet long, cut to order. For particulars, etc., write to KEENAN BROS., Owen Sound.

WANTED — TO BUY (STUMPAGE) ON Georgian Bay within five miles of Railroad or Lake, five million Hemlock and one to two million Pine, Spruce, Cedar, etc. Box B, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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WANTED—A QUANTITY OF HICKORY Pieces, mostly small sizes. Particulars of Scantling will be furnished on application. Apply Box 8, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED.

IN CAR LOTS, INCH CULL LUMBER either Hardwood or Pine, cut to 22 inches long. State quantity and price. Also Basswood Lumber, inch, millrun. Box T, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—WE ARE ALWAYS OPEN TO contract for all kinds of hardwood lumber. Please state price F. O. B. your nearest station, quantity and quality of the different kinds you will have to sell during 1903. We also require a large amount of Dimension stuff, particulars of which will be furnished, on application, by the KNECHTEL FURNITURE CO., of Hanover, Ont.

FOREMAN WANTED

EXPERIENCED FOREMAN FOR A PLANing mill, capable of overseeing the work and keeping in order two matcher machines and a circular resaw. Salary to a capable, sober man, $3 per day. Address, stating fully experience, etc., "Foreman," office of CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Canada.

For Sale
Tramway Outfit

ABOUT FIVE MILES LIGHT RAILS-1 SHAY Locomotive, logging cars, etc. For particulars, apply JOHN J. GARTSHORE, 83 Front street west, Toronto.

FOR SALE
LARGE SPRUCE PROPERTY.

A large New Brunswick Spruce Lumber property comprising about 100,000 acres, with mills, dams, store, church, boarding house and 15 dwellings; the owner completely controls the harbor. Mills capable of manufacturing about 10,000,000 feet per annum. The lumber when manufactured is delivered alongside of vessel without any handling or expense. The stock of logs this year are delivered by contract into mill pond for $3.75 per thousand superficial feet and can be delivered, manufactured, on board vessel for $4.75 per thousand feet. The owner is advanced in years and has never before offered this property for sale. Will not give any bond on property, but will give sufficient time for thorough examination. His operations for past years have been to do a small business merely to keep up the property. It will produce from 8,000,000 to 9,000,000 feet per annum, which would be about the natural growth. No trees are cut under 11 inches in diameter at top of tree. It is a dense Spruce forest. Freight to New York, vessel $2.75 per thousand, also easy of access to all European markets. The purchaser can make his own terms of payment with owner. Property is free from incumbrances. For further particulars address Box 466, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—DOUBLE CLAPBOARD PLANER and joiner, built by Lane Manfg. Co., in first class order, a bargain for quick turn-over. Address: MACHINERY EXCHANGE, 22-24 Victoria Square, Montreal, Quebec.

WANTED—AN 8" SECOND-HAND MOULDer. Either a 3 or 4 side machine would do. Feed rolls must be power driven in bed and machine be in good order. Address W. S. F., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

IN VIRGINIA, LARGE TIMBER LIMITS— virgin growth, and water powers — good streams for driving—easy of access. Apply to H. M. SIMPSON, 415 Merchants Bank Building, 205 St. James street, Montreal.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, TEN CARLOADS of common and better 4/4 Black Ash, and two carloads of common and better 8/4 Black Ash. Cash will be paid for the same either at point of shipment or delivered at our factory at Hanover, less 2%. For particulars apply to the KNECHTEL FURNITURE COMPANY, Hanover.

MAPLE WANTED.

WE WILL BUY 1½" AND 2" COMMON AND Better Hard Maple in any quantity. Write us. GOLD MEDAL FURNITURE M'F'G. CO., Limited, Toronto.

Logs For Sale

5,000 GOOD LOGS, MOSTLY WHITE PINE 16 feet long, now running into the mouth of Spanish River at Georgian Bay. Also Limit for sale with or without saw mill. Limit and saw mill located on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier, Ont.

FOR SALE.

200 M FT. OF SOUTHERN LONG LEAF YELlow Pine 10" x 10" to 14" x 14" and up, average length 28 ft.; a small lot of 14" x 14", 55' to 60' long, all sawn square, also about 100 M ft. 3" good grade common birch suitable to cut into flooring and furniture stock. No fair offer refused. Address Box 630, Sorel, Que.

Patent For Sale.

BAND SAW CLAPBOARD MACHINE, THE only one in the world. Carriage has automatic setting device, only 8" stroke, with turn table. Block stands vertical and cuts all clapboards radially. Will take blocks any diameter 14" to 32 x 48" long. All clapboards cut desired thickness regardless diameter block. Will cut five times faster then any circular machine. 25 per cent. saved in saw kerf. A sound block 48" long x 32" diameter will cut out $10 worth of clapboards. Large demand in New England States. Prices $45 per M pieces. Will sell entire right for Dominion. Drawings and specifications on application. A. J. BURTON, Parry Sound, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Lumber salesmen returning from business trips have as a rule no complaint to make regarding the conidition of trade. While in Toronto business is quiet, the result of labor troubles, outside dealers are buying very liberally, the spring consumption having reduced their stocks to the point where replenishment is necessary. Buffalo dealers have been quite heavy buyers of box lumber of late. Twelve-inch dressing is also in demand for that market. Inquiries, however, are by no means confinded to these grades, but pretty well cover the entire list. Sales of 6/4 No.2 cuts have been made recently at $44 at the mill. Hemlock shows more strength than any other lumber. One dealer in a large way stated to the writer that he did not think he could fill an order for 150,000 feet of dry hemlock, so reduced had his stock become. This is not an exceptional case. Dry hemlock is practically out of the market and very little of the new cut will be in shipping condition for some time yet. In the meantime those fortunate enough to have any dry hemlock for sale can fix their own selling price. Shingles are barely steady. The cheaper kinds are finding favor in the country districts.

A scarcity of cooperage stock, especially staves and heading, is very generally reported. It is almost impossible to buy No. 1 staves at any price, as is evidenced by the fact that a quantity of No. 1 30-inch elm staves is said to have been sold in New York recently at $11.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The prolonged strike of employees of the sash and door manufacturers has somewhat unsettled the lumber trade in Montreal, but it is expected that the mills will be running as usual very shortly. The demand for building lumber is fairly good, while clapboards continue to be eagerly inquired for for shipment to the Eastern States. Anxiety over the New Brunswick log supply is quite intense. Although recent rains have relieved the situation somewhat, there is still great danger of a large quantity of logs being hung up. It is estimated that of the total cut of 110,000,000 feet on the St. John River, not more than one-half will reach the mills unless the water in the river should rise rapidly during the next few weeks. One operator on the Restigouche river has already abandoned his drive of 8,000,000 feet, representing the operations of two seasons. Present indications, therefore, point to a shortage in the spruce supply, with the inevitable result of higher prices. With the settlement of the labor disturbances in New York a heavy demand is expected from that quarter. Cedar shingles are firmly established at the base price of $3.50 for extras, Boston delivery.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

There is sufficient business to keep all the saw mills busy, but the shingle market has become overstocked. The British Columbia manufacturers have therefore decided to close down all the mills for an indefinite period. The farmers in the Northwest are too busy to undertake building operations, but may be depended upon to require a large quantity of lumber after the crops are harvested.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber outlook of the United States has improved during the past week to the extent that prospects have brightened for an early resumption of work by the building trades of New York. This has been a great barrier to lumber consumption all season, and when business again resumes its normal condition the effect upon the lumber trade should be telling. While admitting a slight falling off in orders, the volume of business has been of very fair proportions. Saginaw dealers report a slow movement of the upper grades of white pine but more activity in the lower grades. Dimension and box lumber are very strong, the demand for dry stock being in excess of the supply. Lower prices on these grades cannot be looked for this season. Hemlock lumber is exhibiting greater strength. An advance of 50 cents is expected at any time at Tonawanda, while last week the Northwestern Hemlock Association adopted a new list on Wisconsin hemlock making an advance of 50 cents on No. 2 piece stuff and a slight advance on ship-lap. The supply of hardwood lumber has become greater, although as yet not sufficient to enable the mills to accumulate any stock. The high prices for oak will no doubt stimulate production this season, and it would not be surprising if that lumber should weaken towards the fall. Other lumbers which have not advanced in the same proportions are very likely to remain firm. A better supply of basswood at Buffalo is reported. In that market it sells readily at $40 for inch of best quality.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Advices from Great Britain indicate that the prospective buyer of lumber is more inclined to give due consideration to the possibility of a shortage in the Canadian supply. There is less disposition to defer the closing of contracts in the hope of being able to purchase at lower prices. The market is holding its own and would probably strengthen if a better demand for building lumber should develop. The statistics of stocks on hand at the leading ports show an improved position over that of last year. The stock of pine and spruce deals is slightly smaller. At Liverpool the supply of waney and square pine is only 73,000 cubic feet, which is an unusually small quantity.

Pine deals are in good demand, particularly first and second qualities. Cargoes of spruce deals have been placed at £7 10s c.i.f. for specifications containing 60 to 70 per cent. of 7 and 8 inch. First class waney pine is wanted and may command a higher figure than has yet been obtained. Oak is also much inquired for. Elm has improved of late, the buying evidently being by persons who have held off but are now of the opinion that the anticipated weakness is not likely to develop. While market opinions do not agree in every particular, the majority of importers believe that the market wil be firm until the fall at least.

The steamer Atbara sailed from Three Rivers, Que., last week for Glasgow, Scotland, with a cargo of deals.

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

New Brunswick shingles are in fair demand and prices are steady. Apparently the manufacturers have decided that there is only a fair margin in shingles at $3.50 basis and purpose accepting no business at lower prices. This fact in itself is a strong indication that prices will be firmly maintained during the remainder of the year.

For many years past the consumption of shingles has equalled the production, and while stocks have accumulated every year during the hot weather, say from July 15 to September 15, yet Christmas has invariably found the mill yards generally bare. Those manufacturers who were wise enough to hold their production during the heated term have generally gotten fancy prices late in the fall, after the bulk of the shingles had been moved. This object lesson has been taken to heart, and the great majority of shingle producers have acquired more nerve and do not now hasten to cut prices and thereby demoralize the market the moment they get on hand a few cars of shingles for which they have no orders. Again, the manufacturers now generally make prices on their production themselves instead of allowing some commission house to make figures for them. This makes it impossible for the commission men to cut prices to effect large sales at the cost of the manufacturer, and in itself tends to maintain prices.

For the last two months the wholesale and retail trade have been expecting N.B. shingles to weaken in price in sympathy with red cedar shingles. Retailers have refrained from buying because they figured on lower prices later. The lower prices have not materialized, and retail stocks have run down to a point where they must buy soon or be out of shingles. The labor troubles are being settled; the outlook is better for house construction; the drought is broken and the country yards are taking fresh courage.

At the manufacturing end of the line a considerable quantity of logs has been hung up and there is now a certainty that the 1903 production will be less, if anything, than the quantity produced in 1902. Absolutely the only unfavorable factor in the outlook is the low price of Pacific Coast red cedars. As this has not been able to affect prices of N.B. cedars during the last two months, there is reason to suppose that it will be unable to do so the remainder of the season, and that manufacturers of N.B. cedars may look for a steady market for some time to come and probably somewhat higher prices after October. We may further say that all low grades—clears and poorer—are in excellent demand, and that stock is well cleaned up at full prices. Prices quoted f.o.b. Boston points for standard brands are: Extras, $3.50; clears, $3.00; 2nd clears, $2.35 to $2.40; clear whites, $2.25 to $2.30; extra No. 1, $1.65 to $1.75. As usual some small mills are selling 5 to 10 cents off the list.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

A second boom of logs, comprising 3,000,000 feet, has arrived at the Burtis mill at Thessalon, Ont.

The schooner F.M. Knapp cleared last week from Thessalon, Ont., for Cleveland, with 415,000 feet of pine lumber.

A report from the Saginaw valley says that shingles are sluggish and 15 cents per thousand lower than two months ago. The red shingle situation is a little brighter.

The first raft of the season was taken over the Chaudiere slides at Ottawa last week. It contained 120 cribs of square timber belonging to Gillies Bros., of Braeside, and was en route to Quebec.

The tugs Harrison and Maitland reached Owen Sound, Ont., last week with a raft of 1,300,000 feet of hemlock, cedar and pine, from Meldrum Bay. The timber will be sawn at Maitland, Rixon & Company's mill.

The barque Argentina is loading lumber at Bear River, N.S., for Buenos Ayres. The barque Grenada is loading lumber at same port for Buenos Ayers, Clarke Bros. being the shippers. The schooner Margaret Rieley is loading at Annapolis, N.S., for West Indies.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Sorel, Que.: Str. Nordboen, for London, England, 676 hundred standards pine deals, value $29,320, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co. Str. Bangor Head, for Dublin, 89 hundred standards spruce deals, value $2,761, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co.

From Annapolis, N. S.: Barque James Daley, for Cuba, cargo lumber.

From Bear River, N. S.: Schr. Leah A. Whidden, for Cienfugos, cargo lumber.

From Hopewell Cape, N. B.: Barque Avoca, for Liverpool, England, 1,378,523 ft. birch and spruce deals, value $16,068, by J. Nelson Smith. Str. Tanagra, for Manchester, Eng., 3,144,580 ft. spruce deals, ends and scantling, value $36,191, by W. Malcolm Mackay.

From Yarmouth, N. S.: Barque Antigua, for Buenos Ayres, 454,000 ft. lumber, value $6,155, 211,000 ft. scantling, value $3,164, by Dickie & McGrath, of Tusket. Barque Hillside, for Buenos Ayres, 308,000 ft. lumber, value $4,618, 224,000 ft. scantling, value $3,241, by Dickie & McGrath. Barque Lakeside, for Buenos Ayres, 902,000 ft. lumber, value $13,083, by Parker, Eakins & Co.

From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Ocamo, for Trinidad, 50,874 ft. spruce lumber, value $950. Str. Carthaginian, for Glasgow, 105,550 ft. hemlock deals, value $854. Schr. Regina B., for St. Pierre, 59,817 ft. spruce boards, value $626. Schr. Carrie E., for St. Pierre, 54,943 ft. spruce lumber, value $575, 11,000 laths, value $25.

From St. John, N. B.: Schr. Flash, for Quency, 1,100,000 cedar shingles, by Charles Miller. Schr. Ravola, for Fall River, 945,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Alice Maud, for Vineyard Haven, 147,466 ft. spruce deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Lyra, for Boston, 97,221 ft. plank, 30,337 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Ayr, for Vineyard Haven, 81,980 ft. scantling, 222,000 laths, 4,283 ft. plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Corinto, for Boston, 130,000 ft. boards, by Murray & Gregory. Schr. Maggie Miller, for Bridgeport, 600,800 ft. lath, by Dunn Bros. Schr. Tay, for Bridgeport, 106,075 ft. plank, 64,390 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Rewa, for New York, 47,893 ft. pine plank, 45,000 ft. spruce plank, 56,597 ft. scantling, 51,271 ft. boards, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Quetay, for City Island, 164,871 ft. boards and plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Str. Mara Kolb, for Brow Head, England, 1,981,760 ft. deals and battens, 46,512 ft. scantling, 100,421 ft. ends, 194, 425 ft. boards, 171 tons birch timber, by A. Gibson Railway & Mfg. Co. Schr. Rossa Mueller, for Philadelphia, 1,464,000 laths, by Thomas Bell. Str. Orinoco, 31 bundles matched boards for Bermuda, 100 bundles shingles for Antigau, 400 bundles shingles for Barbadoes, by J. Willard Smith. Str. Luectra, for Barrow, England, 2,672,549 ft. deals, 171,717 ft. scantling, 65,213 ft. ends, 36,701 ft. boards, by W.M. Mackay. Str. Bergenhus, for Brow Head, England, 282,583 ft. deals, 238,524 ft. scantling, 194,525 ft. ends, 33,233 ft. birch plank, 4,329 ft. birch ends, by W. M. Mackay. Schr. Lena Maud, for Salem, 127,616 ft. boards, 3,607 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Ida May, for Providence, 70,177 ft. plank, 93,056 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co.

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OUTLOOK FOR THE DRIVES.

The outlook for the log drives in New Brunswick has improved slightly during the past week. Some rain has fallen, but it is yet extremely doubtful whether the rivers will rise sufficiently to bring out the logs that are hung up. The situation in Maine is equally uncertain. Upwards of 175,000,000 feet of logs were cut last winter on the Penobscot river, but as yet none of these have reached the boom.

John McAllister, operating for Cushing & Company, is hung up at Allegash Falls with 3,000,000 feet, and Mr. Sweenore, operating for W. H. Murray, has 5,000,000 feet huug up. R. Aitken is reported to be meeting with much difficulty on the Aroostook river, with the prospect that both the cut of this and last season, reaching about 7,000,000 feet, will be hung up.

The situation on other rivers is not so serious as on the St. John. The drives on the Restigouche are all out and the cuts this year at Campbellton and Dalhousie will be fully up to the average and will include a large quantity of cedar.

The drives on the Miramichi river are moving along fairly well. The cut on this river last winter was as follows:

	Feet.
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Grey elm and basswood are the two Michigan woods that have shown the greatest accretion in value during the last year. The demand is stiff at an advance of fully $5 over one year ago. It goes without saying that the stock in first hands is very light.

Birch has followed the trend of maple values and is about $2 higher than a year ago. There seems to be a fair stock of birch in sight, but the demand is good.

Black ash has become so limited in supply that it cuts comparatively little figure among the other hardwoods of the state at present. The substitution of other woods is taking place and probably it will never again cut much of a figure as a standard product of Michigan.

Beech has also followed the fortunes of the maple and birch to the extent that it is in very reasonable demand at values from $2 to $3 higher than it was a year ago. On the whole Michigan hardwood conditions are in most excellent shape and the future for these standard woods looks very bright.

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An active demand is noted for hardwood lumber for finishings. White wood is holding firm ; other grades very firm : Quartered oak, $75 to $83 ; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30 ; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged : Extra, $45 ; clear, $43 ; second clear, $40 ; extra No. 1, $30.

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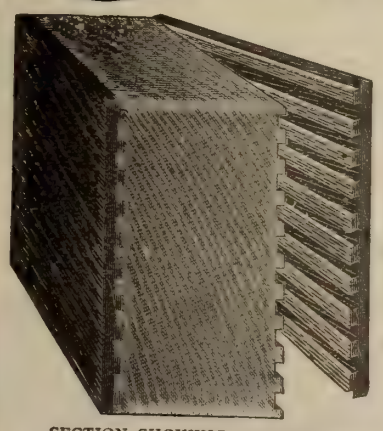

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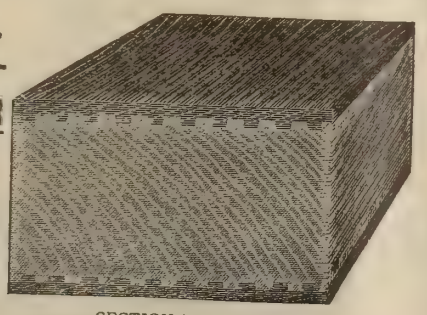

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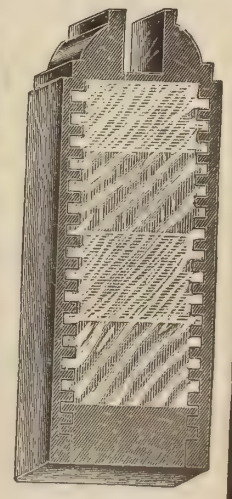

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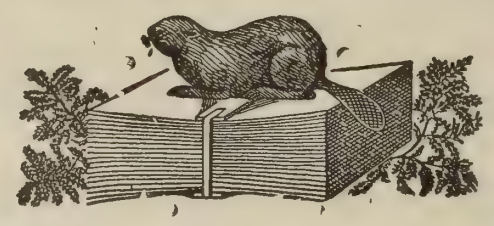

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Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet,		25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 00	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
n shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch average	17	22
16 " "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 4	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	83	85	
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	60	65	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	56	
No. 2	32	45	
No. 3	25	30	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	
Stained saps	30	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	
1x10 inch shippers	21	2	
1x12 inch shippers	$24	25	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19	
10-in. dressing and better	28	30	
10-in. common		20	
12-in. dressing and better	35	30	
Common, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	24	2	
1x8	22	24	
No. 2 barn, 1x12		27	
1x10		23	
1x8		20	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	40	
" " 2 inch		45	
Dressing	26	20	
Common		23	

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 2

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 53	
Hemlock		2 23	
Spruce		2 25	

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x 10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, bard	20 00	2 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Commonand culls	9 00	11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Unfavorable weather conditions are responsible for a decrease in the volume of the lumber trade during the past week. The demand continues steady, however, and country trade is picking up to some extent. Retailers who have been holding off in the hope of buying at lower figures are apparently being compelled by necessity to replenish their stocks. Low grade pine is in better demand than the upper grades, the price of which has reached a point which is regarded by many as prohibitive to their use. In Toronto trade is unsatisfactory owing to the light demand for building lumber. Dealers have deserted this market and are giving their attention to outside customers. Buying of stock by Michigan concerns is still in evidence. A Saginaw firm lately added 15,000,000 feet of pine to their holdings of Georgian Bay stock. Prices in most instances are well maintained, and the future does not seem to offer much encouragement to the prospective buyer who hopes to obtain any marked concession from present prices. While the midsummer quietness may develop, and with it a slight weakness in exceptional cases, the lumber list as a whole is not likely to weaken, while if there should be an active fall demand, a strengthening of values might result. Hardwood lumber is being bought heavily by manufacturing concerns.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Large shipments of lumber have been made from Montreal during the past week, the stock consisting chiefly of pine and spruce deals. The market is firm. It is understood that dealers have recently taken up options on considerable stock, as there appears to be a feeling that a shortage in the supply may result. Spruce prices are showing a tendency to advance. Several manufacturers in Nova Scotia are shipping largely to the South American market. The cedar shingle situation seems to be a little uncertain. Some firms are offering extras freely at $3.45, Boston delivery, while others are holding out for $3.50. Clears range from $2.90 to $3.00.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A slight falling off in the demand for lumber is reported by the manufacturers who supply the western trade. This is due in part to the temporary cessation of building operations in Winnipeg as the result of a dispute between the contractors and the brick-makers. The building season in that city is further advanced than in any previous year. This has brought about a shortage in the brick supply. The contractors claim, however, that a recently-formed syndicate is manipulating the market for the purpose of shutting out certain contractors and legal proceedings have been resorted to with a view to enforcing deliveries. It is expected that an early settlement will be reached, when work will be proceeded with as usual. The demand for British Columbia lumber is steady. In addition to shipments eastward, the local consumption is quite large. A warehouse about to be commenced in Vancouver will call for 1,000,000 feet of lumber. The Brunette saw mills at New Westminister were compelled to shut down for a time on account of high water.

UNITED STATES.

With the immediate lumber demand in the United States there is very little complaint. Buyers have been more numerous of late in the Lake Superior district, and manufacturers have been unable to accumulate any supply of dry stock. Practically all the lumber now in the yards is sold. The settlement of the labor troubles in New York was short-lived, hostilities having again broke out and work being tied up more completely than ever. The loss of this market is felt quite keenly by dealers at Albany, Buffalo and Tonawanda, but when building in that city resumes its normal conditition there should be a very active demand for lumber. High grade pine is exhibiting less firmness than the lower grades, for which there is a very active enquiry. Orders for bill stuff are so numerous that the mills are unable to meet the demand. There is also a pronounced scarcity of box lumber. Box concerns have sent representatives into the sawmilling districts in the hope of buying direct, but have not been very successful,

the mills having little stock for sale. Mill culls sell readily.

Hardwood lumber of all kinds is very strong. Maple appears to have taken the lead in place of basswood, although the latter is still in excellent demand. Dealers are buying liberally in advance of requirements, many of them having already contracted for their year's supply. The new cut is now coming on the market, but there are no indications of lower prices.

A renewed demand for 18 inch shingles is reported from Buffalo. Red cedar shingles are the weakest feature.

The future of the lumber market seems uncertain. It will depend largely upon crop conditions, which at the moment are favorable for wheat, but not as good as might be desired for corn. Should the crop harvested be equal to or above the average, it will go a long way towards sustaining the lumber market. Salesmen who have canvassed the eastern trade report that it has been difficult to book orders for delivery later than August.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Persons who have held the opinion that the lumber trade of Great Britain is likely to decline in the near future are pointing with some degree of satisfaction to the possibility of a general election as the result of the Hon. Mr. Chamberlain's new policy. They argue that the situation offers little encouragement to buyers and that prices are likely to weaken before the close of the year, even if such a result is not experienced immediately. There is a great diversity of opinion, and it will be necessary for the public to show greater confidence before any activity will be witnessed. Consumption is only moderate. Reports concerning Canadian lumber are of an encouraging character. The high prices recently quoted are being maintained. Large quantities of whitewood are being shipped from Southern Europe to London, much of it on consignment. This has resulted in a slightly easier market for Canadian spruce in stock, but c. i. f. prices have not been affected. Agents of shippers have refused to entertain lower offers, as they believe that the probability of a shortage in the supply justifies the prices at which stock is now being held. It is even stated that many contracts for future delivery have been declared void owing to the large number of logs that are hung up. Large quantities of stock from Quebec are going direct into consumption The freight market is favorable to business, the rates quoted being exceptionally low.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Fruen is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Fenchurch is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

The steamer Norden is about to load deals at Riviere du Loup, Que., for Cork, Ireland.

The steamer Russ is loading a cargo of deals at Pugwash, N. S., for Great Britain.

The steamer Trold is loading a cargo of deals and boards at St. Thomas, Que., for London.

Lath prices in Chicago are $3.50 for No. 1 white pine, $3 to $3.15 for No. 1 mixed, and $2.75 for No. 2.

M. L. Tucker, of Parrsboro, N. S., estimates that the deal shipments from West Bay this season will be 30,000,000 feet.

The schooner Onora arrived at Halifax, N. S., last week from Norfolk, with 70,000 feet of creosoted piling for the breakwater at Herring Cove.

The barque St. Croix is loading lumber at Annapolis, N. S., for South America, and the barque Grenada is loading at Bear River for a southern port.

There is a large demand throughout Michigan for cedar posts, ties, and telegraph and telephone poles, which is curtailing the supply of shingle timber.

The Hanbury Manufacturing Company, of Brandon, Man., last week received a drive of 5,000,000 feet of logs, which were floated down the Assiniboine river.

W. H. Murray, of St. John, N. B., has purchased from W. J. Scott, of Springfield, 1,000,000 feet of spruce logs which were cut along the Keswick river last winter. It is understood that the price paid was in the vicinity of $12 per thousand feet.

The New Brunswick Government will offer for sale at Fredericton, on July 2nd, three square miles of timber limits north of the New Canaan River, above mouth of North Forks, the applicant for which is H. B. Hetherington.

The S. P. Benjamin Company, of Wolfville, N. S., have so far this year loaded six vessels with lumber and expect to have between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000 feet more to ship. Their loading place for small vessels is Hantsport, but the large-sized vessels and steamers load further down the river.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to 16th June, as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers :—

	1901	1902	1903
Waney White Pine .	270,570	1,013,287	556,880
White Pine.....	58,118	140,120	80,360
Red Pine..... ..	261	11,337	40
Oak	144 928	106,126	201,160
Elm.....	258,158	323,283	199,760
Ash	70,370	33,159	34,040
Basswood	332	.....	.....
Butternut.....	462	.....	.....
Tamarac.....	22	.....	.....
Birch and Maple.....	283,327	83,898	114,000

H. Newsom, Sons & Company and Harry Smith & Company held an auction sale of lumber at Hull, England, on June 11th. Prices realized were as follows: 3rds Quebec spruce, 3 by 7, £7 5s ; 3 by 8 £7 10s ; 3 by 9, £8 10s: 3 by 10, £8 5s; 3 by 11, £8 15s to £9 5s; 2nds ditto, 3 by 7, £7 10s to £7 15s; 3 by 10, £8 15s; u/s ditto, 3 by 11, £8 15s; 12 to 13, £8 to £8 5s ; 3 by 10 and 11, £9; 3 by 8, £7 10s; 3 by 7, £7 10s. Red pine A, 3 by 8, £8 15s; u/s Quebec red pine, 3 by 7, £9 to £9 5s ; 4 by 9, £9 15s to £10. 3rds Quebec yellow pine, 3 by 11, £12. Quebec best pine sidings, 1¼ by 7 to 14, £17.

Under date of June 6th Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes lumber market: "The arrivals have been the "Francis A. Rice," from Church Point, with 134,000 feet of spruce; "E. Alexandra," from Kingsport, with 49,000 feet white pine, 22,000 feet spruce and 126,000 feet hemlock; and the "Gold Seeker" on 3rd inst. with 173,000 feet white pine, 22,000 feet spruce and 13,000 feet of hemlock. The cargo of the first vessel was sold at $18.50 for shipping and $15.50 for second quality; the cargo of the Alexandra brought $27.10 for shipping and $21.10 for second quality white pine, $16 for second quality spruce and $17.50 for shipping, and $15 for second quality hemlock. A cargo of white pine could, we think, be placed in the neighborhood of $26 for shipping and $21 for second quality. The only receipt of shingles was 100,000 Long Cedar of ordinary quality, which have been sold at $3.33."

QUEBEC TIMBER LIMIT SALE.

As previously announced, a sale of timber limits was held in the Crown Lands Department, Quebec, on June 16th. Hon. S. N. Parent, Minister of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, presided, assisted by Mr. E. E. Tache, Deputy Minister. There was a large attendance of lumbermen,including : E. W. Tobin, M. P., (Brompton Falls), W. Power, M. P., H. M. Price, Hon. R. Turner, Campeaux & Freres, M. B. Quinn, C. P. Easton (Albany), Mr. Well, (Ha Ha Bay), John Breakey, B. A. Scott, P. J. Owens, (Montmagny), T. W. Ordway, W. Dion, M. P. P., Thos. Crockett, (Fraserville), W. F. B. Atkinson, E. Poulin, (St. John, P. Q.), A. McLaren, (Montreal), A. E. Alexander, (Campbellton), Wm. Price, N. Flood, H. M. Calvin, M.P., (Kingston), O. J. X. Lavoie, (Perce), Hon. W. C. Edwards, (Rockland), Andrew Thomson, Mr. Newton, (Syracuse, N.Y.), John Forman, (Montreal), S. Grogan, (Batiscan), W. K. McKim, (Dalhousie), Harold Kennedy, Chas. Sewell, W. S. Bennett, Hon. N. Garneau, Thos. Lebel, (Rimouski),Mr. Tourigny, (St. Maurice), etc.

Altogether 2,760 square miles of limits were sold, for which the sum of $365,639 was realized. The location of each limit, name of purchaser and price are given below:

Upper Ottawa District—Block A, 1st range, 28 sq. miles, James Logue & Co., $101 per mile ; 3rd range, 39¾ sq. miles, A. McCormick, $105 per mile ; 4th range, 25 sq. miles, A. McCormick, $106 per mile; 6th range, 50 sq. miles each, E. W. Tobin, M.P., $165 per mile ; Grand Lake Victoria 611, 19 sq. miles, N. Flood, $86 per mile ; Grand Lake Victoria 612, 11¼ sq. miles, A. McCormick, $105 per mile ; River du Lievre, 100 miles, Champoux Freres, 50 miles at $105 per mile and 50 miles at $106 per mile.

St. Charles District—Jacques Cartier river, 33 sq. miles, Mr. D'Azure, $97 per mile.

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THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber is in somewhat better demand at Boston, and prices hold firm. The rains have given plenty of water for the drives, but the logs will be late in coming down to the mills,and it is thought that some of the drives on the smaller streams will be left altogether. Prices are steady and unchanged : Ten and 12-inch dimensions, $21 ; nine inch and under, $19 ; 10 and 12-inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50 ; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50 ; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50 ; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, $17 ; matched boards, $18.50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14 ; bundle furring, $17.

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There is a very firm market for western pine lumber,with the demand active : Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87 ; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100 ; selects, 1. in. $76 ; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78 ; 2-in. $78; 2½ to 3 in. $84 ; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67 ; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69 ; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80 ; 4-in. $82 ; barn boards,$23 to $33; coffin boards,$28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber continues in active demand for finishing. Both whitewood and quartered oak are firm and in good request : Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak,plain,$43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap,$43 to $48; common,$38 to $45; brown ash,$41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch,$27 to $30 ; birch,75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; elm, $29 to $31.

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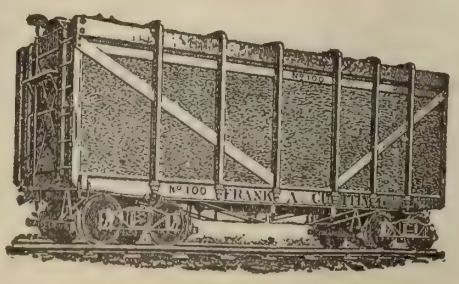

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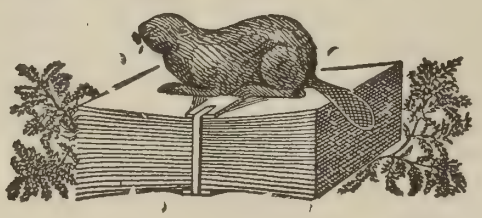

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8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	2 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75
Pine Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 0		3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25		2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25		1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX 18 inch	3 50		3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50		2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65		2 00

LATH.

White Pine	3 4	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

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Uppers, 3 in. up	83	1x12 inch shippers	$24
2½ in.	83	4/4 inch	13" & up.
1 to 2 in.	78	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	
4 inch uppers	83	10-in. dressing and better	28
Selects, 2½ in up	75	10-in. common	
1 to 2 in.	70	12-in. dressing and better	35
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	Common, 1x12	20
1 to 2 in.	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	52	1x10	24
No. 2	32	1x8	22
No. 3	25	No. 2 barn, 1x12	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	1x8	
Stained saps	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35
Bracket plank	35	" " 2 inch	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	Dressing	26
Dressing boards, narrow	26	Common	
1x10 inch shippers	21		

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 0	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25
Clear butts	3 50	Hemlock	
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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 0	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	27 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	42 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1½ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	14 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in. 40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips 19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	23 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st &2nd, white, 6" & up 24 00 26 00
			Com & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d soft, 6 in. & up. 20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

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Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Lumber manufacturers and dealers are satisfied with the trade of the month of June. While it has been, perhaps, slightly less in volume than that of the corresponding month last year, conditions existed this season which restricted the consumption of building lumber. Nevertheless, unsold stocks are smaller than usual at this season of the year, and the outlook is for a steady demand at firm prices. In pine lumber the demand is running to the lower grades, but this must be taken as a favorable factor, for the disposal of the comparatively small percentage of uppers which is now produced causes manufacturers no anxiety. If prices are to advance in relation to the demand, higher prices for box lumber may be predicted, for the call for this grade is unusually heavy. By many persons it is believed that hemlock lumber will make new prices in the near future. It is going into consumption so rapidly as to warrant a readjustment of prices on a higher basis. For stock two inches and thicker there is a very active demand.

The supply of hardwood lumber is still short. Dealers have been large buyers of elm and have picked up basswood where it could be found. Maple is also selling more freely.

Those who are looking for arguments on which to base predictions of lower prices for lumber have no abundance of strong points. The different markets supplied by the Canadian product are in a healthy condition, with little probability of a curtailment of buying power for some time to come. Should an abundant crop of grain be harvested in Canada and the United States, it will probably be reflected in a strong lumber market.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The manfacturers of spruce lumber are in a very comfortable position in respect to the disposal of their output. The danger of a large percentage of the log production being hung up has been lessened only slightly by the recent rains. There promises to be a shortage in the spruce supply. It is clained that the demand is larger than ever known at this season of the year, and that manufacturers are receiving new orders daily. Many of these they are compelled to refuse on account of having their stock sold largely in advance. There has been heavy buying in Nova Scotia for the South American market, the prices for spruce ranging frrom $14 to $18. Deals are selling at $14 at the mill. The West India trade is also taking a considerable quantity of stock.

The price of New Brunswick cedar shingles still holds around $3.40 to $3.50 for extras, on Boston rate of freight. A few manufacturers are said to be selling even as low as $3.35, but this cannot be said to be the market price, while indications point to an advance in the near future.

UNITED STATES.

Lumber values in the Eastern States are uncertain, the building strike at New York having affected outside points. Although rumours of a settlement of this strike have been circulated, up to the time of going to press such a result has not been accomplished. When this end is reached, however, there will doubtless be heavy buying of lumber. The general demand throughout the United States is fair. Some dealers report a falling off in the call for building lumber. All manufacturers are holding prices up to the notch, being convinced, apparently, that the entire production will find a market. Reports from Buffalo, Tonawanda and Philadelphia tell of a remarkable demand for low grade white pine. Although the new cut is arriving the supply of the lower grades does not seem to increase, while it is predicted that consumption will expand from this time on. The buying of the higher grades is confined largely to actual needs. In the Chicago market piece stuff sells readily at $16.50 to $17 for strictly short. Hemlock in cargo lots is said to be slightly weaker.

Dry hardwood lumber is in better supply, but prices are still strong. Michigan oak and ash are held at $30 and $22 respectively. Basswood brings $22 and birch $20. Log run elm lumber is worth $18 at the mill. The scarcity of maple continues, manufacturers having to turn down orders.

The shingle market is still unsettled and prices as uncertain as ever. The depression in red cedar shingles has affected the entire list. The Logging Men's Association of the Pacific Coast have decided to close their camps from June 30th to August 3rd on account of the accumulation of shingles, especially of the Washington mills.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The lumber demand in Great Britain, if anything, shows some improvement, although the market cannot be called active. Wet weather has restricted the consumption. Shippers show no disposition to lower their asking prices, but on the other hand, in view of the probability of a shortage in the Canadian supply, are disposed to raise their quotations. Sentiment of importers is gradually changing to the view taken by shippers, namely, that the cost of production will not permit of selling lumber at lower prices. Large quantities of whitewood recently reached the London market and somewhat upset prices of spruce, but the condition is again normal and no further depression is anticipated in the near future. One of the largest importers points out that there is plenty of room in London for moderate supplies of whitewood in addition to all the spruce which is likely to reach that market. Pine deals from the St. Lawrence are going steadily into consumption. Birch timber is in fair demand, although prices are inclined to be easier. The volume of trade in birch planks is steadily increasing. Recent sales have been at 11d to one shilling per cubic foot. First-class rock elm timber is very scarce, but the stock of second-class and soft elm is rather large.

The stock of white pine deals and battens in the public docks at London is 588,000 pieces, as compared with 690,000 pieces at corresponding date last year. Spruce makes even a better showing, the stock being 536,000 pieces, against 844,000 pieces in 1902.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Obi is loading a cargo of deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom.

Hemlock is being delivered in Chicago at $14 to $14.50 for No. 1 piece stuff.

The steamer Nordkap cleared last week from St. John, N.B., for London, with deals.

The Steamer Janeto sailed last week from Montreal for Greenock with timber, calling at Quebec to complete cargo.

Alex. Watson reports that a drive of logs in which he is interested is hung up on the St. John river in New Brunswick.

A raft of 30,000 ties reached Wiarton, Ont., on June 27th. This is said to be the largest number ever taken to Wairton by one tug.

The strike of the employees of the sash and door manufacturers of Montreal has been settled, after an idleness of nine weeks.

The Alex. Gibson Railway & Manufacturing Company, of Marysville, N. B., have 4,000,000 feet of logs hung up on the Nashwaak river.

The drive of logs on the Eel river, taken out by S. C. Wiggins, of Woodstock, N.B., is hung up. He has about 400,000 feet of cedar and spruce only a few miles from the mill.

The schooners Margaret May Riley and Helen Shafner are loading lumber at Annapolis, N. S., for the West Indies, and the barque Athena is taking on a cargo there for Buenos Ayres.

B. J. Gilligan, of Mattawa, Ont., is just getting out with his drive of 9,000,000 feet of logs, which were taken out for the Hull Lumber Company last winter. They were drawn on to Pontain Creek, which he has just got clear of.

Bay City parties are reported to have bought 10,000,000 feet of pine lumber from the Ontario Lumber Company, of French River, Ont., at an average of $1 per thousand over the price obtained for the same grade of stock last year.

In Chicago No. 1 white pine lath are quoted at $3.50, No. 1 mixed and No. 1 hemlock at $3 to $3.15, and No. 2 at $2.75. In the Saginaw Valley No. 1 lath are held at $3.50 for pine and $3.20 for hemlock. Pine shingles are offered at $4.25 and $3.25.

There is an improved demand for slack cooperage stock and a decided scarcity in everything but hoops. Jobbers at Buffalo quote in carlots as follows: First-class elm flour barrel staves, $9.25 to $9.50; mill run fruit barrels, $7.25 to $7.50; second-class, $5.50 to $5.75; basswood heading, 6½ to 6¾ cents for first-class and 4½ to 4¾ cents for second-class; coiled hoops, $9.50 to $9.75 for 5¼ foot and $10 to $10.25 for 6 foot; hickory hoops, $6.50 to $6.75.

Concerning the Minneapolis lumber market the American Lumberman says: "The market is in a satisfactory state; the stringency in stocks is now overcome and the trade is somewhat lighter. Conditions are only what is expected at this time. The general situation is good and crop prospects warrant belief in a good fall trade. The advance in hemlock dimension is maintained and white pine dimension promise to be as scarce as ever. From all reports the mills continue to slight dimension, which should command the present list prices without any trouble."

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Inquiry made to-day in local lumber offices fails to show any changes in Ottawa district lumber prices since last letter, so that present quotations stand. There has been comparatively little change in business. Dealers still profess an inability to secure stocks at prices that will insure them a return on their money. The unsettled state of the New York lumber market continues to give local dealers cause for vexation on account of the delay in shipments that is caused. A couple of times a settlement of the labor difficulties in Gotham has been reported, but the pot still seems to be boiling.

Around the mills all is activity, and with a good supply of logs laid over from last season's drives the saws are piling up lots of lumber. The first of the pine will not be ready for market before the first of August. While a scarcity of labor is reported at some of the mills, there have been no strikes since the Hawkesbury affair in April.

Reports show that the log drives are moving freely in all directions. They were kept on the go during the long drought, and the recent constant rains have helped them out towards the main streams. It is now practically assured that the big end of the log cut of 1902-1903 will reach the mills this season. This being the case, there should be no let up in sawing operations on account of shortage in log supply. The first of the cut of logs of the season 1902-1903 have already arrived at the mills. Rafts have been received at their mills by the W. C. Edwards Company, the Hawkesbury Lumber Company and Mr. J. R. Booth.

On the Petawawa river alone Mr. J. R. Booth has fully 50,000 logs. The Hawkesbury Lumber Company's drive off the Dumoine came out into the main stream last week. Other firms are doing equally well, noticeably the MacLarens, of Buckingham, who have everything well in hand on the Lievre.

The square timber is behaving itself nicely, in fact the first rafts have already reached Ottawa, but this was taken off one of the Gillies limits convenient to the main stream. Reports show that the other square timber rafts not being handled over the C. P. Railway are many miles distant from the Capital. However, taking all in all, natural conditions could not be very much better, and the lumbermen have nothing to complain of.

Already plans are being made for the work of 1903-1904. It is expected the men will be sent into the woods earlier this year than is usually the case, and it will be a matter of only a few weeks until the van guard is on the way. Conditions promise to be about the same as they were last year. The general prosperity will retain wages on a high plane.

An effort is being made by Mr. J. R. Booth and Hon. Senator Edwards to have the recent by-law prohibiting the piling of lumber in large quantities within the city limits rescinded. Application to the City Council to this effect has been made, but it is difficult to say what the outcome will be. It is pretty safe to say, however, that the mills will remain whether the piles go or stay. The by-law, in all probability, will be modified.

Mr. W. H. McAuliffe, lumber dealer, of Ottawa, has purchased all the present season's cut of spruce at McLachlan Bros. mill at Arnprior and the St. Anthony Lumber Company's mill at Whitney. Spruce is a more rapid drier than pine, and Mr. McAuliffe's stock will be ready to ship at any time now. Mr. McAuliffe's new planing mill is well advanced. The roof is being placed in position, and the mill will be running in about a month.

Mr. Charles Desmarais, Hull, Que., took out a large stock of poles this season. He has 1,500 on hand 25 feet and upward in length, 7 inch top. These are piled along the Gatineau and Pontiac lines ready for prompt shipment.

An old lumberman to-day furnished some figures which will show the wonderful advances there have been in the past half century in the price of white pine square timber. It is selling now at the port of Quebec at 65 cents a cubic foot, whereas it went begging for purchasers, practically, five years ago at 40 cents a cubic foot. The advance in the past five years has been almost four times as great as was the advance in the previous thirty years, for in 1869 white pine was quoted at Quebec at 33 cents a foot. This leaves an advance of 7 cents between 1869 and 1898, as against an advance of 25 cents between 1898 and 1903. Decrease in production rather than increase in demand is probably the reason for this strong advance in square timber. This year not one raft will pass down to Quebec, where there were ten a few years ago. It is getting more difficult, as the years pass by, and the cutting increases, to secure Canadian white pine suitable for decking.

Late reports, contrary to general expectations, show that forest fires during the recent long drought played havoc in standing timber on some of the Ontario limits. In the vicinity of Des Joachims, in the Black river section of the Upper Ottawa country, standing timber equivalent to fully 500,000 logs was burned through. This was on one of Mr. J. R. Booth's limits. Several keep-overs, holding large stores of supplies, were also destroyed. It is expected that part of the standing timber that was scorched can be sawed, providing it is felled before the worms get in their insidious work.

Mr. Wm. Hutcheson, ex M.P., Canadian Commissioner to the Exposition held at Osaka, Japan, states that the British Columbia, or Douglas fir, as it is commonly called, is received in great favor in the Orient and in Manilla. Experiments made on Government contracts in Manilla have shown that the Douglas fir is the only wood which will stand weather and insect ravages. For this reason it has been selected, although disguised under the name of Oregon fir.

OTTAWA, June 26th, 1903.

The following charters are reported: Barque Massa-e-Gueco, Chatham, N. B., to Buenos Ayres, lumber, $8; barque Niagara, Pictou, N. S., to Swansea, deals, 40s; str. Daventry, St. John, N. B., to w. c. England, deals, 36s 3d.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following export shipments of lumber from British Columbia were made during the first five months of this year:

From	For	Cargo—Ft.
Hastings	Plymouth	817,317
Hastings	Natal	1,165,095
Chemainus	Calcutta	1,761,907
Chemainus	Valparaiso	798,701
Hastings	Sydney	15,624
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	78,769
Hastings	Yokohama	16,100
Hastings	Shanghai	964,964
Hastings	Callao and Iquiqui	1,368,922
Chemainus	South Africa	1,950,802
Hastings	Hongkong	175,129
Hastings	Hongkong	10,003
Hastings	U. K.	1,597,776
Chemainus	Liverpool	1,899,365
Hastings	Nagasaki	754,653
Hastings	London	1,215,036
Chemainus	Liverpool	2,110,781
Chemainus	Port Elizabeth	1,551,223
Hastings	Shanghai	902,782
Chemainus	Antofagasto	714,791
Hastings	Japan	35,872
Hastings	Callao	1,493,550
Hastings	Natal	1,640,764
Hastings	Osaka	1,025,036
Chemainus	London	1 736,891
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,902,693
Comox	Santa Rosalia	220,000
Hastings	Hong Kong	4,761
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	28,923
Hastings	Yokohama	Loading
Hastings	U. K	Loading
Hastings	Iquique.	Loading
Chemainus	West Coast S. A.	Loading
Chemainus	West Coast S. A.	Loading
Chemainus	South Africa	Loading

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Three Rivers, Que.: Str. M. C. Holm, for London, part cargo of deals.

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Spruce lumber continues in a very firm position, owing to a light supply, notwithstanding the interruption to business still being felt from the strikes in the building trade. Shippers at the eastern mills complain of car shortage, which delays shipments seriously. Prices are steady and unchanged: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

There is a quiet demand for hemlock lumber, with prices steady as last quoted: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is quiet here, though the movement in the West is active. Prices are steady: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to 97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2½ to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

Quartered oak is very firm with an active demand. Whitewood is a little easier, though not yet quotably lower. Other hardwoods are steady: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to 45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white map, $46; birch, 75 per cent. red, $40 to $45; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

There is a steady market for shingles, with some lots offering below the market: Extra cedar, $3.40 to $3.50; clear, $3; second clear, $2.35 to $2.45; extra No. 1, $1.75 to $1.80; British Columbia red ceder, 16-in. five butts to 2-in. $3.50 to $3.60; 18-in. five butts to 2 in. $3.75; five butts to 2¼ in. $3.90.

Laths are firm and unchanged: One and five-eighths in. $3.20 to $3.40; 1½-in. $3 to $3.15.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

A small quantity of Canadian lumber was sold at the last auction sale of Churchill & Sim, London, England, on June 17th, prices ruling as follows:

PINE—Ex. Belgian, from Quebec—12-18 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £9 per std. Ex. Miniwaski, from Quebec—10-19 ft. 3x9 in. first quality red, £11. Ex. Ontarian, from Quebec—10-11 ft. 3x7-8 in. second quality, £12 10s. Ex. Aquila, from Quebec—9-13 ft. 3 x 12 in. third quality, £9 10s. Ex. Ashanti, from Quebec—12-14 ft. 3x10 in. second quality, £15 5s; 7-11 ft. 3x10, £14 5s; 13-14 ft. 3x9, £15; 7-11 ft. 3 x 9, £14 10s. Ex. Otterspool, from Montreal—16 ft. 3x11 in. fourth quality, £9 15s; 14-16 ft. 3x11 in. £9 15s. Ex. Norge, from Quebec—10-13 ft. 3 x 11 in. first quality, £17.

SPRUCE—Ex. Forest Holme, from Quebec—9-16 ft. 2 x 7 in. unassorted, £8 10s per std.

BIRCH—Ex. Iona, from Quebec—2 pcs. 12 and 16 ft. x 22-25 in., £5 per load of 50 cubic feet. Ex. Gulf of Venice, from St. John, N. B.—4-17 ft. 3x11-12 in., 1s 1d per cub. ft.; 3-16 ft. 3x9, 1s 2d; 7-20 ft. 3 x 8, 1s; 6-19 ft. 3x6-7, 1s.

ASH—Ex. Columbian, from Quebec—10-14 ft. 14x19 in., 50s per load. Ex. Cambrian, from Quebec—12-20 ft. 15 x 25 in., 68s.

THE WHITE PINE MARKET.

Within the past few weeks a number of expressions of uneasiness regarding the future of the white pine market in the United States have been heard, and the opinion has gained some currency that the market was on the verge of a break. For the purpose of finding out just what is the sentiment among the manufacturers of the north, the secretary of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association sent out a circular to the members of that organization requesting their views on the present situation and what they thought of the future trade. In another circular sent out this week are a few replies chosen at random and covering the several markets of the white pine section. So far as the opininos expressed are concerned they all have been written by one man. They are unanimous in expressing no apprehension for the future. All report that trade is fully as good as they have any reason to expect. Most of them are doing more business than they were at this time last year, and all of them would be shipping more lumber were the stock available with which to fill orders. Most of the replies express surprise that there should be any feeling of weakness. A number report getting better than list on several items on the list. It is agreed that a number of the heavy buyers have been attempting to bear the market, but the general opinion is that this effort will not meet with material success.

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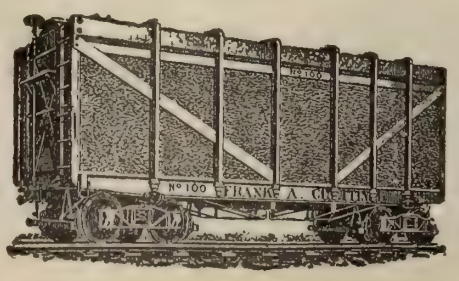

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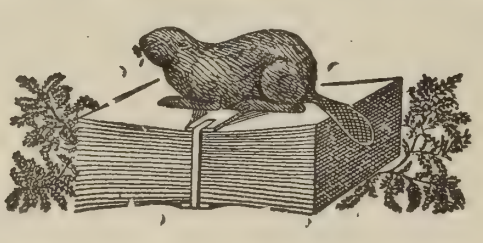

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2 in.	35 00	40 00
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1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
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Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
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10-in. common		20	
12-in. dressing and better	35	30	
Common, 1x12	20	21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	24	2	
1x8	22	24	
No. 2 barn, 1x12		27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8		20	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	45	
" " 2 inch		45	
Dressing	26	20	
Common		23	

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3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
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No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
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			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The market appears to be about stationary. Stocks are still moving actively. Hemlock and hardwoods are in most demand. There is no great movement of shingle stock. Reports of light stocks still come in. The outlook and tendency of prices is strong.

Reports received from the many lumber firms in the Ottawa Valley show that the recent rains have removed all danger of any of the logs being held up this season. Most of the stock is down to the main stream.

Mr. Jardine, Canadian Commissioner in South Africa, in a report to the Dominion Government, comments vigorously upon the recent shipment of building material for South Africa railways. He states that the material ordered was to be first-class, but when it arrived it was found to be inferior and was refused. There was a long delay before the shipment reached the Cape.

The lumber mills of new Ontario are working night and day, and although the market is taking large quantities the demand is still on the increase.

There is considerable call from U. S. dealers for all kinds of white pine lumber.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The demand for lumber is fairly good. The recent rains will swell the crop of logs that will reach the mills this season. The prices are about the same as last week.

At Bathurst, N. B., the mills are running day and night and they as well as the Caraquet mills are doing good work. In Nova Scotia the dealers report that they cannot supply the demaud in all kinds of lumber. Hemlock, spruce and pine is going rapidly. There is a large demand for shingles and special stock also. At Liverpool, N. S., no stocks are on hand, and vessels waiting. The outlook and tendency of prices for export is good. There are upwards of 100,000 acres of good timber lands for sale near this place. Most of it is a pine tract of virgin forest that has never had an axe in it; plenty of pines two and three feet on the stump.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In Winnipeg and Manitoba generally the demand for building stock is active. Judge Richards, of Winnipeg, has been commissioned by the Dominion Government to inquire into the charge that lumber dealers have formed a combine as alleged by the Hon. Thos. Greenway. The work of the commission will begin at once. The talk of the new railway from Quebec to Winnipeg, north of the C.P.R., has created a demand for back limits above the height of land.

On the Pacific coast conditions are very peculiar. One large company closed down temporarily the other day from inability to secure enough white labor. The management sought to fill the gap with Chinese labor, but the white workers then threatened to go out and the people showed themselves hostile to the Mongolian. The lumber company is now seeking white labor. As a result of the strike in the local mills it is reported by telegraph that the Vancouver mill men decided to refuse to fillt the local orders for lumber. Shipments by rail and water to outside points will be made as usual, hut no lumber will be supplied for local work until the strike is settled. It is also reported that a meeting of the British Columbia Lumbermen's Association will be held this week to consider the advisability of shutting down all logging camps for a period to be agreed upon. This is said to be the result of the unsatisfactory condition of the log market. The General Manager of the C. P. R. reports great evidence of thrift and prosperity in British Columbia, particularly in the shipment of lumber to the Orient, to Eastern Canada and to the United States.

There is a rumor that all the large Puget Sound red cedar shingle mills would shut down for a while as trade is reported dull. A prominent coast timber man reports that logs cannot be sold in Vancouver at any price. He claims there is an over stocking in the market and that logs are more plentiful than they have been for years. Logs have recently been sold for a third off the usual price.

Americans have been purchasing limits on Vanuouver Island on a gigantic scale. Nine hundred million feet have been purchased on the Nanaimo river, French Creek, and Alberni district for a San Francisco Company. This syndicate has a capital of $100,000,000 and have half a dozen large saw mills in operation in the various coast cities which have been unable to meet foreign demands. The price paid for these lands range from $5 to $50 an acre, according to location and quality. Several thousand acres have been acquir-

ed on Gabriola Island, where a saw mill will be built immediately. The Americans are, apparently, corralling all the available timber in this vicinity. The Syndicate above referred to, will put in several portable mills with a cutting capacity of 25,000 or 30,000 feet per day. A large force of men will commence logging operations on the first of August. A large saw mill capable of turning out 350,000 feet of lumber per day will be built at Nanaimo. This mill will employ 500 men. The syndicate expect to have everything in full swing by the first of September and claim to have enough timber already bought to operate the mills continuously for twenty years.

It is also stated that the E. K. Wood Lumber Company, of Puget Sound, has purchased a vast tract of timber on Vancouver Island in the Nanaimo district, containing 350,000 feet of fir. All this will affect market conditions.

UNITED STATES.

Latest reports from the white pine manufacturers show that there has been little change in the situation as regards demand and prices. On the whole the market remains firm and it appears to be in good condition. Those operating in the north note a little better demand from the east, caused by the winding up of labor difficulties. Many of the strikes having been settled there will be a material increase in the call for lumber. The future prospects of pine are good. Crop conditions show an improvement each week. Prices have not shown the weakening predicted by heavy buyers. There is no surplus of pine in the country. Many items of dry lumber are still hard to pick up.

An immense sale of 30,000,000 feet at a little over $25 is reported from the Lake Superior district. A number of good sized sales have also recently been made at good prices at various points along the lake. The situation along the lakes at present is strong. Buyers are more numerous and the outlook more promising. Lumber is moving out as fast as it gets in shipping condition. Prices for water shipment have seldom been firmer than at this time. Low grade lumber has been strong, while high grade stuff at the going quotation has never wanted for buyers. In the summer prices are expected to sag a little, but it is doubtful whether we shall see any falling off this season. Receipts of lumber at Chicago last week were only half that of the corresponding week a year ago.

In the Saginaw valley the white pine trade is moderately fair and prices continue strong. A dozen cargoes or more are being received each week, although much smaller than last year at this season. Shingles are quiet at this point. White pine is quoted at $3.25 and $4,25. Extra A cedar $2.75 and clear butts $2.20.

A log famine that threatened the Penobscot saw mills has been temporarily relieved by the recent rains. Without more rain there will be dull times along the Penobscot. Some of the mills are fairly supplied, others scantily, while some have no logs at all and are shut down.

Around Buffalo the white pine market continues active. Many dealers report an advance in the volume of business transacted last month. Shipments by rail and canal are brisk. Dealers who have usually small stocks are dropping shingles, and those who have made this a specialty are carrying light stocks until the prices are steadier. The supply is running down, and there is no revival in the prices of red cedars. Until there shall be, there will be no use of cutting white pine or white cedar shingles. Red cedars usually undersell everything else.

Hemlock continues to be the most active lumber and the supply is short of the demand.

There is little to say as to hardwoods, and there is an anticipation of lower prices. The present business is rather small, but it has had no effect on prices so far.

Oak is in about the former scant supply. Maple is not to be had in sufficient quantities and some are resawing thick maple to piece out. Elm is going out faster than it is coming in and there is less black ash than there ought to be.

GREAT BRITAIN.

This market is without change. Buyers show no anxiety about filling up their requirements and are buying with caution. The general trade of the country is far from being brisk. Trade is after all fairly sound but profits are close. Prices are being cut down in order to secure business. There is anticipation of a good autumn demand. At Churchill & Sims sale the Canadian goods in the catalogue are chiefly red pine deals and board sizes, with a sprinkling of spruce. The London market is well supplied and no more is needed at present. The demand for pitch pine timber is rather quiet.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

J. D. Wilson's saw mill at Eau Claire, Ont., is again running after a winter's successful cutting on Booth's limits.

The Goderich Lumber Company received a schooner load of shingles from Pike Bay and Pleasant Harbor. They are making extensive shipments of cedar posts.

It is said that Edward Murchie, of James Murchie & Sons, Fredericton, N. B., is negotiating for the Victoria mill, for the present season, for the purpose of sawing lumber on a large scale.

Over 90 loads of fine birch timber arrived by rail at Quebec for Mr. H. Kennedy. It has been dumped into the river, rafted and towed to Indian Cove, where it will be shipped on the outward bound steamships.

The Victoria Lumber Company are extending their logging railroad two miles to tap some good timber lands behind the north shoulder of Mount Brenton, B. C. This new field will be in operation next month.

The South River Lumber Company started their new mill on Tuesday last, one of the largest in Canada. It has two double cutting band saws and two large gang saws. They expect to cut 25,000,000 feet this season.

The steamer Aquila is loading deals at Hochelaga for Messrs. R. Reford & Company. The steamer Sticklested will take on a cargo of deals at Bay Verte for the United Kingdom. The ship Hydra sailed for Antofagasta, Chile, with a cargo of 580,000 feet of lumber The steamer Daventry is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

Under date of June 20th, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbados market: "There have been no arrivals of any description, nor can we advise much change in the market. The demand for spruce is virtually over, but a cargo of white pine would we think bring $26 for shipping, and $20 or over for second quality. Shingles—no receipts of any kind; cedar laying are wanted, stock being very small. Gaspe long cedar should do fairly well, and we would value good quality at about $4.50."

Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company, of Barbados, quote white pine at last sale $27.10, spruce $18.50. There have been no arrivals for two weeks and the Barbados white pine market is bare. They value a cargo at $26.50 locally. Spruce—Last sales $18.50 for first, $15.50 for second quality. One hundred thousand small shingles from St. John, N. B., sold at $3.33 per thousand, good large size are worth $4.50 to $5 per thousand. Cedar laying are worth $2 to $2.20 per thousand, spruce laying worth $1.60 to $1.65 per thousand.

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THE OUTLOOK.

J. R. Booth's drives off the Pettawawa, consisting of 50,000 logs, is now being boomed at the mouth of the river. The last drive that passed out of the Coulonge river, belonged to the McLaren firm.

The drive of logs on the Black river moved into the Ottawa river on Monday. These logs belong to the McLaughlin Bros., of Arnprior.

The sweepers are at work on the Deep river at present, and expect to work down as far as the head of the Calumet this week.

The square timber is moving along the different streams at a good pace.

J. R. Booth's first raft from Mattawa has reached the lower Ottawa.

The water on the Pettawawa rose 22 inches in the recent rain, and on the main Ottawa the water rose 8 inches.

Messrs. McLachlin Bros. have decided to boom one of their Bonnechere river drives of sawlogs in Mud Lake. It will not be taken to their Arnprior mill this season.

In New Brunswick the drives were reported to be making rather slow progress on account of the low state of the water. The main corporation drive at Newburg, consisting of 6,000,000 feet, was covering both shores and the sand bars between that place and Meductic. A crew of men were at Grand Falls, N.B., with 1,000,000 feet of logs stranded in the "Coffee mill." There are no logs coming over Grand Falls and only a few are hung up between the Falls and Newburg.

Reports from St. John state that logs are a scarce article aronnd Bangor, and specially is this true of the spruce lumber, which is the best and most used in these mills. Two of these mills, Sterns' and Sargents', the Sargent Lumber Company, the first at East Hampden and the latter in South Brewer, have already stopped running from lack of logs to saw. Other mills are not sawing their full capacity. Ayer's mill, of the Eastern Manufacturing Company's mill, is the only one which has enough spruce to run all of its saws. It is said that this firm has enough logs to last until August. Walker's mill at Orono, James Walker & Co., being the firm name, is running one band saw on spuce, and Lowell & Engell are cutting as much pine as they are spruce.

The reports state that what logs there were in the booms would not last any where near the time of the arrival of the drives. Unless big rains continue, the mills will have to shut down about the middle of September until the middle of October. The Chamberlain lake logs cannot get into Grand lake without heavy rains. Reports state that they have water enough but there are too many logs there. After they have been sluiced into Grand Lake it would take big rains to get them down to the east branch and into the boom.

Thus far there have arrived in the Penobscot boom 31,000,000 feet of new logs, of which 19,000,000 feet were from the Main river and the lower end of the Piscataquis and Mattawankeag rivers. In addition to this there were about 3,500,000 feet of the old logs in the boom. All these logs have been rafted out, with the exception of the last drive, which the crew is now working on.

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the Penobscot river is estimated at about 82,000,000 feet.

Reports from the lumber firms of the Ottawa valley tend to show that all the logs and square timber manufactured during the season of 1902-03 will be handled satisfactorily this summer. The past fortnight's rains filled up the smaller creeks and any danger of the timber being hung up has been removed. Most of the stock has already reached the main streams. It will be two or three weeks, however, before the first of the season's logs reach the mills. The Hawkesbury Lumber Company's drive of logs off the Dumoine river came out on to the main stream a few days ago and the Pettawawa drive belonging to the same firm is well on its way.

The Booth-Eddy Hawkesbury upper Dumoine logs from all reports will stay in Robinson lake till next year. The timber drives are also well on their way. E. D. Moore's timber drive passed Dumoine bridge on Saturday. Mr. J. R. Booth's rafts from his Mackey limit are well down the river. The steady movement of logs is important inasmuch as it will insure an early supply for the mills, all of which are rapidly manufacturing all the logs left over from last year. There does not appear to be any danger of any of the mills having to close down this season on account of scarcity of logs.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Parrsboro, N. S.: Str. Sarmatia, for Preston, England, 2,044,498 ft. deals, value $24,388, 225,587 ft. deals, ends,etc., value $2,238, by George McKean.

From Hopewell Cape, N. B.: Str. Maningtray, for Manchester, England, 158,-898 ft. birch, value $1,655, 1,997,560 ft. spruce, value $23,978, 233,980 ft. hemlock, value $784, by J. Nelson Smith. Str. Pydna, for Dublin, Ireland, 2,811,821 ft. spruce deals, scantling and boards, value $35,383, by W. Malcolm Mackay.

From St. John, N. B.: Barque Fruen, for Foynes, 319,310 ft. deals, 9,166 ends. Schr. William Marshall, for Baltimore, 1,463,400 laths. Schr. Wascano, for Boston, 130,180 boards, 100,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Swallow, for Norfolk, 600,000 laths. Schr. Lewanika, for Washington, D. C,, 1,814,500 laths. Schr. Nellie, for Vineyard Haven, 354,000 laths.

From Halifax, N. S.: Schr. Parthenia, for New York, 610,000 laths, value $1,220. Schr. Cartagena,for Turks Island,B.W.I., 107,000 ft. lumber, value $1,500. Barque Nino Fravega, for Port Talbot, England, 533,071 ft. spruce deals, value $6,334 ; 331,867 ft. birch plank, value $3,540. Str. Loyalist, for London, England, 375,481 ft. hemlock deals, value $3,754 ; 133,311 ft. hemlock scantling, value $1,333 ; 145,232 ft. birch plank, value $1,597 ; 11,524 ft. birch ends, value $81. Str. Ulunda, for Liverpool, England, 218,497 ft. hemlock deals, value $2,367 ; 150,832 ft. spruce deals, value $1,489. Str. Ask, for Jamaica, 18,698 ft. spruce lumber, value $228, 9,351 ft. pine lumber, value $140. Str. Gulf of Venice, for London, 198,648 ft. spruce deals, value $1,986, 96,779 ft. hemlock, value $1,064. Barque Providenza, for Swansea, England, 713,419 ft. spruce deals, value $9,200, 419,568 ft. birch deals, value $4,866.

From Montreal, Que : Str. Janeta, for Greenock, 204 logs timber, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Ratlin Head, for Belfast, 7,-277 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 3,253 pcs. deals, by MacLaurin Bros.; 2,226 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 2,995 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 6,846 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 19.661 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Orcadian, for London, 12,150 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co. Str. Loughrigg Holme, for Grimsby, 45,068 pcs. deals, etc., by W. & J. Sharples. Str. M. C. Holm, for Lisbon and Oporto, via Sorel and Quebec, 76 pcs. timber, 30,799 pcs. deals, etc., by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Pursiana, for Durban, South Africa, 18,454 pcs. deals, 5,170 pcs. boards, by W. & J. Sharples ; 13,134 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 9,589 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Tunisian, for Liverpool, 1,485 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples ; 26,408 pcs. deals and boards, by Robert Cox & Co. Str. Dominion, for Liverpool, 20,609 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Concordia, for Glasgow, 10,968 pcs. deals and boards, by McArthur Export Co. Str. Mexican, for Antwerp, 9,388 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd ; 14,559 pcs. boards and ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Kensington, for Liverpool, 3,503 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Lord Lansdowne, for Cardiff, 2,581 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co. ; 11,298 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 7,121 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 6,662 pcs. deals and ends, by Robert Cox & Co. Str. King David, for London, deals, by McLean, Kennedy & Co. Str. Flensburg, for London, deals, by McLean, Kennedy & Co. Str. Basuta, for England, deals, by McLean, Kennedy & Co. Str. Lake Manitoba, for Liverpool, 11,448 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 5,472 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 6,046 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 430 pcs. deals, by E. H. Lemay; 7,390 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co. Str. Indian, for Avonmouth, England, 10,017 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 4,981 pcs. deals and ends, by Cox, Long & Co.; 5,685 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 2,044 pcs. deals and boards, by Montreal Lumber Co. Str. Sardinian, for Glasgow, 4,894 pcs. deals, etc., by W. & J. Sharples ; 1,059 pcs. deals, by E. H. Lemay. Str. Montcalm, for Bristol, 19,-321 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples ; 12,-727 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 3,603 pcs. deals,by Montreal Lumber Co.; 4,898 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co. Str. Salacia, for Glasgow, 241 pcs. deals, by Dobell,Beckett & Co.; 4,588 pcs.deals, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Milwaukee, for London, 17,007 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 4,287 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 14,002 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 5,370 pcs. deals,by J. Burstall & Co. ; 30 birch logs, by McLaurin Bros.

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TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

A transaction representing upwards of $1,000,000 has been finally consumated within the past few days. Mr. John Waldie, of the Victoria Harbor Lumber Company, Toronto, having purchased from Messrs. C. K. Eddy & Sons, of Saginaw, the timber berths known as Townships 68, 75, and 83 on Lake Penage, on the north shore of Lake Huron. The berths comprise an area of 83 square miles of virgin timber, said to be the finest block on the north shore, being easily lumbered and possessing special features of value. The sale was negotiated by Mr. Peter Ryan, of Toronto. The deal is one of the most important that has taken place for some time, and is further evidence of Mr. Waldie's appreciations of the value of standing pine.

Mr. J. J. Hartt has bought the new saw mill recently erected by Mr. Jesse Cook, of the Zephyr, together with the stock, limits and equipment. Included in the purchase was 400 acres of timber land.

The Sherbrooke Lumber Company, with a capital of $2,000, has been organized. Among the promoters are H. M. Price, Quebec; O. C. Morrissette, Megantic; B. Quinn, Windsor Mills; E. W. Tobin, M.P., Bromptonville; P. S. G. McKenzie, M. L. A., of Richmond, and Dr. Pelletier, M. L. A., of Sherbrooke. They own about 500 square miles of timber limits in the province, situated in Gaspesia, Port Neuf, St. Maurice, Rimouski, River Metapedia and the Upper Ottawa. Operations will be begun just as soon as the company have obtained their charter. Saw mills and pulp mills will be erected at the most convenient places for the shipment of lumber to the United States and the European market.

Tenders are asked untill August 15th for a berth of 50 square miles of timber on the Swan river, Saskatchewan territory.

Dr. Gaboury, of Portage du Fort, has sold his valuable timber limits to Mackay Bros., Renfrew.

A new lumber company is to operate in the north of Labrador, near Grand river. William Rand, of Canning, N.S.; and S. P. Benjamin, of Wolfville, N.S., are connected with this company. They have secured a tract of 126 square miles of timber land.

There is a talk of forming a company to build a narrow guage railroad into the saw mills and timber limits east of Novar, Ont. There is a large amount of timber and tanbark in that section, more or less of which is being destroyed by fire yearly which could be made available and bring revenue to the country if there was any road or way to get it out, and by running a train or railway around the lakes and across the lowlands stretching some eight miles into that section of country, the whole could be brought into market and the road conld be extended from year to year as required and would give the settlers a market for their wood, logs and tan bark at their own doors.

W. J. Scott, of Springhill, N.S., intends going south to secure some hard pine timber limits in Georgia and North Carolina, in the interest of Canadian parties.

The act of incorporation for the Columbia River Improvement Company, Limited, was granted at Ottawa. The promoters are James White, George McCormick, D. Inglis Grant, all of Orillia; A. Alexander and C. W. MacMillan and Thomas Meredith, of Winnipeg. The capital stock is $50,000, head office at Winnipeg. The company is given power to place booms in Upper Arrow Lake and on the shores of the Columbia River where it enters the lake, and to construct incidental works so long as navigation is not interfered with. The use of the works is to be allowed to the public at all reasonable times on reasonable terms. The act prescribes the rate of toll which shall be charged on different kinds of timber.

Mr. John Murray, Forest Ranger for Vancouver Island, B. C, has been commissioned to make a survey of the timbered country, lying between Quatsino Sound, and the east coast of Vancouver Island. It is said that the purpose of the survey is to determine the exact nature of the forest growth in this section of the Province, in order to settle some points which have arisen as to the delimitation of pulp limits, and the adaptibility of the wood for that industry.

The China Creek Lumber Company, Limited, has been incorporated with a capital of $30,000. The time limit of the company is fifty years.

The Port Renfrew Lumber Company, Limited, has been organized in British Columbia, with a capital of $10,000.

The B. C. Lands and Works Department gives notice that the Order-in-Council, dated March 26th, 1903, making a regulation for the survey of timber limits before the issue of special licences to cut and remove timber from Crown lands, has been rescinded.

Mr. Jenkins, of Minneapolis has purchased the saw mills at Sidney, B. C., together with $100,000 worth of timber limits. It is said he intends to make some move toward opening up the Ross-McLaren mill.

Timber which was being unloaded from C. N. R. cars at Port Arthur was placed under an order of replevin by Bailiff Connors, who is acting for the Brachus Brooks Co., Minnesota. The company complains that a portion of the timber amounting to some 25,000 feet, was cut off their lands, and they are putting a restraint on the timber until the case is settled. They ask $1,000 damages. The defendants in the case are Messrs. Steel, Bates and Cameron, of Duluth.

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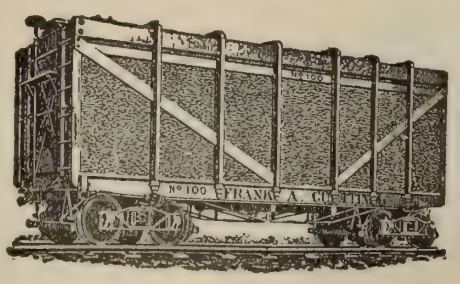

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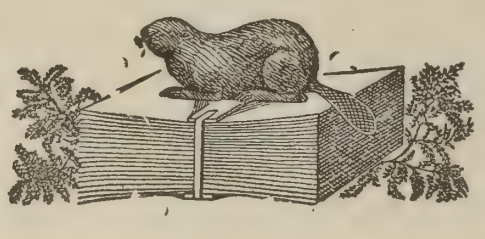

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Greening Wire Co., B., Hamilton, Ont.
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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00 $50 00
½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00 30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00 29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00 25 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50 17 50
2x10 common	18 50 19 00
2x12 common	20 00 21 00
3x10 common	19 00 20 00
3x12 common	20 21 00
1x10 and 12 common	20 00 22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00 17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00 15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00 22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 0 17 c
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 lath	3 75
1½ inch No. 2 lath	3 25
1¾ inch Norway lath	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
XXXX 5 to 2 in	3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in	2 56
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds		$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in		22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in		23 00	25 00
Ash, M. R., 1 to 2		18 00	20 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in		19 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2		21 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		24 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¾ in		25 00	26 00
" 1½ to 2		24 00	27
" m. r. 1	1¼	20 00	
Butternut 1	1½	23 00	25 00
" 2	3	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1	2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2	4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1	1½	17 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2	3	18 00	20 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"		22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3	24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½	19 00	21 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2	4	20 00	22 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1	1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2	4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1	1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2	4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1	2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1	3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1	2	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up	$40 00 45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00 55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00 35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00 38 00
2 in.	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00 30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet,	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 4 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00 19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 00 20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00 2 25

Pine Shingles:

XXXX, 18 inch	3 0	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX 18 inch	3 0	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 0	2 75
XX, 18 inch	6	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
15 "	24	28
17 "	27	29
18 "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 11 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 2, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 4	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing an I better
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	60	1x10
No. 2	35	50	1x8
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	Common
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

1x12 inch shippers	$24	25	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		30	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up		53	
10-in. dressing and better	28	2	
10-in. common		22	
12-in. dressing an I better	40	45	
Common, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	5	2	
1x8	24	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12		2	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	20	22	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35	45	
" " 2 inch		45	
Dressing	26	2	
Common		2	

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 2

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 0	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50 3 75	Hemlock	2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75	00	2 in. 36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80	0	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in. 8 50
4 in.	85	00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in. 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68	0	No. 2 Mou ding Strips, 1 to 2 in. 35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75	00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in. 3 00
4 in.	80	00	6, 8 and 10 in. 26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55	00	No. 2, 10 in. 24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58	00	No. 2, 12 in. 26 00
2 in.	62	00	No. 3, 10 in. 20 00
3 in.	70	00	No. 3, 12 in. 23 00
4 in.	75	00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in. 15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40	00	Box, 1 x 4 17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50	00	1 x 6 & up 18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24	00	1x10 20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42	00	1x12 20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00	1x13 and up 20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36	00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in. 19 00
1¼x10 and 12	40	00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. 15 0
1½ in.	34	0	

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in. 40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips 19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11 00

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One No.2 Carriage and Saw Frame, 78 ft. track, and two 60" Saws.
One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrils and saws.
Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.
One 14' x 60" Boiler; one top saw slash table.
About one mile of telephone wire, and two 'phones. For particulars, apply to BOOTH & GORDON, Azilda, Ont.

FOR SALE. TWO CARS 1 IN. DRY OAK, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. CHAS. ASLEY, P. O. Box 43, Foxboro, Ont.

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FOR SALE

WE CAN SUPPLY FOR PROMPT SHIPMENT 75,000 feet Rock Elm timbers from 12 to 34 feet long, cut to order. For particulars, etc., write to KEENAN BROS., Owen Sound.

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FOR SALE — SAWMILL AND LIMIT IN District of Parry Sound, situated on G. T. Ry. Mill 18 to 20 M feet day. Several million feet hemlock, hardwood, spruce, balsam & pine timber. For particulars apply to Box 106, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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WANTED — 800 CEDAR POSTS — EIGHT feet long, nine inches or more diameter; must be straight; quote price f. o. b. Apply H. WINNETT, the Queen's Hotel, Toronto.

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL AUGUST 15TH NEXT for a berth of 50 square miles, limit No. 42. on the Swan River, Saskatchewan Territory. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Full particulars may be obtained by aderessing "TIMBER, Box 550, London, Ontario."

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We have for sale and ready for shipment, One Thousand Cedar Telephone Poles, in all lengths from 40 to 60 ft. Prices given by mail or wire for car lots f. o. b. this station, or delivered at points required. GEORGE & MCGREGOR, Killaloe Station, Ont.

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MAPLE WANTED.

WE WILL BUY 1½" AND 2" COMMON AND Better Hard Maple in any quantity. Write us. GOLD MEDAL FURNITURE M'F'G. CO., Limited, Toronto.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market is unchanged. The dealers report export trade good. The demand for shingles is slack, and the market is overstocked. Large quantities of B. C. shingles were brought in at a very low rate during December and January which killed local production, the prices then ruling being very low. Many dealers state that hemlock cannot be brought in at the prices quoted and a profit made thereon.

Heavy shipments from the Georgian Bay are being made to all United States points. The second cargo of lumber ever brought to the Menominee river from Canada was unloaded at Marinette, Wis., last week. The sawmill of the Algoma Commercial Co., at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., has just cleaned up all of its cut of the past six months or more, at an average price of $22 a thousand, mill run, buyer to pay the duty. This lumber goes to Buffalo and is being shipped.

The imports of lumber from Canada to Great Britain are increasing. The export for the past six months as given by the British Board of Trade shows an increase in hewn wood of $50,000 and a decease in sawn wood of $35,000.

In the Ottawa district the Chaudiere slides are going full blast, immense ratts of timber being floated down in cribs. Several ratts have already past through this year. There is no trouble this year in putting the timber through the slides, owing to the improvements made and the high water. Practically all of the log drives have been moved off the Dumoine, Coulonge, Black and Gatineau rivers. It is estimated there were fully 50 per cent. more logs taken off the Coulonge this season than last. This increase is accounted for in part by the fact that all the logs hung up last year were sent through safely this season. On some of the streams the rise of water was four feet, owing to the heavy rains.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prices remain about stationary in Quebec. The Canadian railroads authorize the announcement that they are again shipping Canadian rossed and shaved pulp wood to the United States. They say that, pressure having been brought to bear upon the United States Treasury Department, the special duty of 35 per cent. on Canadian pulp wood has been withdrawn and they are now accepting shipments of this product as heretofore.

Some heavy sales of lumber as well as timber limits have been made to Americans. A New York syndicate has purchased a tract of 54 miles in the Lake St. John district where they intend to spend considerable money in the development of the property and the manufacture of lumber for the European market.

In Nova Scotia the reports of the great forest fires have been followed by reports of rain and good crop. This has had the effect of causing a better condition in the lumber market. In Cumberland alone the lumbermen have lost nearly half a million dollars. Among the areas burned are: At River Hebert 15,000 acres of J. Newton Pugsley, and large tracts of Christie Brothers, and S. B. Kelly. At Newville, 6000 acres of the Newville Lumber Co. 2000 acres of the Fox River Lumber Co. At Sand River, 7000 acres of E. I. White & Son; and at Shulee a large area. Large gangs of men were engaged for weeks in endeavoring to check the fires, and in many cases they met with considerable success.

From New Brunswick it is reported that the lumber market is about stationary. Ocean deal freights are still very low, 35 shillings being the rate hence to west coast of England. Several steamers have left St. John and a number of others about ready to proceed with full cargoes. The Gibson Company have shipped ten schooner loads to the American market and large lots by rail, besides some immense deal shipments to the old country.

It is said that about 35,000,000 feet of logs are still "hung up" above Grand Falls on the St. John river, as the rains have not been heavy enough to bring them out. In St. John county the loss to standing timber by forest fires has been heavy. At one place a thousand acres were burned over, and while the timber that is large enough can be cut and manufactured, the young growth is ruined for years to come.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber industry in Manitoba is in a very flourishing condition. The total output of Winnipeg saw mills will be over 10,000,000 feet. Several new mills are going up in the Province. Building operations continue very brisk and the demand for lumber of all kinds is still large.

At the coast stocks are moving actively. The class of lumber most in demand at the present time is clear fir, flooring and siding, spruce and cedar siding, also fir timber. Shingles are slow, while all other lines are active. Dealers report mixed carload orders arriving daily. Stocks of lumber are low, but shingles are heavily stocked at all points on the B. C. coast. No heavy stocks of lumber are held. Prices are likely to remain steady. As previously announced the various saw mills in Vancouver, B. C., and vicinity have determined to make no sales of lumber to local contractors or builders until further notice, because of the carpenters strike. As a result all work has been stopped on building requiring lumber. The mills will be run as usual, but no lumber is supplied locally. Rail and boat shipments still continue. That is the programme adopted by the mill men. Three months ago logs were scarce and were selling at $7 and $8 a thousand, now they are being offered for $4 and there is no demand at that figure. It is estimated that there are 5,000 loggers working on the coast close to Vancouver. The daily output of the woods at the present time is 5,000,000 feet, with the result that there is an over-production, as the capacity of the mills is one-third less.

Some big deals in timber have been made. One million dollars in cash has been paid to the Dunsmuir estate for 50,000 acres of timber land and it is reported that another large milling plant on the island is under option to an American syndicate.

The request of the loggers of the coast, represented by the B. C. Lumbermen's Association, for permission from the Provincial Government to export logs to the American side was laid before Premier McBride. It was explained to him that on account of not being able to dispose of their logs to local mills, the loggers desired to export, and sought to have the law prohibiting export annulled for a period of six months.

Hon. Mr. McBride informed the deputation that if its desires were placed in a petition the matter would receive earnest consideration. In accordance a petition has been prepared and presented to the government, a reply to which is soon expected.

The loggers at the coast have decided to close down all the camps for forty-five days after August 1st, to provide for a recovery of the now over-crowded market.

UNITED STATES.

There has been some change in market conditions during the past week. Crop conditions having shown an improvement, and the strikes having about died out, the outlook for the lumber trade is brighter. Prices are steady at about former level, although a number of items are somewhat stronger. Building statistics show a very heavy demand for building material. The second half of the year opened up with a better feeling all around. Shipments have been fully up to the average. Wholesalers of white pine state the demand will absorb practically all the available stock. There is a general feeling of security on the part of those who are handling white pine. At some points trouble is anticipated in keeping full crews of loggers at work. Improvement is noted in the shingle market, although all the coast mills have been shut down, and will continue closed for some time.

North Dakota and Manitoba are calling for large supplies of white pine. In upper Minnesota dimension is extremely scarce. Lumbermen have had to contend with severe strikes in the east, floods in the south and south-west, and drouth in more northern territory, in addition to combined efforts of line yard buyers to break the market. Despite this the market today is in excellent shape.

There is a lull in the hardwood market. Offerings of stock are more numerous than a month ago. Basswood supplies have grown larger and the same can be said of oak, but it is doubtful if the production of poplar, quartered oak and a few other items will be sufficient for the trade this season. Buffalo reports a scarcity of maple and they are trying to fill the deficiency with birch. Prices have seen little or no change. Eastern hemlock continues in great demand and has gone up a point.

Receipts of lumber during last month were large at lake ports. There was received at Bay City 15,599,855 feet and at Saginaw 6,221,305 feet, making a total of 21,821,160 feet for June. The May receipts were 14,148,657 feet.

The Wisconsin valley shipped out a larger amount of lumber than during any previous month with one exception, which shows that the demand for lumber in that section is strong.

The conditions in the wholesale market are good. The demand for lumber in the manufacturing trade such as vehicles, box, furniture, etc., is very active. The heavy forest fires in the north have curtailed operations somewhat at producing sources. The spruce market continues very firm.

GREAT BRITAIN.

In the Liverpool market Canadian wood—waney board and square pine—have gone fairly well into consumption and prices remain very firm. Waney pine has arrived freely, values rule high and stocks are moderate. Square timber—the demand is limited; the deliveries have been disappointing and the stock chiefly of lower grade. Of red pine there has been a moderate import; the demand is limited and price is firm with a light stock. Oak has been in good request at full values. Elm is in good demand and the import consists chiefly of first-class rock elm. In ash the demand is dull. In New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce deals the import has been large, with a good demand. Pine deals are only in limited demand.

At Glasgow there have been no outstanding features of interest. The import season from the St. Lawrence has opened and deals from Montreal have arrived to an average extent. The import of spruce has kept well up. Prices of pine and spruce are firm, with a rising tendency. The demand for red pine is not extensive. Rock elm is low in stock, but there is an abundance of soft elm.

There seems to be a feeling that prices have reached the highest point, with the result that buyers are naturally inclined to operate with caution. The building trades throughout the United Kingdom are displaying greater activity. The imports so far have been chiefly on contract. Rolling stock manufacturers are prosperous, but the cabinet trade remains in a depressed condition.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The schooner Baden Powell is loading laths at Musquodoboit for New York.

Schooner Prosperare is loading lumber at Jacksonville, N. B,, for Port of Spain.

Steamer Castleventry arrived in St. John, N. B., from Philadelphia to load deals for George McKean.

The steamer Manchester Importer will take on 300 tons of pulp and 600 standards of deals at St. John, N.B., for Manchester.

The steamer City of Belfast sailed from Montreal this week for Bathurst, where she will load a cargo of deals for the United Kingdom.

The ship Sardhana sailed from Baltimore, Md., last week for Montreal, where she will load a cargo of lumber for Adelaide, South Australia.

The Spanish brigantine Sansat, from Havana, arrived in St. John last week, and will load lumber at the Cushing mills for the Canary Islands.

The Norwegian barque Henriette, from Christiansand for Cape Tormentine, N.B., to load lumber, is ashore on Indian Rock, on the Prince Edward Island coast,

The Battle liner Pharsalia sailed from St. John, N. B., with a cargo of deals for Liverpool and Cork. The schooner Wanola is loading laths at Halifax for Philadelphia.

The steames Cyril is loading deals at St. John, N. B , for the United Kingdom. The steamer Moeris sailed from Quebec, Que., for Liverpool, with a cargo of timber and deals.

Steamers Daventry and Mantinea sailed from St. John last week for Manchester and Brow Head with a cargo of lumber and deals. The schooner Viola which arrived in Halifax last week, will proceed to Miramichi to load laths for New York.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to July 7th as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers:—

	1901	1902	1903
Waney White Pine	537,254	1,286,662	611,480
White Pine	224,918	257,197	80,600
Red Pine	24,007	45,231	40
Oak	206,323	334,071	380,640
Elm	488,327	447,046	216,000
Ash	91,649	46,931	34,160
Basswood	332	.....	.....
Butternut	642	.....	.....
Tamarac	22	.....	.....
Birch and Maple	295,641	83,,10	132,840

Messrs. Hackett & Sons have sold one of their tugs, the St. Roch, to Mr. George Leprohon, of Three Rivers, who will use her for the purpose of towing logs. Messrs. Hackett have purchased another tug and will put her in commission to replace the St. Roch.

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From St. John, N.B.: Schooner Reporter, for City Island, 147,267 deals. Schr. Frank and Ira, for New York, 135,789 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Bktn. Kremlin, for Santa Cruz, 69,468 ft. spruce boards, 9,391 ft. plank. 61,143 ft. scantling, 356,053 ft. pine boards, 18,290 ft. boards, 22,197 spruce shooks, 523,800 laths, 67,475 pickets. Schr. Annie C. Stubbs, for New York, 900 pcs. piling. Schr. E. C. Gates, for Vineyard Haven, 890,000 laths.

From Portland, N. B.: Str. Normandie, for Liverpool, 1,529 pcs. lumber, 844 pcs. deals, by G. T. R. Str. Irishman, for Liverpool, 8,585 pcs. deals, 787 doors, 76 pcs. timber, 409 bundles headings, 1,123 bundles handles, by G. T. R.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The situation in spruce lumber shows very little change. The settlement of the labor troubles in Boston has relieved the situation somewhat, as far as new arrivals are concerned, but the demand is very quiet. Prices hold steady: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17 to $18.

The market for hemlock lumber is quiet but steady: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Hard pine lumber is very quiet, though prices are very firmly held especially for large sizes. The southern mills will accept orders, but will not guarantee early delivery. The quotations are: Large building orders, to arrive, $28 to $32; for immediate delivery, from the yards, $30 to $35, according to schedule; floorings, from the yard, heart face, $26 to $32; best rift from the yard, $50 to $60, according to quality; stepping, $45 to $48; sap and seconds, $35 to $38; kiln dried, all rail, best quality, $40 to $44; sap, $29 to $33.

The arrivals of lumber by sea, for the week were two cargoes from the south, with 1,409,703 feet, and two cargoes from the provinces with 237,083 feet lumber.

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Laths are firm and unchanged: One and five-eighths in. $3.25 to $3.45; 1½-in. $3.10 to $3.25.

NOTES.

Aubert & Gayne, saw mill, St. Giles, Que., have registered.

The assets of J. F. Moir's saw mill at St. Moise, Que., have been sold.

F.R.E.DeHart, Grand Coulee, N.W.T., advertise their business for sale.

Thos. A Cousins, dealer in pulp wood, etc., St. John's, Que., is dead.

The assets of T. Vallee, sash and door manufacturer, St. Thede, Que., are to be sold.

Coward & Sons sash and door factory at Fernie, B. C., is being removed to Elk River.

Taylor & McKenzie have started new works at Guelph, and will engage in the manufacture of wood-working machinery and tools.

Mr. S. Trethewey, of Harrison, is erecting a lumber and shingle mill near Port Haney.

The Wolvin Syndicate has purchased valuable timber limits about 150 miles square, at St. Ann des Monts.

R. Stewart has made a number of improvements in his planing mill, at Guelph, including a new engine and boiler.

J. B. Coates has decided to move the stave and hoop mill at Cowal to Dutton, and will enlarge the capacity of the mill.

J.G. Billings, Joseph and Peter Genelle, Nelson, B. C., have registered as proprietors of the Kootenay River Lumber Company.

The machinery is about to be installed in Theo. A. Burrows' new saw mill at Grand View. The logs are some fourteen miles up the river.

Approval is given for the change of name from the Fred Robinson Lumber Co., Limited, at Reverstoke, to that of Harbor Lumber Co., Limited.

H. L. Jenkins, of the H. L. Jenkins Lumber Co., Minneapolis, has been spending several weeks in Washington and British Columbia, where he is interested in lumbering.

The King Mercantile Co., of Cranbrook, B. C., is constructing a second sawmill on their limits, with a capacity of about 35,000 feet, giving a combined output for the two mills of 65,000 feet.

The Campbell & Ferguson Co., Ltd of Melita, Man., has been incorporated to take over the lumber and fuel business of Campbell & Ferguson at that place.

A new company has recently been formed, called "The Dartmouth Machine & Forge Co.," Dartmouth, N. S., manufacturers of sawmill machinery, etc. Their building is in course of erection.

G. H. Knowling, lumber dealer, Alameda, N.W.T., has sold out to the Imperial Elevator Company. Stewart Bros., of Rosenfeld, and C. A. Sankey, of Waskada, have sold out to the same company.

The Red Deer Lumber Company, of Red Deer Lake, Assiniboia, is erecting a mill which will be one of the best in western Canada. The Waterous Engine Works Company has the order for the machinery.

Two well-known Londoners, Messrs. J. Stevly and W. H. Braddon, have closed a deal for 6,000 acres of hickory timber land in northern Alabama, not far from Chattanooga, Tenn. There they will start a branch of the Columbia handle factory, which is located in London.

Advices from Port of Spain, Trinidad, up to 4th of July state: "Stocks of all descriptions are working down. Mixed cargoes of Canadian white pine and spruce would sell readily. The import duty is $2 per thousand feet. There has been no cargo arrival of lumber for a fortnight. Nova Scotia white pine boards, No. 2 quality, were placed at $19.25; Canada white pine boards, a lot was placed at $28.

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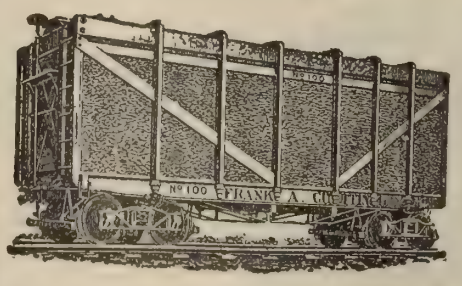

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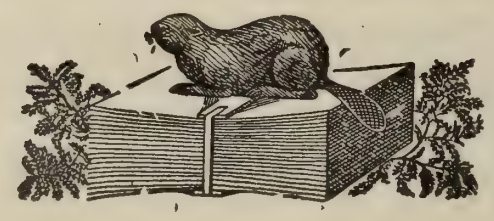

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No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

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1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
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Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

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2½ in.	83	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	30
1 to 2 in.	78	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	53
4 inch uppers	83	10-in. dressing and better	28
Selects, 2½ in up	75	10-in. common	22
1 to 2 in.	70	12-in. dressing and better	40
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	1x10	25
No. 2	35	1x8	24
No. 3	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	1x10	23
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	1x8	20
Stained saps	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35
Bracket plank	35	" " 2 inch	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	Dressing	26
Dressing boards, narrow	26	Common	
1x10 inch shippers	21		

LATH.

Pine	$3 25	Spruce	$3 2

SHINGLES.

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Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 0	No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
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MAPLE.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Business in lumber cannot be called active, but there is a steady movement which augurs well for a healthy fall trade. Any uneasiness which has been exhibited has been confined to dealers in certain localities who purchased heavily early in the season and subsequently found their stocks rather large. This has been the case to a moderate extent in Toronto, where the lumber consumption has been restricted by the strike in the building trades. Now that this obstacle has been removed and building operations are again proceeding unimpeded, a large consumption of lumber may be expected. Work on many buildings was suspended during the strike, while other projects remained in an embryo state. Some of the latter will doubtless be commenced immediately, while others may be deferred until next spring.

Price lists issued by manufacturers show little change. For inch No. 1 cuts and better in white pine $50 at the mill is asked, and for 1½ inch $55. There is a good demand for box lumber. Ten-inch box and common is held at $16 for 10-foot lengths and $17 for 12 and 14-foot lengths. Mill culls are firm at $12.50 for 1 x 12 inch, 6 to 16 feet. In hemlock the call is chiefly for inch and dimension. Most of the mills quote $12.50 for 1 x 10 and 12-inch up to 16 feet in length, while $15 is asked for $22 feet.

Prices of white pine shingles have been shaded about ten cents per thousand, this being due to the weakness of red cedars. The production of the white pine variety is gradually diminishing, as there is very little money in manufacturing pine timber into shingles.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The feeling in lumber circles throughout the Eastern Provinces is one of great confidence. It is believed that no difficulty will be found in disposing of the entire production of spruce lumber at remunerative prices. There is a distinctly better feeling in respect to British deals.

Information concerning the drives is of a more encouraging character. The St. John river has risen rapidly and logs are running freely. It is said that the river is full of logs for fifteen miles up from Fredericton. The main corporation drive is expected to reach the Douglas boom in about ten days. Present indication are that fewer logs will be hung up than was anticipated a month ago. The Fredericton Boom Company discontinued operations at the Mitchell boom last week, notwithstanding that several million feet of log are yet to be rafted. The action of the company has been severely criticized by lumbermen.

There is no material improvement in the cedar shingle market. Extras are still selling as low as $340 on Boston rate of freight.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

There is a very active demand in Winnipeg for lumber, as building operations are on an extensive scale. It is estimated that the value of building work in that city this year will reach upwards of $5,000,000. The mills are taxed to their full capacity to supply the demand, although of late larger shipments have been received from British Columbia and the United States. Dimension timber has been advanced 50 cents per thousand.

The lumber situation in British Columbia

is still complicated. The over-production of logs has resulted in a drop in price of about $4 per thousand, and unless the Provincial Government should grant permission to the loggers to export some of the stock, there does not appear to be much probability of immediate relief. The proposal of the loggers is that they be allowed to export the logs now in the water up to 50,000,000 feet, or that they be given export privileges for a period of six months. As stated last week, the logging camps are to be closed down for a period of 45 days from August 1st next.

The shingle market is somewhat demoralized. The mills have large stocks on hand and are not experiencing a very active demand. One of the largest concerns is said to have become temporarily embarrassed on account of the over-production.

The Builders' Exchange of Vancouver have shown sympathy with the action of the mill men in refusing to sell lumber to the contractors, apparently believing that this action was in the best interests of the trade and likely to bring about a termination of the labor difficulties. The woodworkers have demanded a nine-hour day, and the mill men claim that they cannot grant such concession and compete in the lumber market of the North-West with the mills of the Lake of the Woods and the United States. As the general businsss of the city and district is being affected, it is thought that steps will be taken to bring about an early settlement.

UNITED STATES.

The strike in the building trades in New York City having been settled, it is expected that considerable activity in the demand for lumber will follow. Already there has been an improvement in the situation. In the outlying districts the yards are busy, with some dealers actually rushed with business. Retail dealers are placing orders freely, as during the strike period they were averse to increasing their stock to any extent. The call for spruce is equal to the supply, with prices steady and some predictions of an advance. It will probably be found difficult, however, to put prices to a much higher basis without restricting the consumption. There is a better feeling in the pine trade, the scarcity of the lower grades having offset the tendency towards weakness shown by the upper grades. Box lumber is the best seller in the list and is held for high figures by most shippers.

The hardwood situation shows little change. Stock is still scarce, although the new cut is coming onto the market quite freely. Efforts to make an exceedingly large cut in the South-Western States were thwarted by floods, and it is doubtful if prices would decline materially even in the event of a curtailment in the demand, which at the present time seems very improbable. Maple is especially scarce, while black ash cannot be obtained in any quantity.

The shingle market is characterized by uncertainty. Owing to the over-supply, dealers do not know what price to ask for Pacific Coast red cedars. White cedar shingles of first quality range from $3.40 to $3.50 in the Eastern States. The lath market is firm on the basis of $3 for cargoes, New York delivery, while car quotations are $3.15 for 1½ inch and $3.30 for 1⅝ inch.

GREAT BRITAIN.

A few weeks ago British dealers were disposed to let go of their stocks on the belief that they would be able to replenish them at a lower price later in the season. In this respect there has been a change of opinion, as it is now generally admitted that materially lower prices this year for Canadian lumber are out of the question. Trade, however, is only moderately active, and should the business of the country become depressed, it would probably be reflected in lower prices for lumber for next year's delivery. White pine deals continue very strong, as the supply is small and no satisfactory substitute has yet been found. There is a surplus of the lower grades of some clases of lumber, but this is not the case in respect to white pine, the splendid demand in the United States having prevented heavy shipments to Great Britain. For a quantity of first quality broad pine deals $30 was recently obtained at a public sale, and as much as $32 is being asked for first quality c. i. f. London. Spruce prices are firm. Some box-makers who have been obtaining their supplies from the Baltic are turning their attention to Canadian spruce, owiug to the fact that the Baltic production has been advanced in price. Quebec waney timber is very scarce. Some dealers have been compelled to withhold quotations until they could learn more definitely as to the quantity likely to be shipped from this side.

The Board of Trade returns show that during the first six months of this year the quantity of hewn and sawn lumber imported into Great Britain was 3,314,285 loads, as compared with 2,914,246 loads for the same period in 1902. The import from Canada was about the same as last year.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Grenada sailed from Bear River, N. S., last week for Buenos Ayres, with a cargo of lumber.

Thomas Denton, of Saginaw, Mich., has finished shipping 100,000 cubic feet of square timber to England via Quebec.

T. Wallace, of North Bay, has completed the delivery of 225,000 ties required for 70 miles of the Temiskaming Railway.

The Shier Lumber Company, of Bracebridge, Ont., are loading their hardwood on scows and shipping via the Portage to Huntsville.

The schooner Laura C is loading deals at Three Rivers, Que., for the United Kingdom, on account of Dobell, Beckett & Company.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company of Sandwich, Ont., is reported to have bought a raft of 4,000,000 feet of logs from the Edmund Hall Estate. It will be manufactured at Sarnia.

The Ontario Government is asking for tenders for the construction of superstructure of a bridge across the Winnipeg river at Rat Portage. It is understood that considerable timber will be required.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa wants tenders by August 12th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1078 on the west shore of Lake Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba, and comprising an area of two square miles.

The steamer Deremore is loading a cargo of deals at Chicoutimi, Que., for London. The steamer Aldernay took on a quantity of deals at Pierreville and will complete her cargo at Montreal. It is destined for London. The steamer Nordvoen loaded at Montreal and completed her cargo at Three Rivers en route to the United States.

The barque "Inverdrule" has loaded a cargo of deals in the Louise Basin, Quebec, for H. R. Goodday & Company. The "Manchester Engineer" and the "Hermes" are loading at Quebec for the same port on account of Goodday & Company. The "Hyrundo" is loading at Sillery Cove, for Dobell, Beckett & Company.

The quantity of Canadian white pine deals in the public docks at London on June 30th of this year was 766,000 pieces as compared with 919,000 pieces at same date last year. The stock of spruce deals was 616,000 pieces, as against 731,000 pieces last year. Oak, elm, ash and birch timber also show a decrease.

Messrs, Churchill & Sim, London, England, referring to Canadian lumber, say that prices for really good deals reach higher level, but always, of course, for small quantities. Oak and birch timber have been the best of the hardwoods, elm, ash and white pine timber being neglected. The import from the St. Lawrence up to June 30th was 381,000 pieces of pine deals, 230,000 feet of spruce deals and 15,000 pieces of birch planks, all showing a marked decrease as compared with the corresponding period of last year. From New Brunswick the import was 7,000 pieces pine deals, 250,000 pieces of spruce deals and 80,000 pieces of birch planks.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Inquiry goes to show that prices, while showing no advance, continue hrm. The fact that so much of the lumber was contracted for months ahead in big blocks is probably accountable for this. In conversation with several manufacturers and dealers it was learned that the LUMBERMAN quotations are about right. It is sometimes a difficult matter to get a line on prices on account of the great difference in grades and styles handled by the different mills to suit the wishes of individual customers.

The mills of the Ottawa district, and the Nipissing and Georgian Bay districts as well for that matter, are now shipping steadily on the present season's cut of white pine lumber. Present season's deals were first on their way to second hands some time ago. With the assurances that practically all their logs are clear of the streams running into the main rivers, the lumber operators are turning their attention more closely than ever to the work at the mills. The moderation of the industrial turmoil in New York City has cleared the way to some extent for the receipt of Ottawa district lumber, but the advent of vacation season has on the other hand given business in some quarters a set-back. Lots of lumber is being sent out of the Ottawa and district yards by both rail and water nevertheless. A shortage of cars for the American trade is complained of, though shipments to Canadian points are not interfered with.

It's the large men, however, who are getting in their fine licks on the lumber carrying business. It is not an uncommon sight to see a tow of from four to eight barges on the move bound for Montreal for export. Upwards of 2,500,000 feet of lumber has been seen in one of these flotillas. The Canadian barges carry about 300,000 feet apiece, but the American

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barges, on account of low bridges and small canals, have to be content with from 120,000 to 150,000 feet each. This year's shipments by water are far in excess of those of last year.

An important sale of timber limits in the Nipissing district has just been completed. Messrs George Gordon & Company, of Pembroke, have purchased from Holland & Graves, of Bying Inlet, 36 square miles of timber limits situated on the Sturgeon river. The price was in the neighborhood of $200,000. The limit has a good stock of white pine on it, and will be worked during the coming season. On the face of it the price indicates a marked advance in timber values Other timber limit dickerings are under way.

This has certainly been a great year for square timber in the Ottawa river district. For several days last week, there was a steady procession of cribs through the Government slides at the Chaudiere Falls. Fraser & Company, Gillies Bros. and J.R. Booth all had big rafts on the river at the one time. The Booth raft contained 155 cribs, the Fraser raft 152, and the Gillies raft 40. The Fraser raft made a record run, doing the distance from the mouth of the Coulonge to Ottawa city, 125 miles, in ten working days. Besides this timber sent by river, the C.P.R. is handling fully 1,000,000 cubic feet of square timber. This includes the output of the Hull Lumber Company, Rideau Lumber Company, R. H. Klock and Robert Hurdman, taken off limits in the Kippewa and Temiscaminque districts. This timber is to be delivered into the Ottawa river at Papineauville, and from that point rafted down to Quebec city. Edward Moore will have a couple of big rafts down by river. All the logs, or pretty near all, are off the Dumoine, Black, Coulonge, Desert and Lievere rivers. On some of these streams and the Gatineau there are logs awaiting the sweepers, but their number is small compared to the grand total. Some of the firms, wearying during the long May drought of ever getting rain, called their river drivers off the small creeks. Now that the latter are running full, there are no men to move the logs, and the latter will remain up country until next season. The W. C. Edwards Company sent a gang of men back up the Black river, to release a big drive which was in this predicament.

It is estimated that half as many more logs were taken off the Coulonge this season as last. This does not mean that that many more logs were cut this season, for the logs floated down included many stranded from last season. J. R. Booth, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, Gilmour & Hughson, W. C. Edwards & Company, MacLaren Company, McLachlin Bros., Gillies Bros., and other Ottawa district firms of smaller calibre all got their logs down.

Mr. J. R. Booth has decided to extend his lumber railroad running from Egan Estate on the western division of the Canada Atlantic Railway into his limits. The road is now eight miles in length, but the advance of the log makers has made it necessary to extend it another five miles. This is the road over which Mr. Booth handles logs during the winter season.

Davidson & Thackray, whose planing mill and sash factory was destroyed by fire, have decided to build on an isolated site in the west end of the city. The new mill will be a one storey brick structure 200 x 400 feet.

Talking about the long life of well managed limits, it may be remarked that the raft of square timber moved down the river a few days ago by Fraser & Company, was taken off the limit on which over half a century ago the late Alexander Fraser started the lumbering operations that brought him his millions.

Fraser & Company's new mill at Deschenes, Quebec, above Ottawa, is being rapidly fitted up. It will be running in a few weeks time. There is nothing to touch it hereabouts.

Ottawa, July 20, 1903.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

George Gordon & Company, of Pembroke, Ont., are announced to have purchased from the Holland & Graves Lumber Company, of Bying Inlet, Ont., 36 miles of timber lands situated on the Sturgeon river, Nipissing district. The price paid was in the neighborhood of $200,000. Valuable white pine covers the limit, which will be operated during the coming winter.

Further particulars have come to hand concerning the extensive purchase of timber lands on Vancouver Island B.C., by an American syndicate. Messrs. C. H. Cobb, James Campbell, Rufus H. Smith, of Seattle, and Frank Bronell, of Everet, paid $1,000,000 in cash to the Dunsmuir Estate for fifty acres of timber limits on that island. It is said that the purchasers are to have a choice of any fifty acres of the 2,000,000 acres owned by the Dunsmuir Estate. One estimate places the quantity of timber on fifty acres of the property at 2,500,000,000 feet, although it is believed that this estimate will be found to be above the actual quantity. Most of the timber is fir and cedar and is said to be of fine quality.

LUMBER IN SOUTH AFRICA.

An exchange gives the following quotations for lumber and building material in South Africa : 3x9 Baltic deals, 10d to 11d, according to length ; 6 in. Baltic flooring at 4½d per square foot ; 6 in. ceiling, 3d per square foot ; clear pine at 7½d per square foot ; Oregon pine, 4s 6d to 5s 6d per cube foot ; pitch pine, 5s to 5s 6d per cube foot ; teak, 15s to 17s 6d per cubic foot ; windows, 8 x 10, 32s 6d ; 10 x 12, 35s ; 15 x 30, 45s to 47s 6d; 18 x 36, 52s 6d ; doors, 2 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft. 6 in., 1¼ in., 13s 6d ; 2 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft. 6 in., 1½ in., 14s 6d ; 2 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft. 8 in. x 1½ in., 16s ; shelving, 1 x 12, D 2 s, 6d per ft ; clear pine, D 2 s, 7d ; mouldings, O. G., 1¼ x 1½ ins., 1¼d ; 3 ins., 3¾d ; sterling, 4½ ins., 3d ; 9 in, 5d ; cornice, 3 in., 2d ; 6 in., 4½d ; balusters, stair, 1½ in. x 1½ in., 3s 6d per pair ; brackets, 12 in. x ⅞ in., 3s per pair, and 15 in. x ⅞ in., 3s 6d per pair.

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Hemlock lumber is quiet and at unchanged prices: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

There is no change to note in western pine, the market being firm, though rather quiet: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to 97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2½ to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

Quartered oak and whitewood are in good demand, especially for the better grades, and prices are firm. Other woods are steady: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white map, $46; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

Shingles are quiet and easy at the recent decline: Extra cedar, $3.40 to $3.50; clear, $2.90 to $3.00; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2-in., $3.50 to $3.60; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.75; five butts to 2¼ in., $3.90.

Laths are firm and unchanged: One and five-eighths in. $3.15 to $3.35; 1½-in. $3.00 to $3.10.

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From St. John, N. B.: Str. R. D. Spear, for Philadelphia, 1,823,000 laths. Schr. Ida M. Barton, for City Island, 161,038 ft. deals. Schr. C. R. Flint, for City Island, 182,576 ft. deals, 510,000 laths. Schr. Annie A. Booth, for City Island, 228,853 ft. deals. Schr. Lady Napier, for Barbadoes, 82,827 ft. pine boards; 1,060,000 cedar shingles. Str. Pharsalia, for Mersey, 2,678,183 ft. deals, 231,870 ft. scantling, 58,062 ft. ends, 375,276 ft. boards. Schr. Alice Maud, for City Island, 153,508 ft. deals. Schr. W. H. Waters, for City Island, 142,004 ft. deals, 25,643 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

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LUMBER FREIGHT RATES.

Detroit, Mich., July 8.—At a meeting of the Lumber Carriers' Association held here yesterday, the Great Lakes Towing company submitted a proposition that will, if carried into effect, place lumber tonnage on a more equitable footing than has heretofore existed. Instead of 20 per cent. discount from tariff rates at the end of the season allowed to other tonnage, the lumber carriers under the new agreement will get 30 per cent. except at the ports of Chicago and Tonawanda, where a 35 per cent. discount from the tariff rates will be granted to members of the association. The cash discount will be 40 per cent. instead of 5 per cent. as given other tonnage. A flat price of $5 is also made for taking lumber tow barges into locks at the Soo, thus doing away with the necessity of the steamer handling a long tow in the locks.

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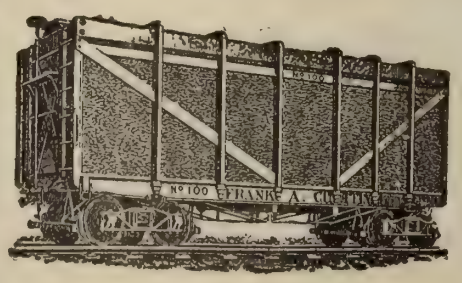

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News has been received by cable from Shanghai that the schooner Carrier Dove, which sailed from the Hastings mill, Vancouver, on April 20th, for Shanghai, with a cargo of 902,782 feet of lumber, drove ashore ten miles north of the mouth of the Yangtsze-kiang river a few days ago. It is not known whether the vessel will be a total loss.

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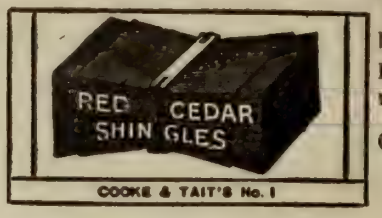

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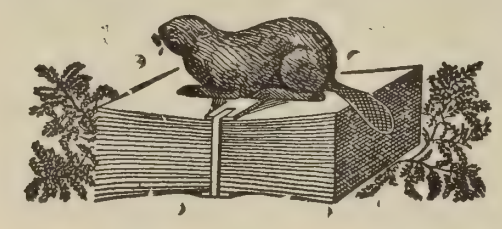

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" m. r. 1	1¼	20 00	
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1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
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Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
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Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
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Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The month of July has afforded manufacturers a very acceptable opportunity to devote attention to the sawing end of their business and to lumber shipments. Trade has been good but not as brisk as during the spring season. It now shows signs of improving and optimistic opinions are expressed as to fall business. The person who sees in the near future a decline in lumber prices is a rare exception. The many advocates of a firm market point with much satisfaction to the large quantity of this season's production of both pine and hardwood lumber that has already passed out at first hands, much of it for export, and the demand does not yet seem to be satisfied. Offerings of white pine have been readily absorbed, and in addition considerable southern pine has been imported. There is a heavy call for box lumber. Ten inch box and common ranges from $16 to $17 and 12-inch from $19 to $20.

Hardwood lumber has been bought urgently all season. The conditions have been favorable to the buyer and are likely to continue so. So much of the hardwood production is consumed by local manufacturing industries that there is a very small quantity for export.

The shingle market is steady at the recent decline in prices. As country buildings become more nearly completed an increased demand may be looked for. At the present time the buying is by no means insignificant, the unfavorable feature being the heavy stock of red cedars. Upon the development of fall trade a firming up of prices may result. Manufacturers are asking $2.70 for XXXX pine shingles and $1.90 for XX.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The strength of the spruce lumber market is well illustrated by the prices ruling for logs, which are probably the highest ever known. Twelve dollars per thousand was recently paid for one million feet of spruce logs located above Fredericton, and at the annual sale of unmarked logs, held last week, $13 was paid for spruce of an average quality. In order that the buyers may make a profit on the transaction it will be necessary to obtain about $17 for deals. This figure, however, is so near the present selling price in England that there is very little buying. Such shipments as are being made are to fulfil contracts made early in the season. The buyers of logs at these prices are, of course, not counting on a loss, and it would seem that they anticipate an advance in the price of spruce lumber. This anticipation is doubtless based on the shortage in the log supply. Recent rains have brought the main corporation drive on the St. John river into the boom at Fredericton, but they have not been sufficient to move the stranded logs above Grand Falls. Although there has been a rise in the river, the water is still four feet lower than when the drives were abandoned. The prospects of bringing out stranded logs in midsummer are never considered good, because the water falls very fast again after a rise.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber continues to sell very readily throughout Manitoba and the Territories. Buildings under way are being pushed forward as rapidly as possible and are consuming a large quantity of lumber, but a slight falling off in the volume of new work is reported. Prices are steady. The situation in British Columbia has been improved by the abandonment of the strike inaugurated by the men employed in the mills and wood-working factories of Vancouver. Lumber is now being delivered throughout the city as usual, and

the mills are quite busy. For clear fir flooring and siding and spruce and cedar siding there is a steady call. Heavy fir timber is also in splendid demand. Stocks of lumber are low, but shingles are heavily stocked at all points on the B. C. coast. It is probable that the mills may decide upon a curtailment in the production of shingles until such time as the market recovers.

UNITED STATES.

General satisfaction is expressed with lumber market conditions in the United States. Trade during July has been typical of that month, being of a quiet character. During the past week, however, the demand has become more active and any weakness which developed early in the month has passed away. Those who hold large stocks of lumber are in no hurry to sell, for they believe that the fall will witness a heavy demand for all kinds of lumber. The New York labor difficulties having been finally adjusted, the outlook in that city is particularly bright. Plans were filed last week for 46 new buildings to be erected in the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx, at a cost exceeding $1,600,000. Cleveland dealers report that Norway lumber is showing decided strength, and white pine shop, which weakened early in the spring, is rapidly recovering. No. 1 common boards, 8 and 10 inch, which suffered from the substitution of yellow pine, are again in demand. Box lumber has been bought in large quantities and dry stock is very scarce; in fact, the call is generally for the lower grades of pine.

In the Albany list one or two grades have been marked down, as follows: No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch, $55 to $57; No. 2 cuts, $35 to $45; 10 inch common, $20. In other grades and sizes advances have been made which offset these declines.

Hardwoods have even a better run than white pine. Boston reports a scarcity of thick maple, white ash and plain and quartered oak. Basswood is moving more actively, but there is still little dry stock available. The bulk of the visible supply of hardwoods is in the hands of a few large dealers. In Chicago $38 is asked for first and second basswood, although a few sales are being made below this figure. Buyers, however, will probably find that they will have to pay the price or use a substitute. Birch and elm are scarce in the Eastern States and sell readily. The base price of hemlock has not changed, that lumber being sought after as much as ever. Eastern dealers report heavy sales of the Pennuylvania product. Michigan stock is beginning to make its appearance in greater quantities at Tonawanda and Buffalo.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Advices from Great Britain in respect to lumber are of a more favorable character than for some time past. The market is more settled and importers and shippers are coming closer together on the question of price. Importers have changed their attitude somewhat and are now buying with more liberalty. There seems to be a general improvement on all sides. Building operations are more active and retail dealers are replenishing their stocks. The absence of shipments of lumber on consignment has been noticeable this year, tending to prevent an overstock. A report from West Hartlepool states that the scarcity of best quality pine deals is causing a number of inquiries, and prices are exceptionally strong and show no signs whatever of weakening. The spruce market has been strengthened by the return to that lumber of many merchants who purchased heavily of whitewood a short time ago because of the high prices demanded for spruce. They appear to be convinced that whitewood cannot supply the place of spruce in the box-making industry. Predictions have been made that deals will shortly bring £10 per standard. They have recently sold at £9 15s. Some firms have given instructions to their representatives to withdraw all previous quotations owing to the difficulty of obtaining supplies at a price which would leave a margin of profit.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

It is stated that log run basswood by lake from Michigan costs about $28 in Buffalo.

Sales of hemlock for water delivery are being made on the basis of $10.50 to $11 at the mill. Delivered in Chicago the price is $12.50.

Murray & Gregory, of St. John, N. B., who recently lost their fine saw mill by fire, have set up a portable mill capable of cutting about 30,000 feet per day.

Haines & Company, of Buffalo, have a single lot of about 3,000,000 dry pine lath ready to come down from the Lake Superior district as soon as a boat can be obtained.

Over 3,000,000 feet of logs reached Vancouver, B. C., about midnight on the 21st inst. The logs were divided into five tows, the largest belonging to the tug Pilot, which brought 1,250,000 feet from Toba Inlet.

The tug Roscebel reached Sarnia, Ont., on July 19th with a raft containing 8,000,000 feet of logs towed from Georgian Bay for the Cleveland-Sarnia Saw Mill Company. It is said to be the largest raft ever towed on Lake Huron.

The receipts of lumber at the Tonawandas by vessel during the third week of July were 13,000,000 feet, a gain of 4,000,000 feet over the previous week. Buffalo received by lake only 3,648,000 feet of lumber and 4,952,000 shingles.

Probably the largest carload of shingles ever received at St. Thomas, Ont., reached the lumber yards of J. M. Green & Son early in July. It contained 270,000 red cedar shingles, and was shipped from Vancouver, B. C., on June 10th, the freight amounting to over $300.

An improved market for cooperage stock is reported in Chicago. Pork barrels are selling at $1.15 to $1.20 for oak; $1.02½ to $1.05 for ash; tierce staves are quoted from $28 to $29; pork staves at $22 to $23; tierce hoops from $15 to $15.50.

No. 1, 2 and 3 white pine lath are quoted in North Tonawanda at $3.75, $3.25 and $2.50 respectively, and some dealers say they have secured an advance over these figures in certain instances. In Chicago No. 1 white pine lath are quoted at $3.50, No. 1 mixed at $3, and No. 2 at $2.75.

The United States Consul at St. John, N. B., furnishes the following statement of lumber exports from that port to the United States during the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1903: Lumber, value $113,307.04; laths, $211,118.83; piling, $9,695.30; shingles, $28,963; staves, $446.25; wood pulp, $253,402.61. The above exports comprised Canadian lumber exclusively. The export of the lumber product of main logs is given as follows: Lumber, $438,746.79; clapboards, $8,046.00; laths, $84,111.62; pickets, $223.63; shingles, $77,910.21; shooks, $1,008.00.

There is a slight stiffening of the shingle market at Buffalo, says the American Lumberman, on account of the good demand, but it looks as though it will take some time before the red cedar demoralization will cease, and until it shall there will be few others sold here, especially as it is taking redwoods so long to come through by rail. Dealers say that there is no accumulation of stock yet and possibly when it may become necessary to order more freely for the winter supply there will be a general firming up of the prices and the trouble will be over.

Fourteen cars of white pine arrived in Port Arthur, Ont., recently, over the line of the Canadian Northern Railway, destined for Glasgow, Scotland, to be used for ship-building. The pine, which had been squared, averaged 35 feet in length and 22 inches on the face. Some of the pieces were 50 feet long. The timber was put into the water, loaded on vessels and taken to Quebec, where it will be transshipped into one of the ocean liners. This is said to be the first material which has been shipped all the way from the head of the lakes to be used for the construction of ocean carriers.

The Barbados market is thus reviewed by S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of July 4th: "The only arrival to note is the "Foster Rice" with 40,000 feet shipping and 72,000 feet second quality white pine, which was placed at $27 and $21 respectively. Some of the dealers being almost, if not quite bare of stocks, a caago has been placed to arrive at $26 and $20 for shipping and second quality. No receipts of spruce, which is not wanted at present. Shingles — No receipts of Gaspe Long Cedar. The "Foster Rice" had a small lot of 16,000 Spruce Laying, which were sold at $2.24, and the "Orinoco" brought 100,000 Laying Cedar for importers' account."

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There is a falling off in the demand for finishing hardwoods, but they are relatively doing better than other kinds: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

Shingles are quiet: Extra cedar, $3.40 to $3.50; clear, $2.90 to $3; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2-in., $3.50 to $3.60; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.75; five butts to 2¼ in., $3.90.

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HIGH PRICES FOR LOGS.

The annual sale of unmarked logs rafted by the Fredericton Boom Company this season took place at Fredericton, N. B., on July 22nd. Great interest was taken in the sale, as was evidenced by the large number of lumbermen present, among whom were W. H. Murray, A. H. Hilyard, Chas. Miller and Fred Miles, St. John; R. A. Estey, T. Lynch, Donald Fraser, jr., Robert Aitkin, John A. Morrison, John Kilburn, Jacob Hazleton and T. E. Babitt, of Fredericton; Wm. Hennebury, of the Fredericton Boom Company; George Perley, of Maugerville; Parker Glasier, M. P. P., of Lincoln, and others. Bidding was lively at times, and competition was keen, on account of the scarcity of lumber at present. Prices went a little above the average for the spruce lumber, which sold at the high figure of $13 per thousand.

The first lot for sale was 153 pieces of unmarked hemlock, 11,360 feet, and 7,620 feet of mixed, which was bid in by R. A. Estey, of Fredericton, for $4.50 per thousand. The next lot offered for sale was 1,860 pieces, containing 60,930 feet of unmarked and 6,510 feet of mixed cedar. There was some sharp bidding on this, but it was finally knocked down to Charles Miller, of St. John, at the figure of $10.25 per thousand.

One hundred and twenty-nine pieces of pine, containing 10,490 feet unmarked and 560 feet mixed, was bid in by G. A. Perley, of Maugerville, for $11.25 per thousand. The keenest competition was for the spruce logs, of which there were 5,903 pieces, containing 301,544 feet of marketable and 42,216 condemned, all unmarked, and 44,335 feet of mixed. After some sharp bidding the spruce was knocked down to Charles Miller, of St. John, who was bidding for John E. Moore, at the high figure of $13 per thousand.

CROWN TIMBER SALE.

There is to be an extensive sale of timber on Crown lands in New Ontario during the latter part of the summer or in the early autumn of this year. The rush of settlement and the consequent surveying of dozens of new townships has been invading the region of the forests, and in consequence the danger that sections of them will be wiped out by fire is great and is constantly increasing, although the fire ranging is as stringent as possible. It is therefore considered wiser policy to turn some of the exposed timber into a cash asset of the Province as speedily as possible. The locations of the townships and parcels of land off which the timber is to be sold will be announced by the Crown Lands Department as soon as possible, so that all intending buyers may have an ample opportunity of sizing up the properties for themselves.

INCREASED STUMPAGE DUES.

Hon. A. T. Dunn, Surveyor General of New Brunswick, has given notice to licensees of crown timber lands and others interested that he will on August 5th hold a conference of lumbermen and others at Fredericton, for the purpose of considering the advisability of increasing the stumpage on crown timber lands during the present season. The notice assigns as a reason for the increase, re-forestation, protection against fire, and the interest of the department and province. A large and representative attendance is asked for and the attendance of an expert on forestry is promised.

FIRES.

The saw and planing mill of Knechtel & Young, at Rosseau, Ont., was totally destroyed by fire on the 22nd inst. The only lumber destroyed was a small quantity inside the mill. The loss is about $2,000, partly covered by insurance. They will probably rebuild.

The lumber yard of George Wilson & Company, St. Catharines, Ont., was burned on July 26th, together with two sheds which contained a quantity of dressed lumber and interior work for building. The planing mill and box factory were saved. The loss is estimated at $35,000, largely covered by insurance.

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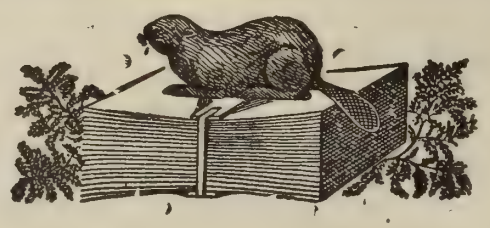
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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

1¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50	17 50
2x10 common	18 50	19 00
2x12 common	20 00	21 00
3x10 common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	20	21 00
1x10 and 12 common.	20 00	22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00	15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 0	17 c

1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath..	3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath..	3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
XXXX 5 to 2 in	3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..	2 56
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	23 00	25 00
A M. R., 1 to 2	18 00	20 00
Birch, M. R., 1 in.	19 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	21 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	25 00	26 00
1½ to 2	24 00	27
" m. r. 1	1¼ 20 00	
Butternut 1 "	1½ 23 00	25 00
" 2 "	3 25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 "	2 24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½ 50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and nds	2 " 4 60 00	65 00
Elm, s t, mill run	1 " 1½ 17 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 18 00	20 00
Elm, rock, mill run, 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3 24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2 32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 19 00	21 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4 20 00	22 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 "	3 85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 34 00	37 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, 8	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock	16 00	19 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 00	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	11 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 10	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
1	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2 in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2 in.	52 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 25	No. 2 White Pine	2 90
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $14 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	57	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 24 25
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 20 22
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 20
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	Common 23
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in.	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00	1 x 6 & up.	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼ x 10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda;

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2½ to 4 in. 40 00 42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips 19 00 21 00
			Com. and culls 13 00 15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls 12 00 14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	11 00	14 00	Common and culls 9 00 11 00

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WANTED—BASSWOOD AND HARDWOOD barrel heading, 5/4 and 8/4 beech, 2" and thicker soft maple and wormy chestnut. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton.

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One 20" x 24" Waterous engine, 8 ft. driving wheel, 26" face. 11 ft. x 4 ft. Stillwell & Bierce Heater, feed pipe and connections to heater complete.
One 10" x 18" Engine.
One 3-k.w. 2,500 Standard Dynamo and Voltmeter, wiring and 50 lamps (complete.)
One pair twin engines, 10x16.
One No.2 Carriage and Saw Frame, 78 ft. track, and two 60" Saws.
One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrils and saws.
Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.
One 14' x 60" Boiler; one top saw slash table.
About one mile of telephone wire, and two 'phones. For particulars, apply to BOOTH & GORDON, Azilda, Ont.

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FIVE CAR LOADS OF CHOICE LOG RUN Red Oak, one and two inch. Apply to MAITLAND, RIXON & Co., Owen Sound, Ont.

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5,000 GOOD LOGS, MOSTLY WHITE PINE 16 feet long, now running into the mouth of Spanish River at Georgian Bay. Also Limit for sale with or without saw mill. Limit and saw mill located on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier, Ont.

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13½ MILES ON PIGEON RIVER, THUNDER Bay. Limit lies on river bank 50 miles from Fort William. A splendid location for good saw mill. Dray haul will water bulk of timber. Owner quitting lumber business. Limit will be sold at a bargain. Box 790 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

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Area about 10 square miles, on Georgian Bay, between the mouths of the Muskoka River and Go Home River. The Berth is easy of access from Midland and Penetanguishene and particularly well situated for logging. Full particulars on application to

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for next winter's cut of one or two million feet of Hardwood sawed to order. Birch, Maple, Oak, Beech and Basswood, Balm Ash, and Soft Elm; also two million feet of Hemlock in logs, and one million Pine, White and Norway, Piling Poles and Posts, Shingle Blocks and Lath Timber; 100,000 R. R. Ties, and 5,000 cords Pulpwood on Georgian Bay, f. o. b. or over rail. Box 13, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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BAND SAW CLAPBOARD MACHINE, THE only one in the world. Carriage has automatic setting device, only 8" stroke, with turn table. Block stands vertical and cuts all clapboards radially. Will take blocks any diameter 14" to 32 x 48" long. All clapboards cut desired thickness regardless diameter block. Will cut five times faster then any circular machine. 25 per cent. saved in saw kerf. A sound block 48" long x 32" diameter will cut out $10 worth of clapboards. Large demand in New England States. Prices $45 per M pieces. Will sell entire right for Dominion. Drawings and specifications on application. A. J. BURTON, Parry Sound, Ont.

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WE WANT A FIRST-CLASS PRACTICAL mill man with $50,000 to $100,000 cash to take an active interest and management of one of the largest and best mills on Pacific Coast near Vancouver, B. C. Mill ready to put in commission with a small expenditure. Entire output of mill (both rail and foreign) practically contracted at best market prices. A splendid opportunity to make big money. A connection with most reliable parties, who can finance the proposition fully to make it one of the best paying mills on the Coast. An exceptionally fine opportunity for the right man, who must be thoroughly competent to handle a mill with a capacity of 250,000 to 300,000 ft. in a ten hour cut. The best of references requested and will be given. If you mean business and have the cash, or can get it, answer this at once and full particulars will be furnished. Address "BRITISH COLUMBIA," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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FOR SALE—80 CORDS OF GREEN HEMlock bark. Intending purchaser will state highest cash price, measured f.o.b. cars, Wiarton, Ont A. P. EBERT, Wiarton.

FOR SALE

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MILL CULLS AND BETTER, ALSO HEMlock and Basswood. We handle entire cuts. HURDMAN & ELMITT, Ottawa.

WANTED

GOOD CEDAR LUMBER FOR BOAT BUILDing, one inch thick or over, as we can use any thickness and also use all other kinds of lumber; would buy mixed cars. PETERBOROUGH CANOE COMPANY, Peterborough.

WHITE OAK PILES FOR SALE

ABOUT 700 WHITE OAK PILES FROM 20 to 60 feet long; good desirable piles. Also some large oak logs; can deliver on rail in August and September. Address Box 78, Dresden, Ont.

FOR SALE

400 CEDAR TELEPHONE POLES, 25 FEET long, 5 inch top. Also 800 Cedar Telephone Poles in lengths from 25 to 50 feet, and a quantity of 10 x 10 and 12 x 12 Hemlock, 12 to 16 feet long. JOHN D. MCRAE, Eganville, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The first days of August have witnessed no material change in the lumber market. The buying has been confined chiefly to small lots for sorting up purposes. The tone of the market, however, is steady, with indications of a satisfactory trade during the fall months. The scarcity of cars has rendered it impossible to keep shipments up to orders. It is feared that the car shortage this fall may again seriously interfere with business, as it has developed earlier than usual this season.

In pine the most urgent call is for box and mill culls, the supply of which has been greatly reduced by the heavy buying which has been in evidence for some time past. Prices of these grades, as might be expected, are exceptionally firm. Dressing is also in good demand. The consumption of hemlock lumber continues to be heavy, and higher prices are predicted by some manufacturers. Basswood, elm and maple sell more readily than the other hardwoods, although the general hardwood situation is one of considerable strength. Buyers willingly meet the prices asked by manufacturers. This is probably due to the fact that the latter have pursued a conservative policy and have not advanced prices to an unreasonable basis.

There has been no improvement in the shingle situation, and until the supply of red cedars held by Ontario dealers shall become reduced conditions promise to be unsettled. For pine shingles the mills are asking $2.70 for XXX, $1.90 for XX, and 65 cents for X.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prices for spruce lumber are being maintained, by necessity if not by demand. The feeling among manufacturers is that a material decline in prices is out of the question on account of the increased cost of stumpage and labor. At the present time very few sales of British deals are taking place, for the reason that the British market has responded slowly to the high prices ruling on this side. There is a disposition to restrict the production of lumber intended for that market and to give more attention to shipments to the West Indies, France, Australia and the United States. Should there be a general falling off in the lumber demand, the manufacturers claim that they are in a position to restrict the log production during the coming winter. There are about 30,000,000 feet of logs hung up on the St. John River in New Brunswick, the greater part of which will not come out this year. Smaller quantities of logs are hung up on the streams in Nova Scotia.

The shingle demand is not altogether satisfactory, although there is an undercurrent of strength, due to the attitude assumed by the large manufacturers, who refuse to accept offers lower than $3.40 for extras on Boston rate of freight. It is believed that shingles will strengthen later in the season, but at the moment the demand is scarcely equal to the offerings.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The country demand for lumber throughout Manitoba and the Territories has slackened, as the farmers are devoting their time to preparations for harvesting of the crops. The total yield of wheat by the Canadian North-West is estimated at 60,000,000 bushels, a slight decrease from that of last year, but still a bountiful crop. When the harvest is gathered an increased demand for lumber will doubtless arise. In Winnipeg the chief call is for finishing material, many of the buildings commenced early in the year being well on towards completion.

The settlement of the labor troubles in Vancouver was followed by a quick re-

vival in building operations. Confidence has been restored and money is easier. The mills have many orders for lumber on their books. The logging industry, however, continues in an unsatisfactory condition, chiefly on account of the depression in the shingle trade. Many of the logging camps are closed down. It is understood that the Provincial Government have notified the Loggers' Association that the law prohibiting the exportation of logs to the United States must stand. There continues to be a good demand for limits. During the month of June 155 licenses to cut timber on Government lands were issued. Of these 99 were licenses to cut on Government lands in the Big Bend and Duncan River district, Kootenay.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber demand throughout the United States is irregular; some districts report an increase in the volume of trade, others a falling off. At Duluth and Philadelphia prices of white pine are said to be slightly easier. There has been no general weakness, however, and business is about as good as could be expected at this season of the year. Farmers are engaged in harvesting the crop and will not be in the market for lumber until the early fall. The wheat harvested shows a good yield and the promise is for an average crop. The yield of corn will perhaps be slightly less than last year.

Stocks of lumber are accumulating to some extent. This is not regarded in an unfavorable light, as in the past many of the mills have been handicapped in making shipments on account of scarcity of certain grades. Chicago dealers report a better trade and less pressure to sell. Norway pine is in light supply and strong. There still prevails a disposition to advance the price of demension. It is claimed that not more than half of the regular supply of demension is being turned out by the mills, nearly everybody cutting inch lumber almost exclusively. Thus the shortage of dimension promises to be further increased. Spruce lumber sells readily. Throughout the Eastern States clapboards are worth $45, $43 and $40. The list for car frames from the mills is unchanged at $19 for ordinary and $21 for 12-inch.

A very satisfactory movement of hardwood lumber is reported. Stocks in many varieties are still scarce. In quartered white oak it is said that the greatly increased amount of dry stock available has not been sufficient to satisfy the demand in the slightest. Soft elm and birch are selling very freely. The supply of basswood has increased, although it is still below normal. Maple is slightly lower, but the demand is keeping up well. Manufacturers of maple flooring have shaded prices, resulting in an increased volume of orders. Laths are slightly weaker. In Chicago No. 1 white pine are quoted at $3.35, No. 1 Norway and No. 1 hemlock at $3, No. 2 white pine at $2.75, and No. 2 mixed at $2.50.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The reports of the British lumber market this week are not of an entirely satisfactory character. The consumption does not show the improvement which had been hoped for, and sellers have found it difficult to place large blocks of stock, the tendency being to purchase for immediate requirements only. There is a desire to buy cheaper kinds of lumber instead of pine deals whenever it is at all possible to do so. At the last public sale in London prices ruled steady, 3 x 9 spruce bringing £10 10s per standard. A favorable feature is the fact that importers are beginning to recognize that there will be no fall in the price of Canadian lumber this year. A writer in the Timber News expresses a favorable view of spruce in the following words: "Spruce values are steadily improving, and although the number of regular buyers at the auction sales is not great, the competition among them is exceedingly keen. Many buyers who have been waiting for a fall are very sorry they did not accept the advice offered in these columns some months ago, when we urged spruce consumers to stock up." The same writer, after referring to the shortage in the log supply in Maine and New Brunswick, says: "This extra demand from the United States spells higher prices all round, and coming on top of the existing Canadian shortage gives both manufacturers and shippers much the best of the strong position. In view of these circumstances, all tending in the direction of reduced supplies abroad and higher quotations here, would it not be greater wisdom for British consumers to promptly cover their reasonable wants for the present year?"

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The tug Harrison is bringing a raft of logs from Byng Inlet to Owen Sound, for the John Harrison & Sons Company.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, Sandwich, Ont., have just received a large raft of logs from the Georgian Bay.

The J. D. Shier Lumber Company, of Bracebridge, Ont., have sold their good sidings, strips and shorts to the McArthur Export Company.

J. J. Wheelock & Son, Connors, N. B., report the following prices at the mill for 16 inch cedar shingles: Extras, $2.75; clears, $2.40; second clears, $1.75.

The steamer Crown of Navarre is loading deals and timber at Miramichi, N. B., for the United Kingdom. The steamer Brantingham is loading a cargo of deals at Quebec for the U. K. The steamers Persian and Ramon de Larrinaga are about to load at St. John, N. B.

During the first six months of this year British Columbia mills shipped by cargo 31,223,534 feet of lumber and 521,820 shingles.

The market price for No. 1 short hemlock piece stuff in carloads delivered in Chicago is $3.50. Water shippers are finding the cargo trade rather weak, sales for the present time being placed at $10.50 to $11.00 at the mill, as against $11.00 to $11.50 during the spring. There is a good demand, however, at the lower quotations.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to July 28th as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers:—

	1901	1902	1903
Waney White Pine	850,753	1,519,699	1,084,440
White Pine	337,500	297,570	188,920
Red Pine	45,961	59 947	34,000
Oak	247,737	505,742	364,080
Elm	656,342	527,884	216,000
Ash	98,621	68,438	50,760
Basswood	332	.....	.....
Butternut	740	.....	.....
Tamarac	22	.....	.....
Birch and Maple	296,412	90,410	189,760

At a meeting of the directors of the Vermillion River Boom Company, held in Toronto on July 27th, it was reported that the upper river drive will be down to the mouth of the stream a month earlier than it was last season, when each owner drove his own logs. The company will handle more logs this season than in any previous year.

The Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, have taken a contract from the Barnett & Record Company for 8,000 40-foot piles for the Canadian Northern Railroad, to be delivered at Port Arthur, Ont., within thirty days. The piles are to be used for the foundations of elevators. The piling is about the only wood used in the work and the contract is one of the largest undertaken this year.

Cooperage supplies are scarce. Second-class elm staves are lowest in stock and with a good apple crop in sight, prices promise to advance. There is a slight advance in staves and heading, first-class elm flour and apple barrel staves selling in Buffalo at $9.50 to $9.75; mill run elm, $7.25 to $7.50; second-class, $5.50 to $5.75; basswood heading, 6¾ to 7 cents for first-class, 4½ to 4¾ cents for second-class; coiled hoops, $9.50 to $10 for 5½ foot and $10 to $10.50 for 6-foot; hickory, $6 to $6.75.

Under date of July 18th Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbados lumber demand: "The only arrivals to note are a small lot by the schooner "Talmouth", not yet on offer, and the schooner "Rhoda", from Liverpool, N.S., with 212,000 feet, which was contracted for some time ago. The stock is moderate and fair prices should be maintained for both shipping and second quality pine. The demand for spruce is over. The "Talmouth" brought 442,000 Cedar Laying shingles, which we sold at $3.20 for clears, $2.85 for second clears, $2.36 for extra No. 1 and $2.24 for ordinary. We also learn that two cargoes of Long Laying are on the way from Gaspe, Que."

LARGE CAR LOAD OF SHINGLES.

Messrs. H. J. Hall & Son, of Berlin, Ont., write: "We noticed in the weekly edition of the LUMBERMAN of July 29th, that J. M. Green & Son, of St. Thomas, Ont., received a car of B. C. shingles with 270,000 on it, and freight of $300.00. We received a car in June with 360,250 shingles, with freight of $361.05. This, we think, is the King car, and hard to beat for quantity."

THE SPRUCE LOG SUPPLY.

The prospects of securing an ample supply of logs for the mills of Maine have improved during the past week, although it is still feared that there will be a considerable shortage. On the Chaudiere river it is reported there are 50,000,000 feet of logs hung up, and at considerable expense operators are building a dam in the hope of raising sufficient water to float the logs. The same thing is in contemplation, says the American Lumberman, on the Salmon river, where 25,000,000 feet are hung up.

It is regarded as certain that about 10,000,000 feet of the East branch logs, belonging to Marsh, Lawlor & Murphy, will be left above Grand Lake until fall and probably until next spring. The rear of the Kennebec drive left the Forks on July 21, and although two weeks behind the usual time, it is thought they will reach the boom as early as last year.

It is reported that Minneapolis capitalists have purchased a large interest in the Hastings Shingle Manufacturing Company, of Vancouver, B. C. It is stated that there will be no change in the management of the mills and that they will be conducted as formerly. The company own a saw mill, planing mill and two shingle mills at Vancouver and four shingle mills in Washington.

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THE WHITE PINE SITUATION.

Northern white pine continues strong, with visible supplies much below the average, in some items this running to actual scarcity, and the demand all that could be asked for during the midsummer season. The Mississippi Valley Lumberman says that Northern Minnesota mills with few exceptions notice little let-up in business. The demand from Canadian points is still active. Thousands of new settlers have gone into Manitoba and the Canadian mills being unable to meet the call, large quantities have to be shipped across the border. Manufacturers in the northern part of Minnesota report the situation as being very strong. Prices are as well maintained as at any time of the year. Some of the mills in central Minnesota state trade has eased off a little, but this was looked for at an earlier date. Duluth has been somewhat quiet and the movement of lumber has not been heavy. There is considerable inquiry, however. Sales appear to be up to what could be expected and there is some stock moving all the time. The bulk of the spring sawing is not yet dry enough to ship and the larger part of the winter cut has been sold. A trifling decline in some few grades is noted, but as a whole the market is in very fair shape. Manufacturers operating below Minneapolis report no change in the situation. Trade is not heavy but prospects are good. Values in that section appear to be holding firm. The Iowa dealers are making more inquiry for stock than was the case three weeks ago.

No change is noted in the Minneapolis price situation. Values on nearly all items are well maintained. Dimension of about all sizes continues scarce and some few items cannot be picked up. There is plenty of inch stock to supply present requirements. With favorable sawing conditions stocks show continued improvement in both assortment and size.

It would seem that this fall white pine people will feel little competition from the southern yellow pine manufacturers. In the south is noted a severe and growing scarcity of railway equipment. Lack of motive power, principally, is holding down lumber shipments and wholesalers make the statement that not to exceed sixty per cent. of their orders will be shipped during the rest of the year. This will evidently mean that less yellow pine will enter into white pine territory and that the call for the latter will be increased accordingly.

Minneapolis manufacturers report a somewhat light demand, though very fair for July. A number state they receive all the business that they can take care of, because of depleted stocks. The time has almost arrived for a substantial increase n trade. This is shown by the larger volume of inquiries coming in. Line yards, while not buying heavily at this time, are looking around. A few large orders for future delivery have been placed by them. That fall business will be of very good proportions no one now doubts.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The market at Boston for spruce lumber is still very quiet, and yet the situation is fully as strong as previously noted. The eastern mills are having difficulty in getting their logs down, and the consequent delay in shipments helps to maintain prices in the face of a quiet demand: Quotations are unchanged at: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

There is a quiet market for hemlock lumber, with prices easier, though perhaps not quotably lower: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.75 to $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is in fair demand with fine common and uppers very firm and bringing full quotations: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2½ to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Clapboards are quoted as follows: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

Hardwoods are more quiet, but prices are steady and offerings are not heavy: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

Shingles are steady: Extra cedar, $3.40 to $3.45; clear, $2.90 to $3; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2-in., $3.50 to $3.60; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.75; five butts to 2¼ in., $3.90.

James Carr's saw mill at Carr's Mills, twelve miles from Woodstock, N. B., together with a quantity of lumber, was burned a few days ago. The loss is about $8,000.

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BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, held an auction sale of lumber on July 22nd, when the following prices were realized for Canadian deals, etc. :

PINE.—Ex. Otterspool,from Montreal—13 ft. 3x11 in. fourth quality, £10 per std. Ex. Aquila, from Quebec—13 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, £28 10s ; 13-14 ft. 3x11, £28 5s. Ex. Brazilian, from Montreal—12 ft. 1½x9 in., £11 15s ; 13 ft. 1½x9 in., £12 ; 10-11 ft. 1½x9 in., £11 5s. Ex. Tiger, from Montreal—12-13 ft. 3x11 in. third quality, £10 5s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Heidewig, from Miramichi—10-22 ft. 3x7 in. first, second and third quality, £7 15s ; 10-22 ft. 3x7 in., £7 10s. Ex. Vittoria, from Hopwell Cape, N. B.—10-12 ft. 2½x7 in. second and third quality, £7 10s. Ex. Heckla, from Dalhousie, 16 ft. 3x7 in. unassorted,£7 5s. Ex. Theodor Wille, from Quebec—12 ft. 3x9 in. second quality, £10 15s ; 14 ft. 3x9 in., £10 10s ; 10 ft. 3x9 in. £9 10s ; 12 ft. 3x9 in. third quality, £10 ; 14 ft. 3x9 in., £9 15s ; 12 ft. 3x9 in. fifth quality, £8 5s and £7 10s; 9-13 ft. 3x7 in. third quality, £7 15s. Ex. Montreal, from Quebec—13 ft. 2½x11 in. coarse, third quality, £7 15s. Ex. Hurona, from Quebec—10-14 ft. 3x10-12 in. fourth quality, £7 10s. Ex. Sigrid, from Bonaventure, Quebec—9-21 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted, £8 15s ; 9-21 ft. 3x11-16 in.,£8; 10-20 ft. 3x9-10 in., £8 15s ; 9-22 ft. 3x6 in., £7 5s ; 9-18 ft. 3x5 in., £7 ; 10-21 ft. 3x9-13, £8 5s ; 10-18 ft. 3x8 in., £8 ; 10-21 ft. 3x7 in., £7 10s ; 10-21 ft., 2½x6-9 in., £7 15s ; 10-22 ft. 2x7-11 in., £8 5s ; 9-22 ft. 2x5-6 in., £7 5s ; 9-20 ft. 4x6-11 in., £6 17s 6d ; 4-8 ft. 3x7-12 in., £7 10s. Ex. Carisbrook, from Quebec—8-13 ft. 3x10-11 in. merchantable tamarac, £6.

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OAK PLANK.—Ex. Britta, from Quebec, 90 pieces, 3 and 3¼ inch, 2s 1d per ft.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Pugwash, N. S. : Str. Fashoda, for U. K., 1,514 stds. of deals, by W. M. Mackay, of St. John.

From Hillsborough, N. B. : Barque Enterprise, for Preston, England, 385,530 ft. spuce deals, value $4,626, 174,883 ft. spruce scantling, value $1,661, 27,519 ft. spruce boards, value $261, 12,715 ft. spruce ends, value $114, by J. Nelson Smith.

From Halifax, N. S. : Barque Harsten Boe, for Ayr, Scotland, 717,068 ft. spruce deals, value $9,941. Str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 37,298 ft. birch squares, value $430, 127 loads birch timber, value $890, 152,888 ft. birch deals, value $1739, 54,549 ft. spruce deals, value $554, 111,498 ft. hemlock deals, value $1,003. Str. Evangeline, for London, 38,304 ft. spruce deals, value $380, 6,604 ft. birch deals, value $72, 35,985 ft. birch squares, value $560, 83,740 ft. hemlock deals, value $740. Barque Fantasi, for Hull, England, 1,106,905, ft. spruce deals, value $12,903. Str. Aristea, for Bordeaux, France, 2,154,926 ft. deals, value $21,362.

From St. John, N. B. : Str. Manchester Importer, for Manchester, 3,684 bundles box shooks, 201,968 ft. battens, 1,405 ft. deals, 379 ft. ends, 292,328 ft. birch plank, 58,025 ft. birch ends. Str. Nordfarer, for Belfast, 3,561,375 ft. deals, 46,894 ft. ends. Str. St. John City, for London, 23,161 ft. birch deals. Schr. Otis Miller, for Vineyard Haven, 1,762,000 lath. Schr. Lotus, for Boston, 5,398 ft. boards, 19,587 ft. scantling, 49,601 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. William F. Green, for Vineyard Haven, 1,304,000 laths. Schr. D. W. B., for City Island, 148,685 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Str. Adelene, for City Island, 261,706 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. G. H. Perry, for Vineyard Haven, 766,000 laths. Schr. Stella Maud, for City Island, 126,021 ft. deals, 13,179 ft. scantling. Schr. Quetay, for City Island, 171,932 ft. deals.

From Montreal : Str. Alderney, for Cork, 24,206 pcs. deals and ends, 658 pcs. boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Bangor Head, for Cork, Dublin and Swansea, 2,823 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples ; 11,769 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co. ; 180 bundles pulp boards, by Laurentide Pulps Co. Str. European, for London and Antwerp, 29,286 pcs. deals, 1,114 pcs. ends, by W. & J. Sharples ; 27,849 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Kensington, for Liverpool, 35,614 pcs. boards, ends and deals, by Watson & Todd ; 5,977 pcs. deals and boards, by R. Cox & Co. Str. Escalona, for Aberdeen, 2,576 pcs. deals, 759 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd ; 2,536 pcs. ends, 2,945 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 712 pcs. deals, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Laconia, for Glasgow, 155 pcs. timber, by J. Burstall & Co. ; 4,236 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 1,890 pcs. deals, 52 pcs. timber, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Montezuma, for London, 15,372 pcs. lumber, by Robert Cox & Co.; 10,665 pcs. deals, etc., Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 24 pcs. deals, by Export Lumber Co.; 9,597 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Str. Lake Erie, for Liverpool, 7,668 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1,158 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd ; 957 pcs. lumber, by Export Lumber Co.; 3,339 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 408 pcs. deals, etc., by Robert Cox & Co.; 3,124 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 2,023 bundles flooring, 1,793 doors, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Melville, for Cape Town, 3,329 pcs. lumber, 191 bundles doors, by Grand Trunk Railway ; 290 bundles doors, by Canadian Pacific Railway ; 22,698 pcs. lumber, by W. & J. Sharples ; 10,498 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd ; 8,016 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Corinthia, for Glasgow, 27,889 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by W. & J. Sharples ; 395 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co. ; 1,275 pcs. boards, by E. H. Lemay. Str. Iberian, for Avonmouth, 1,250 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 5,009 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd.

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The sale of timber limits to be held this fall by the Ontario Government will, according to report, be the largest since 1885. In the neighborhood of 900 square miles, or 25 townships, will be offered. Much of the timber is located along the lines of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario, Central Canada and Bruce Mines and Algoma Railways.

In the item in a recent issue in reference to the purchase of extensive timber lands on Vancouver Island, B. C., by an American syndicate, the area was inadvertently given as 50 acres. This should have read 50,000 acres. Later reports state that the price was $12 an acre, although no official announcement has yet been made. It is said that M. King, of Victoria, has an option on 150,000 acres at the same price.

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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

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1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

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1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
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2in.	52 00		

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1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

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1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
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1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
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Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
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2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market has developed a slightly irregular tendency, although there is no general weakness. In pine the demand is chiefly for the export and lower grades. Box lumber continues to be bought eagerly, although it was expected that the large purchases earlier in the season would have supplied the requirements of the box trade. Wide boards of first quality suitable for the European market are particularly scarce. The only weakness is confined to cutting-up grades. The demand for lumber for building purposes has slackened, which is, no doubt, responsible in large part for the dullness of the medium grades of pine. Mill run, 1x4 and 5, is held at $18 at the mill. The higher prices predicted for thick hemlock have not yet materialized. While some manufacturers have held for higher prices, there has been a sufficient quantity of stock offering at current quotations to prevent the advance becoming at all general. Hardwood lumber is quite as good property as earlier in the year. There continues to be good buying by local implement and furniture manufacturers, as well as for export to the Eastern States. A considerable quantity of birch has been shipped to Buffalo. The shingle market still exhibits signs of weakness, but recent developments have been favorable to white pines, which will be in a stronger position after the red cedar situation has become brighter.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prices of timber at Quebec continue very strong, the light production having encouraged manufacturers to oppose any drop in values. The quantity of waney pine timber received at Quebec this season is 500,000 cubic feet less than for the corresponding period of last year. Decreases are shown in other kinds as follows: Square white pine, 10,000 cubic feet; red pine, 25,000 cubic feet; oak, 150,000 cubic feet; elm, 300,000 cubic feet. Birch and maple are the only woods that show an increased production. The spruce market is quiet. The total shipments of spruce lumber from St. John to trans-Atlantic ports during the first six months of this year were 76,000,000 feet. This is a decrease and reflects the extent to which lumber has been diverted to the United States market. Two or three large cargoes have recently been shipped to Ireland.

An event which promises to help the lumber industry is the recent formation of an association by the lumbermen of New Brunswick. This step was brought about in part by the proposal of the Government to increase the stumpage dues to $1.50 per thousand feet, an advance which in the opinion of the lumber trade is not warranted.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Nothing has occurred within the past week to disturb the lumber market of Manitoba and the Territories. Heavy shipments are being received by dealers from British Columbia. Up to August 1st of this year the building permits issued in Winnipeg aggregated almost $3,500,000, a showing which is unprecedented and which clearly explains the large consumption of lumber. Shingles continue weak.

The manufactures of British Columbia held a meeting on August 7th and decided to check further over-production by closing down all the shingle mills from August 15th until the situation was relieved. This step should at once have a beneficial effect upon the market. The demand for timber limits has also slackened, there being but three applications for licenses to cut timber off Government lands during the week ending August 1. Many of the logging camps are still closed down. The Premier has wisely decided not to interfere with the operation of the law prohibiting the export of logs. It is pointed out that the over-production of logs in Washington is just as great as in British Columbia, and that the loggers could not find a market for their production even if the export embargo were removed.

UNITED STATES.

A few days ago it was reported that white pine prices at the head of the lakes had weakened. Late advices do not altogether confirm this report. There has been a slight softening in prices of the upper grades, but this has been offset by the increased strength of the lower qualities. At Tonawanda and Philadelphia an advance of 50 cents has been made on nearly every grade below intermediate. While the demand generally has been of a quiet character, sales at Duluth during the first week of August were quite heavy. It is estimated that fully 15,000,000 feet of various grades of merchantable lumber were contracted for, and many manufacturers are now sold up to the saws. It is said that sales have been at very satisfactory prices. A lot of No. 3 pine was sold at $15. Ohio dealers report that low grade lumber has been moving freely, and that No. 3 and No. 4 boards are strong, with a very light stock in sight. Chicago is experiencing a steady trade and the outlook is good for fall business. Spruce is very strong in New York. Prices are now the highest ever known. At Boston and other eastern points the situation is strong, though less lumber is moving.

The growing strength of common and plain sawed oak and the scarcity of elm are the features of the hardwood market. Buyers are unable to find a sufficient supply of 1½ inch elm and prices are strong. Maple in the same size is by no means plentiful. Basswood is holding its own, the increase in supply having as yet had no visible effect upon the price.

Any change in the shinge demand has been in the direction of improvement. Shingles of good quality find a ready market, but there is a considerable stock throughout the Eastern States that are not up to standard, and these may have to be sacrificed. More activity in shingles is expected next month.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Although the holiday season is at its height, there has been of late a slight increase in the consumption of lumber at London and Liverpool, which is taken to reflect the conditions throughout the United Kingdom. The outlook in timber-consuming industries is considered bright, and it is probable that the fall will witness increased activity. Canadian lumber of all kinds seems to be in a strong position. All the available stocks have been cleared and there is little in first hands for buyers to select from. The position of the Canadian import, according to the Timber Trades Journal, is quite abnormal, the trade usually counting upon a considerable quantity of New Brunswick spruce about this time; but this season fewer cargoes have come forward than for many years past. No pine whatever has been shipped on consignment, consequently the tendency of values is towards a further advance. The standard sizes in first and second quality are now held at higher figures than at any previous time this season. Third and fourth quality are in larger supply and consequently prices do not show the same degree of strength as those of the better grades. The position of spruce has changed within a week. There is absolutely little or nothing to offer for arrival until the season is more advanced, and then the supplies are expected to be short of the average to an extent that has not been witnessed for some years. Some buyers apparently kept out of the market on the belief that the low rates of freight would encourage shipments. This, however, has not been the case. It is claimed that the low freight rates are due to the fact that there is less lumber to be shipped across the Atlantic. There is a good inquiry for red pine, rock elm and oak. Birch is in large supply and slightly easier.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Maria Laurie is about to load lumber at St. John, N. B., for the Canary Islands.

A raft containing 3,600,000 feet of logs left Stella, on the Columbia River, B. C., August 1, for San Francisco.

J. A. Morrison, of Fredericton, N. B., is shipping large quantities of cedar shingles to the New England States.

During July 3,007,749 feet of lumber was entered at Saginaw and 15,230,988 feet at Bay City, making the total receipts for the month 18,238,737 feet.

The schooner Arona is loading lumber at Bear River, N. S., for Buenos Ayres. The Brigt. Dixon Rice is loading at Annapolis, N. S., for the West Indies.

The DeLaplante-McBurney Lumber Company, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., recently purchased 6,000,000 feet of white pine in the vicinity of Duluth and Menominee.

The Robert H. Jenks Lumber Company, of Cleveland, Ohio, have been shipping considerable hemlock to the Tonawandas and other eastern ports from Alpena, Cheboygan and Manistee, Mich.

Since navigation opened 194,000,000 feet of lumber has arrived by vessel at the Tonawandas, as compared with 158,000,000 feet for the same period of last year, an increase of nearly 26,000,000 feet in the receipts for 1903.

The Pigeon River Lumber Company, of Port Arthur, Ont., have already sent two hundred men into the woods. The company expect to make a large cut during the coming season. Six camps will be put in, in addition to two or three jobbers.

There is a strong demand for slack cooperage stock. A Chicago dealer reports sales of No. 2 30 inch elm staves at $5. No. 1 are supposed to be worth from $8.50 to $8.75 for 28 and 30 inch. No. 1 basswood heading is in strong demand at about $7.50.

A quantity of birch timber, from Halifax, N. S., was recently sold at auction in London and brought the following prices: 6-15 ft. 4x10-16 in., 1s 3d per cubic ft.; 3-15 ft. 4x8-9, 1s 2d; 4-15 ft. 4x6-7, 1s 1d; 4-18 ft. 3x13-17, 11½d; 3-19 ft. 1x10-11, 11d; 3-19 ft. 3x9, 10½d; 3-16 ft. 3x8, 10d; 3-19 ft. 3x7, 9½d; 3-16 ft. 2x7-16, 1s 3d; 6-15 ft. 5x6-9, 1s 4d.

Seventeen oak logs from Quebec recently sold in London, at prices ranging from 40 to 50s per load of 50 cubic feet. Elm timber, from Quebec, sold as follows: 40-44 ft. x 12-17 in., 87s 6d per load; 36-38 ft. x 12-21 in., 97s 6d; 84-89 ft. x 13-21 in., 100s; 33-35 ft. x 12-17 in., 97s 6d; 30-32 ft. x 12-21 in., 92s 6d; 26-29 ft. x 11-16 in., 87s 6d.

In Chicago short pine piece stuff is selling wholesale in sizes from 2 x 4 to 2 x 10, 10 to 20 feet long, at $17.50 to $19.50 f. o. b. cars. Northern rail shippers are delivering the same sizes and lengths on this rate at $16.50 to $18.50 and these prices are being generally adhered to. No. 1 common boards, all widths, are selling at $21 and No. 2 at $19. No. 1 stock boards, 10 inch, are quoted at $23, and 12 inch at $17; No. 1 4 inch fencing, 10-foot, $22, 16-foot, $23; 6 inch, 10-foot, $25, 16-foot, $26; No. 2 fencing, 4 inch, 10-foot, $17.50, and 6 inch $20, with $1 added for 16 foot and longer.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The is a little better movement in spruce lumber at Boston with prices steadily held at full quotations. The situation in the East is still very strong, though the mills on the Kennebec are said to be in better shape as to supply of logs than those farther east. The quotations are firm at: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is quiet, without change in prices: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.75 to $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

There is a fair demand for western pine lumber, with the better grades still very firm: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2½ to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

There is only a quiet demand for hardwood lumber, but prices are firm, especially for whitewood and quartered oak: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

Shingles are firm for the better grades but off stock is in full supply and easy: Extra cedar, $2.40 to $3.45; clear, $2.90 to $3.00; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2-in., $3.50 to $3.60; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.75; five butts to 2¼ in., $3.90.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

From Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells' monthly timber circular, of July 31st, we extract the following particulars of the Glasgow market :

The import from Montreal, which up to the end of June was but trifling, has been on more extensive lines, several full cargoes augmenting the meagre supplies coming forward by the liners. First quality white pine deals and sidings of good average continue in demand, and are almost unfailingly sold from the quay, but there is a hesitancy in some quarters to pay the existing high prices. In spruce the position is unaltered from the previous month, there being a fairly active demand at recent prices. A fair business has been done in hardwoods of all descriptions from the United States, and prices of poplar lumber particularly have been well maintained. The house building trade in the city and neighbourhood continues brisk, and a considerable amount of work is on hand.

WHITE PINE.—There has been a considerable import during the month, aggregating 1400 loads, practically the whole of which came in during the last week by the steamer "Janeta," which is the first arrival at Greenock from Quebec this season. There have been no transactions of any importance, and business has been quiet.

RED PINE.—The import has only been of a trifling nature, but the demand being extremely limited, the present small stock is sufficient for immediate requirements at least.

OAK.—Several transactions of nice lines of Quebec timber were completed during the early part of the month, but the import has been on the heavy side, about 1100 loads. Second class and southern wood is slow of sale, but a fair demand is in evidence for good large Quebec logs.

ELM.—There have been no transactions worthy of mention, and the demand being somewhat restricted, the stock, which is further increased by this month's import, is more than ample for probable requirements.

BIRCH.—Quebec. The import from Montreal during the month amounts to 650 loads, consisting partly of contract wood and partly on consignment. The demand is unfortunately very restricted, and "ex quay" sales can only be effected at unsatisfactory prices. 13-inch is quoted at 18d., and 16-inch 20d. "ex quay." Lower Port. There has been one arrival during the month from Pictou, N. S., consisting of about 1050 loads of log timber and 120 standards planks. Value of 15-inch is about 16d., and of planks about 11d.

ASH.—The import for July is comparatively trifling, and it just as well that this is so, for there is very little demand for it nowadays. There is still some old stock in the market unsold, and this is being offered for sale at considerably under import cost.

DEALS, ETC.—Only a limited volume of business has been done, but this to a large extent is on account of the holidays, as supplies have been coming forward much more freely. Broad 1st pine deals find a ready market, and recent small arrivals have all been disposed of from shipsside. Low quality deals, however, are receiving but scant attention. Prices remain unaltered and firm, current values being : Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31 ; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second pine deals, 11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s. ; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third pine deals, 11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s. ; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals, 9 and 11 inch, £11 10s. to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to 9 10s. First pine sidings, 9 and 10 inch, £24 to £25 ; 11 to 12 inch, £26 to £28 ; 13 to 14 inch, £29 to £31. Spruce deals, 9-inch and up, £8 15s. to £9 10s. ; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower port pine and spruce, 7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s. ; 9-inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 15s.

FIRES.

The sash and door factory of A. C. Duchemin & Company at Charlottetown, P. E. I., was damaged recently to the extent of $10,000.

The saw mill at Coaticook, Que., owned by Mr. Gilmour, and used for sawing chair stock, was burned last week.

The box factory of Barchard & Company, Duke street, Toronto, was recently damaged by fire to the extent of $5,000.

The steamer Hedwig from Bathurst, B., for Manchester, with lumber, has put back to Pictou, having been in collision with an iceberg in the Strait of Belle Isle.

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From St. John, N. B. : Str. Vera, for Sharpness, England, 2,020,115 ft. deals, 193,444 ft. scantling, 60,528 ft. ends, 23,338 ft. boards, 28,572 ft. hardwood deals, 3,060 ft. hardwood scantling, 2,194 ft. ends, 4,158 ft. boards. Str. Bona, for Glasgow, 1,823,079 ft. deals, 158,321 ft. scantling, 37,946 ft. ends. Brig. Sensat, for Arriciffe de Lanzarote, 16,824 ft. scantling, 56,539 ft. spruce boards, 39,055 ft. pine boards, 30,000 laths; for Cassa Blanca, 27,900 ft. deals. Str. Luctra, for Brow Head, 2,405,086 ft. deals and battens, 62,610 ft. scantling, 96,956 ft. ends, 24,933 ft. boards. Str. Lilian Blaubelt, for St. Georges, Grenada, 248,018 ft. pine boards, 6,421 ft. plank. Schr. Wascano, for Vineyard Haven, 780,000 laths. Schr. Thistle, for City Island, 886,500 laths. Schr. Hunter, for Vineyard Haven, 83,357 ft. scantling, 114,128 ft. plank, 28,653 ft. deals. Schr. Rebecca W. Huddell, for New York, 137,346 ft. deals, 660,000 laths. Schr. Morancy, for City Island, 213,351 ft. deals. Schr. May, for City Island, 181,745 ft. deals. Schooner Pandora, for Boston, 118,217 ft. boards. Schr. Swallow, for Bridgeport, 82,175 ft. scantling, 25,580 ft. plank. Schr. Stephen Bennett, for City Island, 123,737 ft. boards, 636,000 laths. Schr. Annie Harper, for New Bedford, 400,000 cedar shingles.

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TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

It is reported that the timber property of the East River Lumber Company at Sheet Harbor, N. S., has been purchased by United States capitalists. Rhodes, Curry & Company, of Amherst, are interested in the property.

The sale of two townships north of Thessalon, Ont., both heavily timbered with pine, is reported. The owners were N. & A. Dyment, of Thessalon, and the purchasers are George Neibergall & Son, of Windsor.

W. E. Wilson, of the Wilson Lumber Company, San Francisco, has, according to report, been buying up timber limits on Vancouver Island, B. C., for several months. He has now secured between 80,000 and 90,000 acres. His last purchase was completed only a week ago and consists of 10,000 acres of timber in one block at Comox. The timber is located on Crown-granted land and can therefore be exported to the United States.

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In this issue will be found an announcement of the proposed sale of timber limits to be held by the Ontario Government on December 9th next. The limits to be sold aggregate about 900 square miles. The hardwood and timber other than pine on the limits, except some non-agricultural areas in the Rainy River district, will remain the property of the Crown. The conditions of the sale provide that ten years only will be allowed the purchaser to complete the cutting of the timber. The ground rents have been increased to $5 per square mile, an advance of $2. The Crown dues payable when the timber is cut have been advanced to $2 per thousand feet board measure, and on square timber to $50 per thousand cubic feet, these being double the rate charged on old limits.

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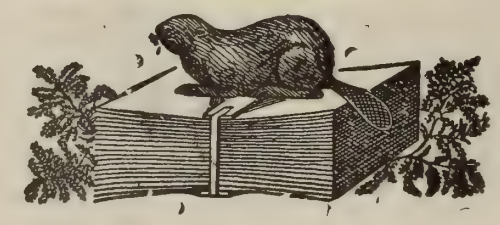

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3 in.	70 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
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1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 20 00 22 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The past week has been an uneventful one in lumber circles. There has been less activity in shipments and fewer inquiries. The outlook for fall trade is not altogether promising, although taken in conjunction with the quantity of lumber for sale the conditions cannot be called unsatisfactory. So much of the season's production has already been contracted for that manufacturers are not seriously concerned as to the disposal of the balance. There is little doubt that the demand will absorb the supply before the cut for next season is ready for the market. It may be said that there is an entire absence of uneasiness in respect to white pine lumber, for the market for that lumber has so expanded within the past year or two that it is more a question of where the supply can be obtained than how the production can be disposed of. As to immediate demand, buyers appear to think that lumber is about as high as it will get and that nothing can be lost by holding off. On the other hand, the fact that prices are ruling firm shows the confidence the manufacturers and wholesalers have in the future of the market. In the Ottawa district pine shorts are firmer. A car shortage is again feared this fall and a few dealers are aiming to forestall the shortage by placing orders for their fall and winter requirements earlier than usual. This would seem to be a wise policy.

Reports from the Georgian Bay are that the drives are making splendid progress and that very few logs are likely to be hung up. There is a great scarcity of men for operations in the woods, which may again curtail the production.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The strong position of spruce in the Eastern States has done much to help out the situation in the Maritime Provinces. It has been possible to dispose of all good lumber to advantage and manufacturers have been largely independent of the British market. It must not be supposed, however, that the European trade has been neglected, as considerable shipments have been made to France and Spain as well as to Great Britain. There is an urgent demand for wide spruce and persons having such stock for sale find no difficulty in obtaining a slight advance

upon recent quotations. Clapboards are very firm at the prices quoted. So far as this class of stock is concerned the market is entirely in the hands of the shipper.

New Brunswick cedar shingles are quoted at from $3.40 to $3.50 for extras on Boston rate of freight. An occasional order is accepted at five to ten cents below this figure, but the large manufacturers are holding out for $3.50 and predict that at an early date the price will be firmly established on that basis. For this reason orders for late delivery are turned down.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Owing to the congestion of the shingle market, the members of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association decided to suspend operations. On Saturday last, August 15th, all the shingle mills were closed down and will remain idle until the situation has sufficiently improved to warrant a resumption of work. The closing down of the mills will doubtless be followed by a suspension of operations in several logging camps, and the total number of men thus thrown out of employment will be quite large. It seemed absolutely necessary, however, to curtail the shingle production, which had been greatly increased within the past year by the erection of several new mills. The lumber demand is of average volume and prices steady. Seventy-seven licenses for cutting timber were issued by the British Columbia Government during July.

UNITED STATES.

The month of August so far has turned out about as expected. The volume of business does not compare favorably with the corresponding period of last year, but still there is very little complaint of unsatisfactory trade. The crops have deteriorated slightly within the past month, but promise an average yield. It seems to be the general opinion that prices of white pine are not likely to advance to a higher basis this season. For this reason consumers are showing no anxiety to add to their holdings, but on the other hand are disposed to wait until necessity compels them to purchase. Business conditions generally are favorable. A large consumption of lumber by the Eastern States is expected this fall, as most of the building strikes have been settled. The lower grades of pine are selling somewhat readily, the consumption being large. A Buffalo firm reports the sale of half a million feet of Lake Superior No. 3 boards, 12-inch, for $20.50 on board the barge. The price of 12-inch box is still $20. Stock is accumulating rapidly at Buffalo and Tonawanda, but the poorer grades, especially box and barn, are still insufficient to supply the demand. Saginaw Valley dealers are not buying to any extent, as most of them have a sufficient stock to care for the fall trade. The spruce demand is as firm as ever and prices slightly stronger. By some it is predicted that the fall will witness an advance. Boston and Bangor dealers are making large shipments to the South American market.

The hardwood supply has doubtless been considerably increased of late, but the demand has been sufficient to prevent an accumulation of stock at wholesale centres. The demand for quarter-sawed oak is less urgent. Basswood has become more plentiful as a result of shipments from Michigan and Wisconsin. Birch and elm are scarce and cannot be kept in stock.

Hemlock prices continue to be very stiff. In some districts hemlock lumber is being supplanted by North Carolina pine. Buffalo reports great activity in hemlock on the base price of $16.

Shingle prices are practically unchanged. There is a disposition to hold shingles for the improvement which is expected in the fall. In the Saginaw Valley cedar shingles are held at $2.60 and $3.60 for 18-inch stock and $2 and $2.45 for 16-inch.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The holiday season in Great Britain has resulted in a falling off in the lumber demand. The consumption, however, has been equal to the import, and stocks are no heavier than one month ago. The high prices of first quality pine and spruce deals have been maintained. Pine deals are almost invariably sold from the quay, which has prevented any accumulation of stock. Importers who make a specialty of this branch of business state that they have no lack of orders. There is more uncertainty about fourth quality pine, the supply of which is comparatively large. Very little spruce arrives at either London or Liverpool that has not already been contracted for. The receipts of 3 x 9 and 11 inch have been exceptionally small.

A writer in the Timber News urges prospective buyers to place their orders at current figures. He says: "The immense Quebec output is a vision of the past, and the enormous rise in all prime log stuff is at length reacting much more perceptibly with regard to sawn deals, boards and scantling. It may appear and indeed is an absurdity for consumers here to be quoted £45 per standard for best broad pines, with £35 for all 11 x 3; but in view of the facts already adduced, however, and having respect to the improving quotations of other competing woods, we are strongly of opinion that the buyer will have to be content for the present to remain entirely in the hands of the seller. The small quantities available in all prime stocks is another dominant factor to be remembered. While it must be admitted that a considerable percentage of consumers have been able to divert a portion of their wants to other woods, and to substitute canary whitewood, cottonwood, kauri and sequoia for pine lumber, there still exists a sufficient number of buyers who are impelled to maintain the use of Canadian pine. In this connection importers have succeeded this season in placing fair quantities of prime logs ranging from 18in. to 19in. average at 3s 9d to 4s per foot string measure ex quay. It is to be doubted even if these excessive results represent finality. We learn that one or two of the principal Quebec shippers are even sounding buyers as to their willingness to contract for next year at still higher quotations, which they assert will prevail in 1904."

STOCKS AND PRICES.

For the week ending August 8th Buffalo received by water 4,474,000 feet of lumber and 4,880,000 shingles.

The Gull River Lumber Company, of Cobokonk, Ont., have cut about 750,000 feet of lumber this season.

The steamer Persian is loading deals at Marysville, N. B., for the Alexander Gibson Manufacturing Company.

No. 1 white pine lath is selling in Chicago at $3.50; No. 1 hemlock and Norway mixed at $3 to $3.10, and No. 2 at $2.75.

D. & J. Ritchie & Company, of Newcastle, N. B., are understood to have purchased a quantity of logs which will enable the mill to run longer than anticipated.

The steamer Nzassa arrived at Montreal last week from Savannah, with 1,932,790 feet of pitch pine lumber, consigned to McLean, Kennedy & Company.

W. A. Preston, of Mine Centre, Ont., has just received a contract to get out 100,000 ties for the Canadian Northern Railway. He has two camps in operation.

A raft of 5,000,000 feet of pine logs from Spanish River to Sarnia, in tow of the tug Buscobel, broke away from the tug in a heavy gale about 48 miles off Sturgeon Point on August 11th.

Firsts and seconds white ash sells readily in Chicago at $36 for one inch, common at $22 and cull at $11 to $12. Holders are asking $38 for firsts and seconds basswood. Birch is quoted at $29 for inch first and seconds, with 1¼ and 2 inch selling at $2 additional.

Keenan Bros., of Owen Sound, Ont., last week received a raft of 1,500,000 feet of hemlock logs from St. Joseph's Island. Unfavorable weather was encountered and it is estimated that nearly 300,000 feet were lost during the journey and through the breaking of booms at the island.

The corporation of Victoria, B. C., recently invited tenders for paving blocks. James Leigh & Son, J. A. Sayward, the Taylor Saw Mill Company and the Shawinigan Lake Lumber Company tendered, but prices were the same in each case, namely $18.75 for fir and $23.45 for cedar.

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From Parrsboro, N.S.: Str. Hermann, for Sharpness, England, 1,076,221 ft. deals, value $12,992, 332,272, ft. ends and scantling, value $3,545, by M. L. Tucker for W. M. Mackay, of St. John.

From Sorel, Que.: Str. Nextos, for Glasgow, spruce deals, value $7,898, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co. Str. Leif Erikson, for Spain, spruce deals, value $7,898, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co.

From Yarmouth, N.S.: Barque Armita Manetti, for Buenos Ayres, 719,000 ft. lumber, value $7,500, by Blackadars & Co. Str. Huelva, for Great Britain, 1,000,000 feet plank, value $12,410, by Dickie & McGrath.

From St. John, N.B.: Str. Imperator Aleqander II., for Melbourne, Australia, 1,591,153 ft. spruce deals, 47,110 ft. spruce ends. Schr. Victor, for New Haven, 128,285 ft. deal ends. Schr. Jennie C., for Fall River, 119,788 ft. scantling, 25,353 ft. plank. Schr. Lotus, for Boston, 77,068 ft. hemlock boards, 27,885 ft. spruce boards, 26,680 ft. spruce plank, 22,089 ft. spruce scantling. Barque Cedar Croft, for Buenos Ayres, 1,099,664 ft. spruce boards, 159,803 ft. scantling, 84,508 ft. plank. Schr. Rosa Mueller, for Vineyard Haven, 1,509,600 laths. Schr. W. L. Elkins, for New York, 206,244 ft. deals. Schr. I. M. Parker, for New York, 200,000 laths.

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THE BOSTON MARKET.

The spruce lumber situation at Boston is practically unchanged. The eastern mills are hung up for the want of logs, the drives having been much delayed by low water. This is especially true of the Penobscot mills, the manufacturers in Bangor being unwilling to make prices on account of the scarcity of logs. The situation on the Kennebec is better, but most of the lumber sawed there is going to New York, where better prices are being obtained. Boston could also have a share from this source if the dealers here were willing to pay about $1 more for lumber. Trade is quiet, but owing to the light supply prices hold firmly at: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

There is a quiet demand for hemlock lumber at unchanged prices: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.75 to $15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is firm, though the demand is only fair: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2 1-2 to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is quiet, but firm for whitewood and quartered oak: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

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Shingles are firm for the better grades, with an over supply of off stock: Extra cedar, $3.40 to $3.50; clear, $2.90 to $3.00; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2-in., $3.50 to $3.60; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.75; five butts to 2¼ in., $3.90.

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The midsummer lassitude has had its effect on the lumber trade in Ottawa and district, and while cutting operations at the mills have been brisk, the movement of lumber at least to the United States has been slow. The past few days have ushered in an improved condition of affairs in some yards, but a substantial all round improvement is looked for with the advent of September days and the return of the American buyer from his vacation. The New York and Eastern States building strikes had a lot to do with the falling off in local lumber business when it should have been at its best.

Labor troubles have certainly played the deil with the export lumber business of this district, but now that the differences between employer and employee in dependent lines of trade, have been straightened out, local shippers look forward to busy doings.

The millmen up the C. P. Railway, at Pembroke, Cache Bay and other points, report a rush in the movement of lumber to Montreal for export. The dock laborers' strike earlier in the season is responsible for this rush, as purchasers who held off their consignments then are now clamoring with one voice to have them rushed through.

Inquiry amongst local and visiting lumbermen and a scrutiny of several bills of lumber, fail to show any change from the quotations running for the past fortnight. Pine shorts are a trifle firmer, showing an advance of a dollar a thousand on medium grades. On pine sidings the mill quotations run from $16.50 to $19.00 per M. Other lines, however, warrant no change.

One dealer who returned this week from a trip in the New England States reported that wherever possible Georgia and other southern pine was being substituted for Canadian white pine on account of the stiff prices asked for the latter.

In both lath and shingles hereabouts trade is quite, particularly so with shingles. This depression is probably responsible for the fixed figures in the price list.

It is early yet to make a forecast of figures for the future. Inquiries for deals are being made, however, but no figures are mentioned.

Local lumbermen are taking great interest in the big sale of limits to be held by the Ontario Government in Toronto on December 9th. Discussing it to-day, one prominent holder expressed regret that the Provincial Government had inserted a clause requiring the removal of all timber within ten years. He characterized it as a needless sacrifice of an asset of ever increasing value. It is felt that the sale will be the means of introducing several new companies into the business, this being made possible by the division of townships for sale into small lots.

Speaking on the question of limits a day or so ago, an operator who recently paid $350,000 for a tract of white pine in the Nipissing country, gave it as his opinion that the present price of pine on the stump would hold, no matter how the price of the manufactured article might fluctuate. Judging from the figures quoted on recent sales of limits, his opinion is held in common by the majority. The standing pine is being cut in some limits faster than is imagined, and at a pace that outdistances natural reproduction. As an instance, in the Kippewa district the coming season's cut of waney and square timber will be considerably less than that of last season.

The call for the lumber jack is heard in the land. Some of the lumber companies profess no difficulty in securing men, while others say they are having trouble. The lateness of the Ontario harvest and the exodus to the Northwest, to both of which are attached high wages, have combined to deplete the available supply of lumbermen. With the completion of the harvesting operations, however, the situation will be relieved. A number of the firms having retained the names of last season's good hands, are re-engaging them easily this time. From the Soo comes the report that the Lake Superior Consolidated Company is after 2,000 men, many of which are being hired here.

Everything is moving briskly up in the Georgian Bay district, and the late logs are coming along satisfactorily. A sale of limits is reported from Thessalon. N. & A. Dyment, of that town, sold two townships recently to George Neibergall & Son, of Windsor. This firm will establish a well equipped mill at Echo Bay, on the Soo branch of the C. P. R. Ritchie Bros'. mill at Aylmer, Que., above Ottawa, will have a record cut this season, amounting, it is expected, to fully 20,000,000 feet. It is mostly intended for the English and South African market, but Buffalo will get some. The red pine goes to Watson & Todd, Liverpool, and the white pine to the W. C. Edward Company.

The Pembroke Lumber Company's mill has been shut down at night, and the gang sent forward to work in the camps. The Shephard & Morse mill at Hintonburg was also shut down on night operations on account of the exhaustion of the log supply. It will resume night work shortly, however, as more logs are on the way.

The recent accident at Fraser & Company's new mill, whereby the power house was laid in ruins by a cyclone, will delay the commencement of cutting operations about six weeks or two months.

LUMBER SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES.

The shipments of lumber from Canada to the United States continue to increase. The last statement compiled covers the eleven months ending May 31st, 1903. The export in that period was 653,358,000 feet, valued at $9,603,274, as compared with 594,596,000 feet, of a value of $8,253,168, for the eleven months ending May 31st, 1902. This is an increase of over 58,000,000 feet. There is also a steady increase in the value of lumber exported, the average price this year being 15 per cent. higher than in 1901 and 6 per cent. above that in 1902.

The increase in value and amount of shingles exported is about in line with that in lumber, except that the price is increasing at a greater ratio than the volume. The export for eleven months ending May 31st for three years was as follows: 1903, 653,487,000 shingles; 1902, 624,736,000; 1901, 483,946,000. The average value for the three years was $2.06, $1.92 and $1.85.

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It is rumored that American capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of the timber limits and mills of the William Richards Company at Campbellton, Chatham and Boiestown, N. B. It is also stated that an American syndicate has an option on the properties of the Edward Sinclair Company, of Newcastle, N. B.

The Michigan Land & Lumber Company, of Blind River, Ont., are reported to have sold about one-half of their timber limits in the Algoma district to the Morgan Lumber Company, of Toronto. The limits sold are estimated to contain between 65,000,000 and 75,000,000 feet of timber and the deal includes the logging outfit of the Michigan Company. The consideration is said to be $300,000 cash. The company still holds three townships estimated to contain 75,000,000 feet, but it is unlikely they will operate the coming winter.

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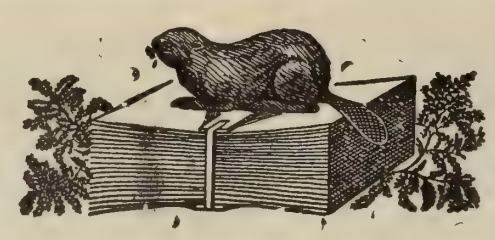

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P. Payette & Co., Penetanguishene, Ont
Perkins & Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.
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Perrin & Co., W. R., Toronto, Ont.
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Rodgers Iron Mfg. Co., Muskegon, Mich.
Sherman Co., W. S., Milwaukee, Wis.
Sleeper Engine Co., Montreal.
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Queen City Oil Co., Toronto.

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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50	17 50
2x10 common	18 50	19 00
2x12 common	20 00	21 00
3x10 common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	20	21 00
1x10 and 12 common.	20 00	22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00	15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box 17		
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..		2 5
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in...		2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$30 00	$32 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in.	22 00	24 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in.	23 00	25 00
Ash M. R., 1 to 2	18 00	20 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	19 00	20 00
" 1½ " 2	21 00	22 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	24 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	25 00	26 00
1½ to 2	24 00	2
" m. r. 1 1¼	20 00	
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1½ 50 00	60 00
Cherry 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	17 00	19 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	18 00	20 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	24 00	26 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	19 00	21 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	20 00	22 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	34 00	38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in. and up.	$40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, 2	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16 00	19 00
Pine Shorts 10' to 11'x8"		16 00
" 10' to 11'x10"		17 0
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mil run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 10	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
1 "	24	28
1⅞ "	27	29
1⅞ "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	60 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	38 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	51 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	52 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide.	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide.	52 00	6 in. wide.	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide.	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide.	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up.	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide.	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 25	No. 2 White Pine	2 90
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24	25
2½ in.	83	85	1¼ inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	83	85	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common		20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	40	45
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	57	1x10	25	26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	24	25
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12		27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10	23	24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	22
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch		40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	23
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	50 00	1¼ and 1½ in	50 00
1¼ and 1½ in	24 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	42 00	No. 2, 1 in.	17 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	1x10	18 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	36 00	1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00	1x13 and up	20 00
1¼x10 and 12	34 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
1½ in.		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	2½ to 4 in.	40 00	42 00
1¼ to 2 in	35 00	37 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
		Com. and culls	13 00	15 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	28 00	30 00	Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	20 00	22 00
Common and culls	12 00	14 00	Common and culls	12 00	14 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	17 00	14 00	Common and culls	9 00	

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

WANTED—TO RENT A PORTABLE SAW Mill; state charges per thousand feet. Apply Drawer 12 Hamilton.

WANTED—BASSWOOD AND HARDWOOD barrel heading, 5/4 and 8/4 beech, 2" and thicker soft maple and wormy chestnut. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

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I AM OPEN TO PURCHASE LARGE OR small quantities of Hard Maple Lumber, sawn 1, 1¼, 1½, 2, 3 and 4 inch. Grade to be common and better. Terms cash when shipped. Mixed carloads taken. Millmen will please state the quantity they have of each thickness, with their lowest price. Also say how long sawn. Address care Box 22 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

One 20" x 24" Waterous engine, 8 ft. driving wheel, 26" face. 11 ft. x 4 ft. Stillwell & Bierce Heater, feed pipe and connections to heater complete.

One 10" x 18" Engine.

One 3-k.w. 2,500 Standard Dynamo and Voltmeter, wiring and 50 lamps (complete.)

One pair twin engines, 10x16.

One No.2 Carriage and Saw Frame, 78 ft. track, and two 60" Saws.

One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrils and saws.

Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.

One 14' x 60" Boiler; one top saw slash table.

About one mile of telephone wire, and two 'phones. For particulars apply to BOOTH & GORDON, Azilda, Ont.

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5,000 GOOD LOGS, MOSTLY WHITE PINE 16 feet long, now running into the mouth of Spanish River at Georgian Bay. Also Limit for sale with or without saw mill. Limit and saw mill located on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier Ont.

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FOR SALE

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to and inclusive of the 5TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A. D., 1903, for thirty acres of timber, being the southerly thirty acres of the north half of lot 19 in the 7th concession of the Township of Yarmouth, in the County of Elgin, the property of L. C. Cottington. The timber consists of White Ash, Black Ash, Rock Elm, Soft Elm, Hard Maple, Basswood, Beech, Hickory, White Oak and other timber. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars apply to

W. L. WICKETT,
Barrister, Etc.,
St. Thomas, Ont.

Dated August 17th, 1903.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to authority of Orders in Council, the Red and White PINE TIMBER in the following townships, berths and areas, namely :—

IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING — the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLMER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULOCK (part of) FRENCH (part of), STEWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HAMMELL and PHELPS (part of).

IN THE DISTRICT OF ALGOMA — Berths Nos. 159 and 201, the Townships of KITCHENER and ROBERTS, and Block "W" near Onaping Lake.

IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT—Berths G19, G21, C23, G29 and G38, and the following Berths with the right to cut and remove the pine, spruce, tamarack, cedar and poplar :—G4, G6, G17, G18, G24, G25, G26, G27, G28, G33, G35, G36, G37, G19, G40, G41, G42, G43, Berths Nos. S1, S2, S3, and S4, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings, in the City of Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1903, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

Sheets containing terms and conditions of Sale and information as to Areas and Lots and Concessions comprised in each Berth will be furnished on application, either personal or by letter, to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, or the Crown Timber Agencies at OTTAWA, SAULT STE. MARIE, PORT ARTHUR, RAT PORTAGE and FORT FRANCES.

E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
Toronto, July 29, 1903.

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FOR SALE

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KILN DRIED BIRCH, ABOUT 60 M. Box 442 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—WHITE PINE

MILL CULLS AND BETTER, ALSO HEMlock and Basswood. We handle entire cuts. HURDMAN & ELMITT, Ottawa.

WHITE OAK PILES FOR SALE

ABOUT 700 WHITE OAK PILES FROM 20 to 60 feet long; good desirable piles. Also some large oak logs; can deliver on rail in August and September. Address Box 78, Dresden, Ont.

FOR SALE.

240 acres Timber Land, 4½ miles from Durham, Ont., with good saw, shingle and lath mills complete; also good dwelling house and stables. Railroad switch can be put in property. Land well timbered with Hemlock, Maple, Birch and Cedar. Will either sell outright or one-third interest to practical man who will manage business at reasonable salary. Apply to COCKBURN, WHALEY & CO., Guelph, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

If present trade is any criterion of the fall demand, an active lumber business may be expected. No one complains of more than seasonable dullness, while the number of inquiries received indicates an early change for the better. Investigation leads to the conclusion that the stocks of dealers and consumers are generally light and in need of replenishment. Buyers have held off in the hope of being able to purchase to better advantage, and being unsuccessful are now disposed to accept the inevitable. The proposed increase in pine stumpage dues is not indicative of lower prices for lumber.

There is an active demand for low grade pine, particularly box lumber and mill culls. The consumption of box lumber this season has been exceptionally heavy, box factories being operated to their utmost capacity. The position of mill culls is equally strong. The price at the mills in the Georgian Bay district is in the neighborhood of $10.50 per thousand feet This price has been paid by American buyers, and with a duty of two dollars and freight rate of from $1.50 to $2, means a total cost for the stock laid in the yards on the west coast of Lake Huron of upwards of $14. The good end of pine is also much inquired for, leaving the intermediate grades the most inactive.

The demand for hardwoods is not less pronounced than heretofore. The mills have very little dry stock for sale. Prices are uniformly firm, with singular strength in birch, which is meeting with a heavy call for furniture manufacture. Basswood is slightly more plentiful than earlier in the season, but still in short supply.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The past week has witnessed considerable activity in lumber shipments from the Eastern Provinces. Montreal exports have been quite heavy, consisting chiefly of the Ottawa valley production. The spruce market maintains its strength. Boston is a large buyer of clapboards even at the high prices now ruling. There has lately been received several inquiries for cargo lots of spruce lumber for shipment to New York, where the demand is quite active. In some sections, principally eastern Nova Scotia and Cape Breton, there is a scarcity of spruce sheeting and flooring.

It is necessary to quote a wider range for New Brunswick cedar shingles, as the market is still unsettled. Small manufacturers are offering extras as low as $3.35 for Boston delivery, while a few of the more prominent manufacturers are holding out for $3.50. It is probably within the mark to say that the bulk of the transactions are on the basis of $3.40 for extras, with clears fluctuating between $2.85 and $3.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The general tone of the lumber market throughout the west is not as firm as it was, although the demand is still of fair proportions. Lower prices are predicted by some, while others argue that after the crops are harvested the demand will be such as to keep prices steady. The shingle mills in British Columbia which cater to the Canadian trade are now closed down, in accordance with the general resolution, but those supplying the American market are still in operation. The demand for shingles from the North-West has practically ceased temporarily. The position of loggers has not improved, one of the largest firms in the province having been compelled to make an assignment within the past week.

UNITED STATES.

Taken as a whole the lumber market of the United States is more active than at last writing. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers are making large shipments to the Eastern States and travellers from that district have returned with very satisfac-

tory orders. If labor matters at New York should become permanently settled for this season it would do much to still further revive the eastern markets. Price lists issued indicate that there has been no weakness. Some Buffalo dealers are asking $100 for 6-inch white pine uppers, $94 for 4-inch, $80 for 2-inch and $75 for inch selects. While receipts at that point have been quite heavy stocks have not increased to any extent. Business at Bay City and Saginaw has improved during the week. There is more inquiry for lumber and some dealers who purchased earlier in the season are being offered an advance of fifty cents a thousand on what is still to be manufactured for them at the mills. Much interest is taken in the meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association to be held this week. The Association has been making inquiry into stock conditions with the object of revising the price list. It is probable that an advance will be made in the price of dimension, as everything points to a serious shortage in this class of lumber. The percentage of dimension being sawed is very small and it is thought that the production might be stimulated by raising the price. The hemlock manufacturers are also considering the question of advancing prices.

A decline in cargo spruce was predicted some time ago, but owing to the fact that the logs have been slow in reaching the mills the opposite condition has resulted. Prices have stiffened materially, the supply being below the demand and many mills refusing to quote figures. Some of the Bangor mills have sawed all their logs. A freer movement of spruce lumber may be expected in September, and an easing off in prices would not be unnatural.

Oak and basswood still lead among the hardwoods, although the entire list is active and firm. Our Buffalo quotations this week show an advance of $2 in ash and elm. Good ash is very scarce and is being replaced by maple to some extent. Birch is also selling quite freely.

GREAT BRITAIN.

It is difficult to reach a conclusion as to the actual condition of the British lumber trade. One usually reliable authority states that the receipt of large shipments has taken the edge off the market and that prices are maintained only with difficulty. On the other hand, information from other sources indicates an improvement in trade and a somewhat hopeful feeling in regard to the outlook. Canadian lumber has been firm all season, and now it is stated that White Sea shippers have absolutely refused to make any concessions whatever, stating that if they cannot obtain their present asking prices they will hold their stocks over until next season. For the first seven months of this year the imports of sawn and planed lumber were 2,919,921 loads, as against 2,899,963 loads for the corresponding period of last year. Thus it will be seen that the increased import is very slight. As the consumption has been of average volume, the stock on hand is not large.

The retail trade are placing orders more liberally, having apparently realized that there is not likely to be any material slump in the prices of the best class of lumber. First quality pine deals range from £25 to £31 per standard, while third quality sell as low as £12. The strength of spruce deals is frequently commented upon by the trade. At some points, especially Bristol and Liverpool, the stock of the better grades is unusually low. Red pine deals now command from £19 10s to £22 for first quality, and from £13 to £15 for second quality. Some dealers are carrying more than an ordinary stock of red pine on account of its lower price in comparison with white pine, believing that the demand for it will steadily grow. Waney and square pine timber is in good demand at high prices.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

During the week ending August 15th 29 vessels reached the Tonawandas, with a total of over 22,000,000 feet of lumber.

The steamer Dunmore Head, from Montreal, with a cargo of deals for the Imperial government, arrived at Portsmouth last week.

J. Carew, of Lindsay, Ont., has secured a contract to supply ties for the Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool Railway.

The schooner Eduardo is loading lumber at Bear River, N. S., for Grenada, Clarke Bros. being the shippers. The barque Hornet is loading at Annapolis, N. S., for Havanna.

P. S. McManus, of Memramcook, N.B., has secured a contract for the reconstruction of the Courtenay Bay branch of the Intercolonial Railway. The work will call for over 1,000,000 feet of timber.

The last of the drives on the St. Croix river, N. B., which left Vanceboro, on July 6th, reached Milltown, on August 15. Very few logs were left behind on any of the St. Croix waters.

The tug Harrison arrived at Owen Sound Ont., last week from Byng Inlet, with a raft comprising 750,000 feet of logs for the John Harrison & Sons Company. The company have still 3,000,000 feet at Byng Inlet to be brought down this season.

The cooperage trade is in fairly good condition. There are practically no No. 2 staves nor heading in stock at Buffalo. Jobbers quote first-class elm flour barrel staves at $9.75, mill run at $7.50, and second-class at $6; first-class basswood heading 7 cents, mill run 6½ cents; coiled hoops $9.75 for 5½ foot, $10.25 for 6 foot.

Daniel McCoy, of Grand Rapid, Mich., and others have timber estimators at work in British Columbia on a tract of timber 100 miles in length and 2 miles wide, covered with fir, spruce and cedar, estimated to cut 2,000,000,000 feet. If reports are favorable a syndicate will purchase the property.

Licenses to cut timber on the following berths will be sold at Fredericton, N. B., on September 2nd: Two square miles at mouth of Crystal Brook, Nepisiguit river, R. McEwan, applicant; 4½ square miles on Never's Brook, branch of Caanan river, J. H. Barry, applicant; 2 square miles at head of Gibson's creek, George W. Masten, applicant; 2 square miles south of Shediac river, east of McLaughlan road, J. H. Barry, applicant; 2 square miles on Salmon river, Henry Lamp, applicant; 3 square miles on north branch of Oromocto river, F. Phillips, applicant.

Of the lumber demand in the Barbadoes Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company say: "Just now our market for white pine is moderately supplied. Last local sales of small lots ex Talmouth was at $22.43 as it runs. Last sale of spruce was at $17.29. After our reaping season is over, the demand for lumber, especially spruce, generally falls off. The last importation of Gaspe long cedar shingles was 100,000 of small size from St. John, N. B., which sold at $3.33 per M. Good large size are worth $4.50 to $5. Cedar laying are held at $2.24 to $3.20 according to quality, and spruce laying at $2.24."

The Mississippi Valley Lumberman thus refers to the white pine lumber market: "The white pine situation has shown marked and decided improvement within the past ten days or two weeks. This fact is made apparent by the reports of manufacturers in the two valleys. There is but one strong reason for this. They now more thoroughly appreciate the situation. During the past month a number of large companies permitted their quotations to sink considerably under list. Concessions have even been made on items that are in very small supply all over the country. Something of the nature of panic was experienced, though statistically the market should have been in the best of conditions. They were unable to withstand the many times repeated reports of crop failures and light demand for lumber. Most of them appear to have come to their senses again and the market to-day is much stronger than it has been for some time. There can be no doubt but that the demand for pine has increased, principally from the country trade. The line yards are placing more numerous and heavier orders than was the case three weeks ago and this condition is also true of the small dealer. Their confidence has been restored by the late crop reports, which show that the damage to grain in different parts of the pine territory will not be as large as expected. The wheat crop will be of fair size and in addition wheat prices are soaring, promising as heavy returns in actual money as ever received by the northern farmers.

Messrs. Farnworth & Jardine, Liverpool, Eng., quote the following prices for Canadian lumber:

	£	s	d	£	s	d
QUEBEC WHITE PINE TIMBER.						
Square, per cu. ft.	0	1	8 @	0	2	10
Waney, per cu. ft.	0	2	6 @	0	3	6
St. John, 18 in., per cu. ft.	0	2	6 @	0	3	3
Dalhousie, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	3 @	0	1	8
Red Pine, per cu ft.	0	1	7 @	0	1	10
Oak—1st quality, per cu. ft.	0	2	9 @	0	3	4
2nd quality, per cu. ft.	0	1	6 @	0	2	6
Elm, per cu. ft.	0	2	9 @	0	3	6
Ash, per cu. ft.	0	1	6 @	0	2	3
Birch, St. John, per cu. ft.	0	1	5 @	0	1	10
Quebec, per cu. ft.	0	1	5 @	0	2	0
Nova Scotia, etc., per cu. ft	0	1	2 @	0	1	6
Birch Planks, per cu. ft.	0	0	9 @	0	0	10
Spruce Spars, per cu. ft.	0	0	10 @	0	1	0
QUEBEC PINE DEALS.						
1st quality, per std.	22	10	0 @	31	0	0
2nd quality, per std.	17	0	0 @	22	0	0
3rd quality, per std.	11	10	0 @	12	15	0
SPRUCE DEALS.						
St John, etc., per std	7	12	6 @	7	17	6
Nova Scotia, etc., per std	7	5	0 @	7	12	6
Boards, Spruce, etc, per std.	6	0	0 @	6	15	0
Oars, Ash, per running foot	0	0	3 @	0	0	5

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Special Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

The lumber industry in all parts of British Columbia is in a fairly prosperous condition. For the past few months large shipments have been made by land and sea, and orders continue to come in, necessitating some of the mills running overtime to fill rush orders. Trade in Manitoba and the Territories is very satisfactory and will likely continue so. Reports of lumber agents in those parts state that although the crops in Manitoba are not equal to those of last year by at least fifteen per cent.; the condition of buyers financially is satisfactory and the price of grain is higher than last year, which will more than compensate for the shortage. Prices for foreign shipments remain firm and the demand fair.

In the shingle industry, there has been an over-production, and the mills, with the exception of two or three of the smaller ones, have signed an agreement to shut down for thirty days to relieve the situation. Many of the mills have been running two shifts for some time and the market has been temporarily overstocked. It is not the intention of the Manufacturers' Association to make any cut in price, and eastern buyers who have been endeavoring to "bear" the market are not likely to accomplish their object, unless something unforeseen occurs. The manufacturers almost to a man are resolved on keeping the prices firm, and there is little fear of the price of shingles being lowered below a fair profit-making basis.

The logging business has been overdone. "Hot air" newspaper accounts of the enormous profits that were to be made in the business, induced inexperienced men in the business to invest, with the consequence that there were about one-third more logs going into the water than the mills had a market for. The result has been that prices of the inferior grade of logs have fallen $2.50 per thousand feet, which practically places many of them below cost. Some firms have already assigned and more are likely to follow. Many of those now in the business are closing their camps and the industry will regain its equilibrium shortly. Over-booming of the industries of British Columbia by the press has its detrimental effects, and it would be wisdom for intending investors to make careful investigation as to where a market for their product is to be found before making investments in the lumber and shingle industry. There are more than enough mills in the Province to supply what Canadian trade comes to British Columbia, and lumbermen here are practically shut out of the United States market by the duty. On the other hand, United States rough lumber and shingles come into Canada free and in some instances this country is made the dumping ground for their surplus.

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It is pleasant to be able to report in favor of consumers that the culling of pine —especially in 3rd quality deals—is generally found to be satisfactory. Several parcels which we have personally inspected are so good as to remind us of the high-water mark of a few years ago. It is evident, therefore, that £13 c.i.f. for an ordinary specification of 3rd quality 3 in. deals is leaving the maker a sufficient margin of profit to raise the culling, and thus in another form to help the British importer to better please those he has to cater for. The worst feature of the demand is seen in the cabinet trade, in which direction the bulk of the 4th quality deals shipped are required. This big demand is now being partially supplied by the lower qualities of planed canary whitewood and cottonwood in thin kiln-dried sizes practically ready for use. Both these American woods are now admitted to be equally good substitutes for common pines, with the extra advantage of being regularly obtainable at a relatively lower range of values. This fully accounts for the shrinkage in 4th quality Canadian deals apart from the prevalent dulness in all classes of cabinet work.—Liverpool Timber News.

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From Yarmouth, N.S.: Schr. Beatrice, for United States, 2,000 ft. lumber. Barque Annitte, for Buenos Ayres, 719,000 ft. lumber.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Huelva, for River Mersey, 900,708 ft. spruce deals, 22,574 ft. scantling, 62,808 ft. ends. Str. Briardene, for Bordeaux, 1,774,858 ft. spruce deals, value $21,289, 52,953 ft. ends, value $424. Str. Huntcliff, for Brow Head, England, 2,315,687 ft. spruce deals, value $30,650.

From Annapolis, N. S.: Barques St. Croix and Albertina, for Buenos Ayres, cargoes lumber.

From St. John, N. B.: Ship Triton, for Swansea, 1,151,279 ft. deals, 24,451 ft. ends, 84,878 ft. birch plank, 4681 ft. birch ends. Schr. Flash, for Scituate, 1,125,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Pansy, for Boston, 21,397 ft. boards, 198,243 ft. plank, 853,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Rowena, for Boston, 99,002 ft. boards.

From Montreal: Str. Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 730 pcs. boards, by Imperial Lumber Co.; 6,216 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 25 pcs. ends, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 162 pcs. timber, by McLaurin Bros. Str. Lake Champlain, for Liverpool, 21,428 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 2,310 pcs. lumber, by E. H. Lemay; 3,271 pcs. lumber, by McLaurin Bros.; 1,614 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 2,091 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 4,008 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 150 pcs. oak lumber, 691 bundles maple flooring, 1,586 bundles maple strips, by C.P.R. Str. Marina, for Glasgow, 12,735 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 2,209 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 5,137 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 2,214 pcs. boards, by Orillia Export Lumber Co.; 3,077 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 1,130 pcs. deals, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Indiana, for Newcastle, 3,499 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 6,627 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; for Antwerp, 8,104 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd; 6,098 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Cervona, for London, 1,446 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 1,175 pcs. elm lumber, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Torr Head, for Belfast, 5,685 pcs. deals, etc., by McLaurin Bros.; 9,784 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 3,614 pcs. boards, by Robert Cox and Co.; 7,335 pcs. deals, etc., by Watson & Todd; 6,723 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 640 bundles staves, by Grand Trunk Railway; 3,769 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 6,320 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Norman, for Newcastle, 1,420 pcs. deals, 2,787 pcs. boards, by W. & J. Robert Cox & Co.; 2,486 pcs. deals, 8,920 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd; Sharples. Str. Cecilia, for Glasgow, 368 pcs. deals and ends, by Robert Cox & Co.; 32 logs, 19,240 pcs. deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Hanseat, for Leith, 6,681 pcs. deals, 4,230 pcs. ends, by J. Burstall & Co.; 5,644 pcs. deals and boards, by 6,222 pcs. deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Gladestry, for Sharpness, 43,998 pcs. deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Britannia, for Bristol, 12,773 pcs. deals, 607 pcs. ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Montreal, for London, 4,360 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 10,530 pcs. deals, etc., by W. & J. Sharples; 5,430 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 939 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 3,738 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 21,453 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 10,478 pcs. lumber, 1,067 doors, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Pretorian, for Liverpool, 1,209 pcs. boards and deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 18,632 pcs. deals, etc., by Robert Cox & Co.; 27,474 pcs. deals, etc., by Watson & Todd. Str. Manxman, for Liverpool, 15,903 pcs. deals, ends and boards, by Watson & Todd.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber is still very firm at Boston, with the market only moderately supplied. The situation in Maine is unchanged, most of the mills on the Penobscot and eastern rivers being short of logs. The demand is fair, with the prices unchanged: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock is easier for eastern stock: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

There is a firm market for western pine lumber, though the demand is quiet: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2 1-2 to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is firm with a steady demand: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $45 to $47; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $60; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

Some off grade shingles are still selling at low prices, but generally the market is steady; western red cedars are firmer: Extra cedar, $3.35 to $3.50; clear, $2.90 to $3.00; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2-in., $3.45 to $3.50; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.75; five butts to 2¼ in., $3.90 to $4.

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James M. Scott, of Dumfries, W. J. Scott, of Springhill, and John S. Scott, of Fredericton, N. B., have purchased the lumbering property at Fredericton, formerly owned and operated by the firm of Hale & Murchie and more recently by John R. McConnell, of Marysville. The property includes the Victoria saw mill with wharves, dwelling houses, etc. Scott Bros. own large tracts of timber lands in the vicinity of Maguadavic Lake and have recently purchased from Chipman & Eaton, of St. Stephen, upwards of 50,000 acres in that vicinity well timbered with spruce. It is their intention to cut about 6,000,000 feet of logs on this property next winter. They have also secured large timber limits on the upper waters of the St. John river.

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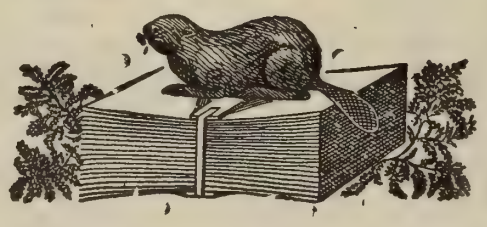

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Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
n shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 in ch	17	22
1	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	37 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	49 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6.	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	23 00	1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 15	No. 2 White Pine	2 75
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	57	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23 24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10 23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8 20 22
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in 35 45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 23
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

LATH.

Pine	$3	Spruce	$ $3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Up rs, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00	34 00	2½ to 4 in. 42 00 44 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00	39 00	Strips 20 00 23 00
			Com. and culls 15 00 17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00	32 00	Com. & good culls 14 00 16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00	27 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 22 00 24 00
Common and culls	14 00	16 00	Common and culls 14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	17 00	14 00	Commonand culls 9 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

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WANTED—BASSWOOD AND HARDWOOD barrel heading, 5/4 and 8/4 beech, 2" and thicker soft maple and wormy chestnut. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton.

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2 Cars	5/8	18" to 26",	1st and 2nd	Poplar
1 "	4/4	8" and wider	"	"
1 "	5/4	"	"	"
1 "	6/4	"	"	"
2 "	4/4	Common and better Ash.		
1 "	4/4	1st and 2nd Quartered Red Oak.		

All high grade stock. The Poplar is soft W. Va. Yellow Poplar If interested write for prices. CURLL & LYTLE LUMBER CO., Pittsburg, Pa.

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IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING — the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLMER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULOCK (part of) FRENCH (part of), STEWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HAMMELL and PHELPS (part of).

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E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
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50,000 FEET 2" MILL RUN BROWN ASH and 100,000 to 500,000 feet Box Spruce. HURDMAN & ELMITT, Ottawa.

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240 acres Timber Land, 4½ miles from Durham, Ont., with good saw, shingle and lath mills complete; also good dwelling house and stables. Railroad switch can be put in property. Land well timbered with Hemlock, Maple, Birch and Cedar. Will either sell outright or one-third interest to practical man who will manage business at reasonable salary. Apply to COCKBURN, WHALEY & CO., Guelph, Ont.

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BAND SAW CLAPBOARD MACHINE, THE only one in the world. Carriage has automatic setting device, only 8" stroke, with turntable. Block stands vertical and cuts all clapboards radially. Will take blocks any diameter 14" to 32 x 48" long. All clapboards cut desired thickness regardless diameter block. Will cut five times faster than any circular machine, 25 per cent. saved in saw kerf. A sound block 48" long x3." diameter will cut out $10 worth of clapboards. Large demand in New England States. Price $45 per M pieces. Will sell entire right for Dominion. Drawings and specifications on application. A. J. BURTON, Parry Sound, Ont.

The saw mill at Carleton, N. B., owned by J. A. Gregory, of St. John, was destroyed by fire last week, together with about $1,000 worth of lumber belonging to Mr. Driscoll.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber business is fully up to normal in volume and the outlook for the future is satisfactory. There is evidence of buying in anticipation of fall and winter requirements, some dealers being disposed to place their orders earlier than usual in order to forestall the car famine which develops every fall. The lower grades of white pine are moderately active, but there is less call for the intermediate and higher grades. Manufacturers still report numerous inquiries for box lumber. The advisability of making an advance in the price of box grades has been discussed, but the general disposition seems to be to pursue a policy of conservatism and encourage consumption by keeping prices at a reasonable basis. A slight improvement in Norway lumber is reported from the Ottawa district. There continues to be a heavy trade in hemlock at unchanged quotations, the attempt to advance certain sizes having been frustrated by offerings by the smaller mills. The hardwood market is characterized by a short supply in relation to the demand. Very few mills are carrying more than a moderate stock, while some of the largest manufacturers are almost completely sold out.

Prices of white pine lath are tending towards weakness. The demand is not as large as might be expected at this season of the year, while the supply in certain districts is comparatively large.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The lumber trade of the Eastern Provinces continues in a healthy condition. There have been no recent sales of square or waney timber, consequently the list is unchanged. Large shipments of spruce lumber are being made to the New York market, where prices are about one dollar per thousand higher than at last writing. The demand is fully equal to the supply, with some sizes exceptionally scarce. Laths are more active and slightly higher. New Brunswick cedar shingles are still uncertain. Fancy brands bring $3.50, but the bulk of sales are probably being made at $3.40 for Boston delivery. Clears range from $2.85 to $3, and seconds from $2.25 to $2.40.

The lumbermen are sending men into the woods for the winter's operations. Wages are about the same as last year, $26 to $30 being paid for good men.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The movement of lumber throughout the North-West continues large. Prices generally are firm, although some dealers are said to be making a slight cut in one or two grades. There is no abatement of

the building activity in Winnipeg and a large quantity of lumber is being consumed. The situation is respect to British Columbia shingles is unchanged, the mills being closed down. On the other hand, the saw mills are working full time and are behind with orders. This is largely the result of active local building operations. A recent trial in the courts to decide the legality of loggers holding logs for wages has resulted in a victory for the loggers.

UNITED STATES.

Dealers in pine lumber were much interested in the meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association held last week, for two reasons, first, that changes in the price list would be considered, and, secondly, on account of the statistics that would be presented. The Price List Committee made only unimportant changes. Dimension over 18 feet was advanced 50 cents, and piece stuff of 10-foot length was made the same price as 12, 14 and 16 foot; 6-inch No. 3 fencing, E siding and lath were reduced 50 cents, and D siding $1. The list, it may be said, remains unchanged, as the advances in some lines were offset by reductions in others. The report of the secretary showed the pine market to be in a strong position statistically, with a pronounced scarcity of box grades. Lumbermen are inclined to the opinion that all the lumber manufactured will find a market at prices now ruling.

In the East conditions continue to brighten. Box lumber and mill culls are as scarce as ever. A Buffalo dealer says that the price of 12-inch box pine is now established at $20. There is not a large call for the higher grades and occasionally a slight cut in price is reported. There is no oversupply of hemlock, which continues in active demand. Piece stuff is taken as fast as it is ready for the market. Among the hardwoods birch and basswood are in short supply; dealers are meeting with some success in selling other kinds of lumber as a substitute for basswood. A slight advance has been made in the price of maple. In New York City the hardwood market is active and firm, with the better grades of both plain and quartered oak finding ready sale at high prices.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British lumber market does not yet show any decided tendency. It is feared that unless the consumption shall improve lower prices will rule for Baltic lumber, of which the quantity on hand in the leading centres is somewhat large. A few cargoes of pitch pine lumber have lately been received at London on consignment, which is not regarded as a favorable sign. These circumstances have affected Canadian stocks to some extent, but on the whole they are relatively firm. Good pine stocks are in a strong position, and with an increase in consumption higher prices could easily be obtained, especially for first and second qualities. There is a further slight improvement in spruce deals. Shipments from the St. Lawrence have been below the average this year and promise to be small for the balance of the season. A cargo is said to have been recently placed at London at £9 15s for 3×9 seconds and £9 for thirds. Prices of square and waney pine timber are very high, causing a curtailment in the consumption for certain purposes. At London the stock of elm timber is low, but prices realized at recent auction sales do not indicate that the market is particularly firm. There has been an improvement in flooring boards, the supply of which is light.

London dealers are making considerable shipments to South Africa. There is a fair demand there for building lumber, the price of deals ranging from 6d to 8d per foot run.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Cedar 18-inch shingles are held in Chicago at $2.60 and $3.60, and 16-inch at $2 and $2.45.

Cleveland dealers report a great scarcity of Norway lumber and the winter will find yard assortments badly broken.

The steamer Forest Holme took on deals at Montreal for London, completing her cargo at Riviere de Loup, whence she will sail this week.

The steamer Bray Head sailed from Quebec on Saturday last with a full cargo of deals for Plymouth and Davonport, for the Imperial Government.

Lath in the cargo and carload trade at Chicago is moving moderately at $3.45 to $3.50 for white pine and Norway and $2.50 for hemlock and No. 2 pine mixed.

The Pigeon River Lumber Company, of Port Arthur, Ont., have three logging camps and one road camp in operation on their limits, and more will be started as soon as men can be secured.

Raworth Bros. have cut 1,200,000 feet of lumber at Hampton, N. B., for Flewelling Manufacturing Company. The mill has been removed to Bonny River to saw 2,000,000 feet for John E. Moore.

The receipts of lumber at the Tonawandas for the week ending August 22 were about 10,000,000 feet, bringing the total for the month to that date up to 50,000,000 ft. There is considerable lumber on its way down the lake.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission are asking for tenders up to September 25th for the delivery of 135,000 ties along the right of way between the 72nd and the 112th mile of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway. Tenders are to be addressed to P. E. Ryan, Manning Arcade, Toronto.

A sale of No. 4 boards was recently made at Duluth, Minn., at $12, which is the top of the market so far. No. 1 and No. 2 strips are claimed to have been sold at about $2 better than the ordinary price. The demand is far better for lower grades of pine than for higher qualities.

The attention of our readers, and especially dealers in shingles, is directed to the advertisement in this issue of Woods & Spicer, Limited, of Vancouver, B. C. They are anxious to hear from dealers either in the United States or Canada who handle 20 or 24 inch shingles, and no doubt they have something good to offer.

The Georgian Bay lumber firms are making preparations for work in the woods. The Victoria Harbor Lumber Company will employ about 600 men if they can be obtained. They will have three camps on the Wahnapitae river, two on the Sturgeon river and one on the French river. The total cut will probably exceed 20,000,000 feet. Pitts & Charlton will operate on the Whitefish river and expect to cut between 15,000,000 and 20,000,000 feet.

The New Brunswick Government will offer the following timber berths for sale at the Crown Lands Office, Fredericton, on Wednesday, September 9th: Two square miles on West Branch, No. 18 Brook, Little River, A. Cushing, applicant; two square miles on Green river, below Emerson Farm, R. A. Estey, applicant; two miles on Nevers Brook, branch of Caanan river, Thomas Campbell, applicant; two miles on North East Branch Pickett's Cove, C. H. Mott, applicant.

Though there is a report of light buying of various hardwood lumber in the eastern markets, it is all laid to the midsummer season, and there are already indications of a return to the former demand. All hardwoods, says the Buffalo correspondent of the American Lumberman, are doing well, unless it be white ash, which has given way to substitutes. The need of oak is so great that all grades are eagerly taken. There is a larger sale of basswood than formerly, though the price is strong at $40 for inch. Maple is running up in price and will soon be one of the expensive woods. It brings $22.50 in Michigan and reports come in that the Michigan Maple Company is turning down all orders, having sold so far ahead. Certain dealers report the receipt of chestnut and birch, but there is no regular supply of either to be had. They go out about as soon as the consumer learns of their existence.

The new list compiled by the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association fixes the following prices for common boards f.o.b. Minneapolis, taking effect August 25, 1903: No. 1, 13 inch and wider—12, 14 and 16 ft. $23; 18 and 20 ft. $24. No. 1, 12 in.—10 ft. $24.50; 12, 14 and 16 ft. $23.50; 18 and 20 ft. $25.50. No. 1, 10 in.—10 ft. $21.50; 12 ft. $20.50; 14 and 16 ft. $19.50; 18 and 20 ft. $22.50. No. 1, 8 in.—10 ft. $17.50; 12 and 14 ft. $19.50; 16 ft. $20; 18 and 20 ft. $19.50. No. 2, 13 in. and wider—12, 14 and 16 ft. $19. No. 2, 12 in.—10 ft. $20.50; 12 and 14 ft. $20; 16 ft. $19; 18 and 20 ft. $22.50. No. 2, 10 in.—10 and 12 ft. $18; 14 and 16 ft. $17; 18 and 20 ft. $19.50. No. 2, 8 in.—10 ft. $15.50; 12, 14 and 16 ft. $17; 18 ft. $16.50; 20 ft. $16.50. No. 3, 12 in.—10 and 12 ft. $17.50; 14 and 16 ft. $16.50; 18 and 20 ft. $18. No. 3, 10 in.—10, 12, 14 and 16 ft. $15; 18 and 20 ft. $18.50. No. 3, 8 in.—10 ft. $14; 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. $15. No. 3, 4 in. and wider—10 ft. $13.50; 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. $14.50. Lath prices were fixed as follows: No. 1 white pine, $3.50; No. 2, $2.50; mixed $3.

BUSINESS NOTES.

W. H. Higgins, of Vancouver, who has for several years conducted the largest individual logging business in British Columbia, has been compelled to make an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. The cause of the failure is officially stated to be the present stringency of the timber market, Mr. Higgins having now on hand between five and six million feet of logs which are unsaleable, but which at ordinary prices would realize more than sufficient to pay the liabilities. The liabilities are estimated at something like $20,000. The plant for logging at Toba Inlet is said to be worth $25,000. It is said that Mr. Higgins recently offered 3,000,000 feet of logs at $4.50 per thousand, which is claimed to be less than cost price, whereas two months ago he could have obtained from $7 to $8 for the same logs.

BROOM HANDLES.

If an enterprising man with supplies of cheap Spruce, Basswood or Poplar cares to put in several machines to work broom handles we can take his outpnt. Write in first instance to Empire, care of CANADA LUMBERMAN.

Orillia Planing Mills
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PLANING, MATCHING AND RE-SAWING
Done in any quantity. We guarantee satisfaction. Write for prices. Address,
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TELEGRAPH POLES WANTED
We buy all lengths. Write us for prices and you will see that by cutting your Cedar into Poles it will net you more than you can get out of it in any other way.
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WHITE PINE STATISTICS.

The report of the white pine production in the territory covered by the Mississippi and Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Associations states that estimates of the probable production indicate that on the whole there will be a slight increase in this year's cut. The mills have so far this season sawed about 20 per cent. less piece stuff than last year. There has been a steady decrease in the percentage of piece stuff on hand during the past four years. There is less shop lumber being produced this year than last, as less No. 3 shop is being put in pile. No. 4 boards which were in plentiful stock at the beginning of the season are reported well cleaned up. This is particularly true in the Wisconsin valley.

An increase in the amount of lath on hand August 1st is reported, being in the neighborhood of 7 per cent. over that of August 1st of last year.

Statistics showed that the lumber manufacturers of the Mississippi and Wisconsin Valleys held on August 1, 1900, 11 per cent. less lumber than they had on August 1, 1899.

On August 1, 1901, they had 7 per cent. less stock on hand than on August 1, 1902, making a total shortage of last year over 1899, of 25 per cent.

We find, after as careful an investigation as we can make, that the stock on hand August 1 this year, is slightly in excess of that on hand last year, or about 3.2 per cent. This shows that stocks are still far from normal.

On January 1st the combined inventories showed a decrease of 1.3 per cent. over the stocks on hand January 1, 1902, or a total of 1,484,127,575 feet.

Shipments for the first seven months of the year by the members of both associations amounted to 1,235,133,863 ft., which is 1.4 per cent. greater than the total reported by the same firms for 1902. The consumption in the Northwest and shipments to Chicago and the East count for the increase.

The steam saw mill owned by William McNutt at Tay Creek, York County, N. B., was burned on August 24th, also 30,000 feet of lumber and 45,000 shingles.

LUMBER PRICES IN LONDON.

Prices realized at the last auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, were as follows:

PINE—Ex. Hampstead, from Montreal—9-13 ft. 3x12-22 in. first quality, £26 per std; 12-13 ft. 3x11, £28 10s; 9-16 ft. 3x11, £28 5s; 9-14 ft. 3x7-10, £20 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x6-21, £19 15s; 9-16 ft. 3x12-22, £23 10s; 9-13 ft. 3x12-22, £23 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x12-19, £18; 12-16 ft. 3x11, £24 15s; 9-11 ft. 3x11, £19 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x11, £18 10s; 9-16 ft. 3x6-10, £15; 9-16 ft. 3x6-10, £14; 6-8 ft. 3x6-10, £15 10s; 9-16 ft. 3x10 in. third quality, £12; 9-16 ft. 3x9, £11 10s; 9-16 ft. 3x8, £11 10s; 9-16 ft. 3x7, £10.

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FIRES.

The shingle mill of Phillips Bros. at Flesherton, Ont., with a quantity of shingle stock, was burned a few days ago.

On August 28th fire broke out in the lumber yard of the Sheppard & Morse Lumber Company at Ottawa, but it was extinguished before much damage was done. About 100,000 laths were destroyed.

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TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

It is reported that the Rat Portage Lumber Company, of Port Arthur, Ont., have recently purchased a large area of standing timber in Minnesota.

The saw-mill and timber limits of S. C. Smith, of Enderby, B. C., have been purchased by J. A. Taylor, of Arrowhead. The limits are located on Sugar Lake.

Prouty & Miller, of Newport, Vt., last week purchased from the Eastman Lumber Company, of Eastman, Que., 34,000 acres of timber lands on the eastern side of Mount Orford and in Bolton township, Quebec. The price paid was in the vicinity of $25,000.

The large demand for birch is a feature of the hardwood trade. This lumber is now used very largely for the manufacture of furniture.

NOTES.

Haines & Company, of Buffalo, have received 3,600,000 laths within the past ten days.

It is reported that Pacific coast red cedar shingles have been advanced 5 cents per thousand.

Hemlock is selling in Chicago at $12.50 to $14. Norway pine piece stuff is held at $16.50 for short and $18 for long.

His Honor Judge Bole, in County Court at Vancouver, B. C., decided that the men who claimed liens for wages against the booms taken out of the woods for G. H. Finlay & Company had valid claims. Finlay & Company were logging on the Squamish, and had a boom of 1,000,000 feet at the mouth of the river, another about twenty-five miles up from the river mouth, and also had timber in the woods near the camp. The firm assigned, and the loggers filed liens for their wages under the Woodman's Lien for Wages Act.

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From Parrsboro, N. S. : Str. Vega, for Manchester, England, 1,818,531 ft. deals, value 20,371, 275,397 ft. ends and scantling, value $2,359, by George McKean, of St. John. Str. Nemea, for Manchester, 2,940,945 ft. deals, value $36,762, 48,509 ft. ends and scantling, value $4,805, by M. L. Tucker, for W. M. Mackay, of St. John.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Huelva, for River Mersey, 1,186,130 ft. spruce deals, value $13,875. Schr. Patriarch, for Vineyard Haven, 125,000 ft. spruce boards, value $1,450. Str. Gulf of Venice, for London, 36,409 ft. hemlock deals, value $238, 50,469 ft. birch plank, value $534, 11,242 ft. birch squares, value $180. Str. Aristea, for Bordeaux, France, 3,184,153 ft. deals, value $41,320. Schr. Onward, for Vineyard Haven, 113,461 ft. deals, value $1,135. Schr. Warrior, for New York, 600,000 laths, value $1,800. Str. Damara, for Liverpool, England, 181 tons birch timber, value $1,015, 41,568 ft. birch deals, value $457, 31,552 ft. spruce deals, value $410, 33,085 ft. hemlock battens, value $282, 282 pcs. sleepers, value $89.

From St. John, N. B.: Str. Gulf of Venice, for London, 43 crates veneer wood, 26,441 ft. birch plank, 165,000 box shooks; for Manchester, 850,141 ft. deals, 63 ft. ends. Str. Mantinea, for Brow Head, 2,175,775 ft. deals and battens, 263,545 ft scantling, 111,642 ft. ends, 20,410 ft. boards, 9,820 ft. birch plank, 963 ft. birch ends. Schr. Priscilla, for Newhaven, 80,176 ft. plank, 45,621 ft. scantling, 10,010 ft. spruce boards, 14,986 ft. pine boards, 100,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Alice Maud, for City Island, 150,467 ft. deals. Schr. S. A. Fownes, for Fall River, 410,000 ft. boards. Schr. J.L. Colwell, for New York, 300,000 laths. Schr. Romeo, for Fall River, 808,500 laths. Schr. Rewa, for Vineyard Haven, 52,628 ft. scantling, 160,313 ft. plank. Schr. W. H. Waters, for City Island, 172,566 ft. deals.

From Montreal : Str. Kastalia, for Glasgow, 16,661 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co. ; 110,193 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co. ; 49,333 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 5,227 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 2,548 pcs. deals, 192 pcs. lumber, by Grand Trunk Railway ; 1,077 bundles flooring, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Argus, for Adelaide, Australia, 3,682 ft. pcs. spruce deals, 1,378 pcs. ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. American, for Antwerp, via London, 3,329 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Hungarian, for Glasgow, via Liverpool, 502 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co. ; 32 logs, 4,482 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples ; 3,837 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Str. Lord Lansdowne, for Cardiff, 2,021 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co. ; 3,120 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co.; 12,230 pcs. deals, 2,932 pcs. ends, 2,297 pcs. boards, by J. Burstall & Co.; 5,704 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd ; 101 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 994 doors, by C.P.R. Str. Hurona, for London, 2,865 pcs. deals, by Robert Cox & Co. Str. Turret Bay, for Newcastle, 24,463 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Basuta, for London, 844 pcs. timber, 5,495 pcs. deals, etc., by McArthur Export Co. Str. Manchester City, for Manchester, 1,778 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples, 5,485 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 8,365 pcs. boards, 437 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 2,612 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd ; 685 pcs. boards, by Imperial Lumber Co.; 614 pcs. deals, by Grand Trunk Railway ; 103 pcs. lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Bavarian, for Liverpool, 13,676 pcs. deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples ; 12,072 pcs. deals and ends, by Robert Cox & Co. ; 11,436 pcs. deals, etc., by Watson & Todd.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

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Hardwoods are easier. Plain oak is quoted lower, but quartered oak is firm. Whitewood is also easier : Quartered oak, $75 to $83 ; plain oak, $42 to $45 ; common and rejects, $20 to $25 ; red oak, plain, $43 ; whitewood, $51 to $53 ; sap, $43 to $48 ; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44 ; white ash, $43 to $46 ; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30 ; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged : Extra, $45; clear, $43 ; second clear, $40 ; extra No. 1, $30.

Shingles are steady : Extra cedar, $3.35 to $3.50; clear, $2.90 to $3.00; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40 ; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75 ; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2-in., $3.45 to $3.50; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.75 ; five butts to 2¼ in., $3.90 to $4.

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The steamer Samartia is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for Limerick.

A meeting of the creditors of George Wilson & Co., contractors and lumber merchants, St. Catharines, Ont., who assigned recently to William Burns, of Thorodd, was held on August 28th. The statement presented showed nominal assets of $99,000, secured liabilities of $70,959.56, and unsecured liabilities of $28,572.29, The Quebec Bank has a claim for $53.664.

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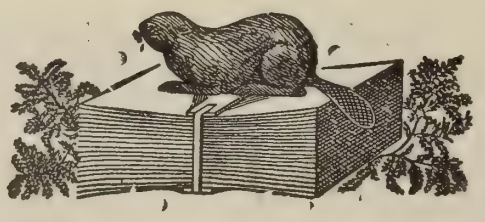

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10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
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No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
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The steam saw mill of William Bloedow at Killaloe, Ont., on the line of the Canada Atlantic Railway, was destroyed by fire last week, at a loss of $4,000. There was no insurance.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There are few new features in lumber circles to record. General conditions are satisfactory but business is on a conservative basis. Some consumers are postponing the placing of orders in the belief that the time has come for a reaction in prices. This disposition, however, has not impaired the firmness of values, and it is doubtful whether the buyer will be offered a greater inducement than is represented by current prices. Shipments to the United States are quite active. During the first seven months of this year there were exported to that country 313,000,000 feet of lumber and 365,186,000 shingles. While these figures represent a slight falling off in trade as compared with the corresponding period of last year, they indicate also a highly satisfactory volume of business. A comparison of prices shows an advance of about 60 cents per thousand feet in the price of lumber in favor of this year. The report from Ottawa that manufacturers are asking an advance for next season's production of deals is of an encouraging character. It is impossible to obtain the required number of men for logging operations, and it is probable that the production of logs this winter will be considerably curtailed from this cause. Doubtless the probability of a diminished production is the basis of the present asking prices for lumber of next year's manufacture. One or two of the Georgian Bay firms are said to be offering such grades as common and dressing at a slight concession, but this is the only instance of retrogression that has been heard of, and it is probably due to the relative dullness of the intermediate grades. These no doubt will firm up in due course.

There is not the slightest indication of any weakness in the hardwood list. There are many buyers throughout the country and the consequent competition has a tendency to bring about higher prices. Basswood and birch have been bought quite heavily.

Shingles are showing a little more activity, but prices are no stronger. An advance is not looked for at the present time, as persons are not anxious to buy heavily for stocking up purposes.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Nothing has occurred within the past week to disturb the spruce market. Lumber is going into consumption locally in considerable volume and stocks are being picked up for export. New York is paying high prices for spruce, the settlement of labor troubles in that city having

been followed by a heavy demand for lumber of all kinds. The cedar shingle market has not yet shown signs of improvement. There seems to be more shingles offering than the market is capable of absorbing, and until confidence is restored prices are likely to be unsteady. Extras are selling at from $3.35 to $3.45 on Boston rate of freight.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumbermen in Manitoba and the Territories have every reason to be satisfied with trade conditions, both present and prospective. On all sides there are signs of prosperity. Harvesting is in full swing and the yield promises to be greater than was estimated one month ago. Building activity in Winnipeg continues. Up to August 31st of this year the aggregate value of new buildings erected was $4,181,450, an unprecedented record which clearly indicates the large consumption of lumber in that city. Prices generally are firm. The saw mills and sash and door factories in British Columbia are busy, largely on orders for the provincial markets. No decision has as yet been reached as to the resumption of operations by the shingle mills, but it is understood that an agreement has been entered into relative to the allotment of the cut among the various mills. The amount of the daily cut will be fixed according to the capacity of the mills. In this manner it is hoped to prevent a recurrence of an abnormal accumulation of shingles.

UNITED STATES.

Such buying of white pine lumber as has been done during the past fortnight was largely for actual needs. That it has been sufficient to prevent a marked accumulation of stock at the mills signifies an average consumption. When speculative purchases shall become the rule, the consequent increased activity will produce a more hopeful feeling. Given an average yield of wheat and corn as now seems likely, a continuance of the country's prosperity for another year would be assured, and with it a normal demand for lumber at good prices. The high grades of white pine are accumulating to a greater extent than the lower grades, which are selling very readily. At Lake Erie wholesale points the supply of Norway framing dimensions and timber is short and dealers are looking for such stock with some anxiety. Norway lumber has improved in almost every market and there is ground for believing that it will command higher prices in the near future. Mill culls and box lumber are wanted throughout the Saginaw Valley. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers report bright prospects for future trade. As a rule stocks in these centres are light and general conditions very satisfactory. Any uncertainty which exists is confined to the higher grades of pine, and as these cannot be produced in large quantities, there is little fear of a heavy accumulation.

All kinds of hardwood lumber are in demand. There does not seem to be a surplus anywhere, the current trade keeping all the available lumber in motion. The demand for basswood, maple, white ash and birch is strong. Basswood brings $40 in the Buffalo market, and elm $33. Boston reports a slightly easier market for hardwood, in contradistinction to advices from other places.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The prevalence of wet weather in Great Britain has not been conducive to an expansion in the lumber consumption. Buyers consider offers in an apathetic manner and apparantly will only purchase stock when in actual need of it. Predictions are rife, even at this early date, that lower prices will rule during next year, these being based usually on the large stock of Baltic lumber that has not yet passed out of first hands. Nevertheless, nothing but encouraging reports come to hand regarding the present position of Canadian lumber. A Liverpool correspondent states that although the consumption of waney and pine timber has been checked somewhat by high prices, a lower range of values is not likely to be established, but on the other hand prices are likely to advance when the higher rates of insurance for autumn shipments set in. The same remarks apply to Canadian pine deals and boards. The control of these is in few and strong hands. In spruce deals the position is as strong as ever. Shippers have very little stock to offer and indications point to a steady if not an advancing market for spruce deals until the close of the shipping season from the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia ports. At Cardiff spruce deals and floorings are held at advanced figures, in consequence of the quantities offering being much less than is usual at this period. A Bristol report says that the stock of spruce deals is lower there than ever before. At the present time conditions seem to favor the seller, and unless there should be a sharp falling off in the consumption, there seems little reason to expect that prices for Canadian lumber in Great Britain will not be as high next year as they have been during the past.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Alert is loading lumber at Digby, N.S., for South America, for account of Clarke Bros.

B. Connor, of Alma, N. B., recently purchased timber property from E. Wilson and will operate a rotary mill.

William Button, of Wingham, Ont., has recently purchased a lot of standing timber, chiefly hard maple and hemlock, in the vicinity of Creemore, Ont., which he will likely log during the coming winter.

William Margach, Crown Timber Agent at Rat Portage, Ont., states that lumbering operations in the woods this winter will be larger than ever.

The steamers Ovidia and Drot are loading deals at Montreal for the United Kingdom, the latter being destined for Sunderland and Dundee.

George McKean, of St. John, is reported to have purchased 7,000,000 feet of lumber from the Nova Scotia Lumber Company at Walton, N.S., probably for export to Great Britain.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company have received 29,000,000 feet of pine logs this season at their mill at Sandwich, Ont., and have another raft of 2,500,000 feet yet to come down.

Eastern spruce boards in the Boston market range from $13.50 to $15. Pennsylvania No. 2 boards range from $15 to $16, with a decreasing demand for No. 1 at $18.50 to $19.

J. P. Mosher, who is manufacturing the cut of logs got out last winter at Musquash, N.B., by Knight Bros., has already sawn 1,200,000 feet of lumber and 800,000 laths. A cargo will be shipped to Great Britain this fall.

In Chicago hemlock short piece stuff is selling at $12 to $12.50; long lengths bring from $1.50 to $2.50 more than the prices of short. Norway piece stuff is held at $16 to $16.50 for short lengths and $17.50 to $19 for long. White pine common inch lumber is held by the cargo at $20 to $21. Cedar shingles by the cargo are $2.60 to $2.70, and standards $2.20 to $2.25.

A small quantity of pine and spruce deals were sold at the last auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, on August 25th, bringing the following prices: Third quality spruce, 3x8, £7 15s per std.; 3x7, £7 10s; 3x6, £7; fourth quality, 3x9in. £8 15s. Pine—13 ft. 1½ x9in. C quality, £11 15s and £11 10s. Some pine doors from New York, 6 ft. 6 in. x 2 ft. 6 in. x 1½ in., brought 4s 6d each.

A report from Minneapolis, Minn., states that the red cedar shingle situation there is not promising. The dealers had been selling on a five cent. margin, which all declared too low, but when a five cent drop was registered on the coast the Minneapolis market followed suit and in some cases has even gone further. The proposed pool arrangement of the west coast mills is the only thing which can restore strength to the market.

Slack cooperage staves and heading are advancing in price. The supply is very light, considering the demand that is expected soon. The shortage is largely on account of the lack of men to get out logs. At Buffalo the price of hoops is $9.75 to $10 for coiled 5½ foot, and $10.50 to $10.75 for 6-foot with hickories $6.75 to $7. First-class elm staves are $10 to $10.50, and second-class $7 to $7.50; basswood heading 7¾ cents for first-class, and 5 cents for second-class.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to September 1st as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers:—

	1901	1902	1903
Waney White Pine	984,375	1,591,600	1,420,040
White Pine	412,132	298,600	318,920
Red Pine	77,790	60,080	52,500
Oak	385,432	527,760	772,060
Elm	916,032	527,760	772,960
Ash	134,430	79,240	54,320
Basswood	264	.....	160
Butternut	944	.....	.....
Tamarac	198	.....	.....
Birch and Maple	306,842	164,800	196,640

Several timber berths were sold at the Crown Lands office, Fredericton, N.B., last week, as follows: Two square miles on mouth of Crystal Brook, Nepisguit river, to J. H. Barry, at $9 per sq. mile; 4½ miles on Never's Brook, branch of Canaan river, to T. B. Winslow, at $52 per mile; 2 miles at head of Gibson Brook, to George W. Marster, at $15 per mile; 2 miles on south side Shediac river, to J. H. Barry at upset price; 2 miles on Salmon river, to D. Duffy, at $17 per mile; 3 miles on north branch of Oromocto river, to South Bros., at $82 per mile.

The last report of the Barbados lumber market says: "Arrivals have been the "Letty M. Hardy" from Halifax, N. S., with 77,000 feet of white pine, and the "Lady Napier" from St. John, N. B., with 85,000 feet, which, owing to some of the dealers being quite bare, and stimulated by the probable demand from Martinique and Jamaica occasioned by the hurricane which has visited those islands, was sold at the very high price of $25.40 as it runs. Further receipts would do well. No arrivals of spruce have taken place, but in view of the high price of white pine a cargo should bring good prices. The cargo of shingles by the "Bravo" was sold at $5.09 to $5.29

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TO HOLDERS OF BIRCH LIMITS.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

The one absorbing and prevailing topic in lumber circles is the scarcity of men, and it is not all talk either, for lack of help is proving a serious business in the yards and on the limits too. The late harvest in Quebec and Ontario and the prevailing high rate of wages drew the men to the fields and they are not available for the limits and mill yards. Of course, matters will improve as soon as the harvest work is nearing a close. Railway agents and mill men say that large quantities of lumber are lying in the yards awaiting shipment, but tied up for the reason that men cannot be secured to load it. One dealer this week offered three dollars a day, but could not get men to load a rush order. It is a big jump from eight or nine dollars a week in a mill yard to thirty dollars a month and board on a farm, and the unskilled laborer naturally prefers the latter.

For a similar reason, as has been remarked before, it is difficult to get men for work on the limits. The Georgian Bay firms are offering in Ottawa as high as thirty-five dollars a month and board for axe men. Local firms naturally do not welcome this intrusion, as it means increased outlay for them. Men are being forwarded almost daily from Ottawa, Thurso, Buckingham and other points to the Georgian Bay and Soo country. A firm operating near the Soo is said to have gone as far in its search for men as to have secured the release of six prisoners from the County jail. The aggregate amount of the fines, $50, will be deducted from the men's wages in the woods.

Many inexperienced men are finding their way to the lumber camps. Gruesome proof is given by the records of the local hospitals. Almost every day for the past fortnight, disabled novices at the log-making business have been brought down, a foot or a hand having been chopped instead of a tree. To-day there were four such cases. Yesterday a local lumberman rejected five of eight men offered for work in the woods.

Already calculations are being made on the quotations on next year's cut of deals. It is safe to say there will be an advance of from five to ten per cent., made necessary, so the operators say, by the advance in wages and the inferior class of labor offering. What will have to be taken as a good day's work this year would not have been accepted a few years ago.

Fraser & Company's new mill at Deschenes, above Ottawa, will be running full blast in a few days. The firm figures on cutting about five million feet of lumber this season.

Damage to the extent of $1,000 was done a few days ago in the Shepherd & Morse lumber yard, near the mill in Hintonburg. About three quarters of a million feet of lath was destroyed.

Work is rapidly advancing on Davidson & Thackray's new planing mill and sash and door factory in the west end of the city.

The MacLaren Company, of Buckingham, are busy shipping dimension timbers at present. A number of contracts have been let to jobbers for pulpwood, ties and logs.

Yesterday for the first time in sixteen years there was a logjam at the Government slides at the Chaudiere.

Ottawa, Sept. 5th, 1903.

LUMBER EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES.

Exports of sawed lumber from Canada to the United States during the fiscal year ended June 30th, 1903, amounted to 719,135,000 feet, valued at $10,569,066, or at the rate of $14.91 a thousand. In 1912 664,751,000 feet were exported, valued at $9,228,970, or $13.95 a thousand. In 1901

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Inquiry has been made for names of a number of small joinery mills in Canada who might be willing to enter into negotiations for the supply of doors, mouldings, etc.

SHIPPING MATTERS.

The schooner Eva Stuart, from Windsor, N.S., for Boston, with lumber, was towed into Rockland, Me., leaking badly, having had to jettison 15,000 feet of lumber.

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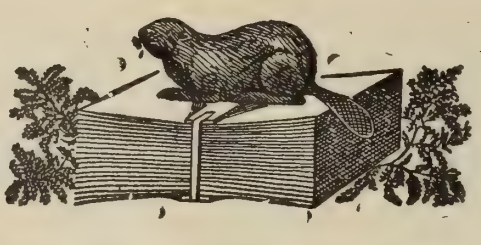

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Fleming, W. A., Montreal, Que.
Forrester Co., Thos., Montreal, Que.
Gutta Percha & Rubber Co., Toronto.
Goodhue, J. L. & Co., Danville, Que.
Lewis, Rice & Son, Ltd., Representing Hoyt's Belting.
McLaren, D. K., Montreal, Que.
Rossendale Belting Co., Toronto.
The Waterous Co., Brantford, Ont.
Young, J. S., Montreal, Que.

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J. T. Wing, Detroit, Mich., and Windsor, Ont.
Syracuse Smelting Works, Montreal, Que.

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A. H. Andrews Co., Chicago, Mich.
American Blower Co., Detroit, Mich.
Bayley & Sons Co., Wm., Milwaukee, Wis.
McEachren Heating & Ventilating Co., Galt, Ont.
Standard Dry Kiln Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

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Spence & Co., R., Hamilton, Ont.

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Gartshore, John, Toronto.
Lucas, Steel & Bristol, Hamilton, Ont.
Rice Lewis & Son, Toronto.
T. Clark, Montreal, Que.
Woods Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

LARRIGANS

Erb & Co., M., Berlin, Ont.
Henderson, J. S., Parrsboro, N. S.
Holt, Wm. A., St. Andrews, N. B.

LUMBERING TOOLS

Champion Tool & Handle Works, Evart, Mich.
Pink, Thos., Pembroke, Ont.

MACHINERY

Buffalo Tool & Machine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.
Bartlett & Co., A. F., Sagniaw, Mich.
Carrie, Laine & Co., Levis, Que.
Drake, F. J., Belleville, Ont.
Dunbar & Sons, Woodstock, N. B.
Gordon Hollow Blast Grate Co,, Greenville, Mich.
Hill & Co., Wm. E., Calamazoo, Mich.
Hayes Machine Co., E. B., Oshkosh, Wis.
Kennedy & Sons, Wm., Owen Sound, Ont.
Knight Mfg. Company, Canton, Ohio.
Lloyd Mfg. Company, Kentville, N. S.
Laurie Engine Co., Montreal, Que.
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Madison, Williams, Port Perry, Ont.
Mowry & Sons, B. R., Gravenhurst, Ont.
Owen Sound Iron Works Co., Owen Sound, Ont.
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Perkins & Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.
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Queen City Oil Co., Toronto.

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Dodge Mfg. Co., Toronto.
Reeves Pulley Co., Toronto.

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The Jenckes Machine Co., Sherbrooke, Que.
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Atkins & Co., E. C., Indianapolis, Ind.
Burns Saw Co., E. R., Toronto.
Buckeye Saw Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ohio.
Shurly & Dietrich, Galt, Ont.
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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¾ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50	17 50
2x10 common	18 50	19 00
2x12 common	20 00	21 00
3x10 common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	20	21 00
1x10 and 12 common.	20 00	22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00	15 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17	

1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in. / XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	2 5
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00	$34 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	24 00	27 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	25 00	28 00
Ash M. R., 1 to 2	20 00	22 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	20 00	22 00
" 1½ " 2	22 00	24 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	25 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	23 00	25 00
1½ to 2	25 00	27 00
" m. r. 1 1¼	21 00	22 00
Butternut 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
" 2 " 3	25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1 " 2	24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 1½	50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	19 00	21 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	20 00	22 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	23 00	25 00
Elm rock, mill run 1¼"	3 25 00	27 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2 32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 19 00	21 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4 20 00	22 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 31 00	33 00
Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4 35 00	38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 "	3 85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2 34 00	33 00

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, goodsidings : 1 in. x 8 in and up.	$40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips : 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet,	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 1' to 16'	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16 00	19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		16 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles : XXXX, 18 inch	3 0	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
n shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	49	44

ASH.

¼ inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
1	24	28
1⅞ " "	27	29
1⅞ " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	37 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	49 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide.	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up.	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 15	No. 2 White Pine	2 75
		Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	72	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in.	72	75	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	7	Common, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	57	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23 24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 20 22
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 2
Dressing boards, narrow	26	8	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

LATH.

Pine	$3	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 5
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 2 in.	40 00	1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x 10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00	34 00	2½ to 4 in. 42 00 4 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00	39 00	Strips 23 00 23 00
			Com. and culls 15 00 17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00	32 00	Com. & good culls 14 00 16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00	27 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 23 00 24
Common and culls	14 00	16 00	Common and culls 14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	30 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	17 00	14 00	Common and culls 10 00 12 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

WANTED — HARDWOOD LUMBER OF all kinds and sizes If you have any to offer, write me. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton.

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH MILL Men having bright Spruce, first quality, suitable for piano sounding boards THE MASON & RISCH PIANO CO., Limited, Toronto.

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HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

MAPLE LUMBER WANTED

I AM OPEN TO PURCHASE LARGE OR small quantities of Hard Maple Lumber, sawn 1, 1¼, 1½, 2, 3 and 4 inch. Grade to be common and better. Terms cash when shipped. Mixed carloads taken. Millmen will please state the quantity they have of each thickness, with their lowest price. Also say how long sawn. Address care BOX 22 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

One 20" x 24" Waterous engine, 8 ft. driving wheel, 26" face. 11 ft. x 4 ft. Stillwell & Bierce Heater, feed pipe and connections to heater complete.
One 10" x 18" Engine.
One 3-k.w. 2,500 Standard Dynamo and Voltmeter, wiring and 50 lamps (complete.)
One pair twin engines, 10x16.
One No.2 Carriage and Saw Frame, 78 ft. track, and two 60" Saws.
One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrils and saws.
Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.
One 14' x 60" Boiler; one top saw slash table.
About one mile of telephone wire. and two 'phones. For particulars apply to BOOTH & GORDON, Azilda Ont.

HAVING DECIDED TO CLOSE OUR sash and door department, we are offering our machinery and balance of materials at close prices. Apply to HENRY S. CANE, Newmarket, Ont.

FOR SALE

400,000 FEET 4/4, 6/4 AND 8/4 DRY PINE lumber, principally dressing, also squares, very sound and free from shake. J. J. THOMPSON, Fergusonvale Ont.

FOR SALE

CEDAR AND TAMARACK; 200,000 ties and 20,000 telephone poles on the Vermillion River or drove, to Spanish boom. JAMES MCCREARY, Larchwood, Ont.

FOR SALE

TEN CAR LOADS OF DRY INCH PINE mill culls, different widths and lengths. Apply to MAITLAND, RIXON & COMPANY, Owen Sound, Ont.

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5,000 GOOD LOGS, MOSTLY WHITE PINE 16 feet long, now running into the mouth of Spanish River at Georgian Bay. Also Limit for sale with or without saw mill. Limit and saw mill located on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier Ont.

PINE LIMIT FOR SALE

13½ MILES ON PIGEON RIVER, THUNDER Bay. Limit lies on river bank 50 miles from Fort William. A splendid location for good saw mill. Dray haul will water bulk of timber. Owner quitting lumber business. Limit will be sold at a bargain. BOX 790 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to authority of Orders in Council, the Red and White PINE TIMBER in the following townships, berths and areas, namely:—

IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING — the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLMER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULOCK (part of) FRENCH (part of), STEWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HAMMELL and PHELPS (part of).

IN THE DISTRICT OF ALGOMA — Berths Nos. 159 and 201, the Townships of KITCHENER and ROBERTS, and Block "W" near Onaping Lake.

IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT—Berths G19, G21, C23, G29 and G38, and the following Berths with the right to cut and remove the pine, spruce, tamarack, cedar and poplar:—G4, G6, G17, G18, G24, G25, G26, G27, G28, G33, G35, G36, G37, G19, G40, G41, G42. G43, Berths Nos. S1, S2, S3, and S4, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings, in the City of Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1903, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

Sheets containing terms and conditions of Sale and information as to Areas and Lots and Concessions comprised in each Berth will be furnished on application, either personal or by letter, to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, or the Crown Timber Agencies at OTTAWA, SAULT STE. MARIE, PORT ARTHUR, RAT PORTAGE and FORT FRANCES.

E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
Toronto, July 29, 1903.

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FOR SALE

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL LUMBER Yard; small band saw and planing mill; steam dry kiln; unlimited supply of both Pine and Hardwood timber; water and rail transportation; healthy locality; prosperous town in the South; 12,000 population; cheap labor; established paying business; small investment. Write for particulars. GEO. T. HOUSTON & CO., Chicago, Ill.

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FOR SALE—ONE 48" Hercules Water Wheel in good order, a bargain for immediate sale. Address, MACHINERY EXCHANGE, 22-24 Victoria Square, Montreal, Que.

WANTED— QUOTATIONS ON OAK, ASH, and Walnut logs for veneers. Must be round and free from knots. APTUS VENEER CO., West River, New Brunswick.

WANTED—A PARTNER IN THE LUMBER business. with capital, who will put it against experience; can give good reference. Address BOX 64, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A SECOND-hand Alligator, in good condition. Write full particulars as to condition and price to the RAT PORTAGE LUMBER CO., Limited, Rat Portage, Ont.

FOR SALE—ON GEORGIAN BAY, OF THIS winter's cut, one million feet pine logs, and one to two million feet hemlock logs; any quantity R. R. ties, piling poles and posts, and two or three thousand cords pulp wood. Apply BOX 55, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

FACTORY FLOORING

KILN DRIED BIRCH, ABOUT 60 M. BOX 442 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED

50,000 FEET 2" MILL RUN BROWN ASH and 100,000 to 500,000 feet Box Spruce. HURDMAN & ELMITT, Ottawa.

FOR SALE

SEVERAL LARGE TIMBER LIMITS ON the Kootenay Lakes and along Crows' Nest line of C. P. R. Most available timber for Northwest trade. For particulars, apply to D. I. DEWAR, Nelson, B. C.

FOR SALE

ONE OF THE BEST PAYING AND MOST complete lumbering concerns in British Columbia, including limits, mill and plant, capacity five million per year, on which a net profit of over $20,000 per annum is being cleared. For particulars apply to X. Y Z., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

J. W. Johnstone, lumber, Lacombe, N. W.T., has sold out to H. R. Folgeur & Company.

The saw mill of William Shea at Royston, Ont., was destroyed by fire on September 12th, at a loss of $2,500.

The sheriff is said to be in possession of the estate of James Harrison, lumber merchant, Burlington, Ont., who disappeared recently. The claims of creditors aggregate $4,300.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market shows considerable snap. There has not been a perceptible increase in the demand, but the steady buying of small lots indicates that consumers are carrying comparatively light stocks and that they consider it wise to gradually increase their holdings. When the buying for fall and winter trade shall become more general increased activity will be seen. The harvest throughout the province has been safely garnered and the yield is quite up to the average. Business conditions generally are good and payments are being well met.

The hardwood manufacturers still continue to hold the reins of power. Competition among buyers is keen, and the bulk of the hardwood production has passed out of first hands. Prices rule very firm. Manufacturers are asking $20 for ash, basswood and soft elm log run, mill culls out, $18 for birch, and $16 for maple. These prices are f.o.b. cars at the mill, and it is understood that large sales have been made near these figures. The present outlook is for a continuation of strength.

The call for lath is growing and that article promises to be quite brisk before winter. There are also more enquiries for white pine shingles.

It is yet too early to estimate the extent of operations in the woods during the coming winter. By some it is predicted that there will be a considerable shortage as compared with last season on account of the excessive cost of logging. No doubt the holders of timber limits acquired under the smaller stumpage charge will be opposed to depleting them unless a fair profit from the operations should seem reasonably certain.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

An enlargement in the demand for wide spruce lumber is perhaps the only change in the eastern market. The demand for all kinds of spruce is sufficient to absorb all the stock that is pressed for sale, so that prices continue firm. The large manufacturers have fixed a price on their stock and will doubtless hold it until the buyer meets the figure. There has been an increase in the transactions in cedar shingles, but these have not brought about a higher range of prices. Extras are selling at $3.40 for Boston delivery. Considerable shipments of lath have been made to the New York market.

UNITED STATES.

Lumber is not being purchased in large quantities. Until the corn crop is fully

matured there will be hesitation about making committments. Dealers do not appear to be stocking up for fall and winter business, but it is believed that the stocks carried are comparatively light and that considerable buying will be done in the late fall. There is some weakness in the higher grades, but all the lower grades remain firm and constitute the bulk of the sales. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers report a scarcity of low grade pine, their efforts to increase the supply by purchases in the Lake Superior district not having met with much success. The demand for Norway is strong, while the supply is light. The market generally has been strengthened by the action of the North-Western Hemlock Manufacturers' Association, which has put into effect an advance in hemlock dimension which amounts to 50 cents a thouaand on lengths over 20 feet and on 3 x 12 in 18 feet, also on 16-foot common boards and ship-lap. The general shortage of dimension stock and heavy demand for it is responsible for this action.

An important meeting of the hardwood manufacturers of the United States was held at Cincinnati on September 5th. At this meeting it was reported that 70 per cent. of the membership had suggested a revision of the price list making an advance on certain items. The report from 190 manufacturers showed that the surplus stock on hand August 1st was only 4,677,-000 feet, whereas one year ago the surplus stock held by 70 members was 3,330,000 feet. It will thus be seen that the statistical position of hardwoods is strong. Maple flooring does not improve. This is surprising in view of the fact that prices of maple lumber are firmer, and everything else in the hardwood line is in good demand.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The buying of lumber in the British market has not improved to any extent. Prices have reached the point where buyers think they cannot go much higher, and accordingly they are disposed to wait in the hope of a reaction. Prompted by reliable advice, we reiterate that the conditions in Canada do not offer any hope of lower prices for lumber shipped to Great Britain this season. Shippers have absou tely refused to consider offers which represent a reduction in price, and if they annot obtain their asking prices they are likely to carry the stock over till next spring The situation in London has been improved by a reduction in the quantity of lumber in the public docks. While the amount is larger than at same time last year, there is a marked reduction as compared with a few months ago. Deals, for instance, that in the early part of the year exceeded last year's stock by a million pieces, are now in excess by only 15,000 pieces. There is quite a large stock of Baltic boards. Foy, Morgan & Company estimate that the present stock of Baltic deals constitutes a sufficient supply for the next seven months. The Canadian supply is, comparatively, much lighter. At Liverpool the supply of pine and spruce deals is considerably less than at the corresponding period last year. The high price of first quality pine deals has curtailed the consumption to some extent. Considerable spruce has been sold throughout Ireland. Current values for about 60 per cent. 9 inch x 3 inch are £9 2s 6d to £9 5s per St. Petersburg standard of 1980 feet, c.i.f. Belfast. Plasterers' laths have been consumed in large quautities, the price of 3/16 x 1 inch having steadily advanced from £5 10s per standard to £6 10s. Rock elm timber is in good demand, also oak. The stock of ash timber is light, but the demand has been curtailed by importations of plank.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

H. S. Brennan & Company will take out logs at Birch Island, McGregor Bay, next winter.

The base price of hemlock in Tonawanda is $16.50. Some retail dealers have been shading prices slightly.

Probably the last raft of square timber of the season is at the Chaudiere slides, Ottawa. It belongs to E. Moore and contains 193 cribs.

The steamer Platea is completing her cargo of lumber at Gaspe, Que., and will shortly sail for the United Kingdom, with about 3,500,000 feet.

It is reported that the Spanish River Pulp & Paper Company, of Webbwood, Ont., will have ten camps in operation the coming winter taking out pulp wood.

Norway piece stuff is in short supply in the Chicago market. All the Norway possible nowadays is converted into inch lumber, which sells well in place of soft pine.

Hemlock piece stuff is selling in Chicago at $12 to $12.50; long lengths $1.50 to $2.25 a thousand more than shorts; Norway short lengths, $16 to $16.50, hemlock inch lumber, $17 to $18.

W. M. Mackay has this season loaded four steamers and one bark with lumber at Hopewell Cape, N. B., the total shipment being about 18,000,000 feet. The barque Avoca is now loading at that place for J. Nelson Smith and John L. Peck.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa is prepared to receive offers up to October 7th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1089, comprising the south-half of section 6, section 9, and the north-west corner of section 10, in the Province of Manitoba.

Shingles are in better demand in the Saginaw Valley, and the supply in dealers' hands is small. Cedar shingles are held at $2.60 and $3.60 for 18 inch, and $2 and $2.45 for 16 inch.

The Lands and Works Department of British Columbia will receive tenders up to September 23rd for a twenty-one years' license for cutting timber on lot 5,985 on Cherry Creek, East Kootenay, containing 10,855 acres. Tenders must be accompanied by certified cheques for $5,266, the amount of the first year's rental and the cost of surveying and cruising the limits.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their report of August 29th, refer to the Barbados market as follows: "There has been no arrival of white pine during the fortnight. The market is lightly stocked and first receipts should do well. In spruce the "Success" from Paspebiac, Que., brought 70,000 feet, which owing to the present stimulated condition of the market, brought $21.63 as it runs. This is a very full rate and may not be maintained unless receipts are very moderate. This steamer brought 690,000 shingles, of which about 240,000 laying cedar has been sold to arrive at $2.43½ and 160,000 long were for one of the lumber dealers. Further receipts should also do fairly well. The balance, consisting of 200,000 long and 78,000 dimension, were sold at $5.56, $6.56 and $5.31 for the former, while the latter were placed at $4.60 for 4-inch, $6.25 for 5-inch, $7.35 for 6-inch and $8.55 for 7-inch. These high prices have undoubtedly been brought about by the anticipated demand acting on a moderately stocked market and are somewhat inflated."

BRISK DEMAND FOR HARDWOODS.

Apparently there is no abatement in the demand for all the leading hardwoods. Buyers who go south and north among the mills are just as zealous in picking up lumber as they were months ago. Wherever there is a bunch for sale it is snatched up without delay, says the American Lumberman. In the south the early season was so wet that getting logs was impossible a large part of the time, and difficult nearly all the time, so that there has not been nearly a normal season's output. At the same time the demand from manufacturers of finished product of all sorts, from the builders, furniture factories, car shops and railroads, has taken all the oak, ash, cottonwood, birch, basswood, poplar, elm and maple that could be produced. The stress has been particularly strong in oak, prices have vaulted upward and remain unbroken all along the line, because there are no accumulations, and no competition among sellers. How long this will continue depends on future conditions at the mills and in the woods, and on the rate of demand. At present there are no conditions that point to a larger supply in proportion to the demand or softer prices.

A like comment can be made on the other hardwoods, though the call for oak is the most emphasized, because it is the most conspicuous hardwood in the country. Ash cannot be procured in sufficient quantity to make it overabundant in any season, and now that the supply in the south has been shortened by unfavorable weather for logging the demand is especially pronounced. In the southern list cottonwood this season attracts a good deal of attention because it is in short supply.

Northern hardwoods are sold close up to the point of scarcity. The call for birch continues urgent with small stocks with which to respond. Basswood is in like condition. Soft elm is wanted all the time, but the coopers have for a year or two taken so much of the Michigan product that it has diminished the supply of lumber. It is generally understood that the season's cut of hard maple has been mostly sold or put under contract.

Finally, when we consider the whole line of hardwoods there is no burdensome surplus anywhere, while the demand for consumption continues to absorb what is offered. Of course under such conditions it is easy to maintain prices.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Edmiston & Mitchell, of Glasgow, Scotland, under date of August 31st, furnish the following particulars of the lumber market :

Business during August has been fairly active, deliveries both from the quay and from the yards having been up to the average for this month, while values have been on the whole well main ained. Arrivals from the St. Lawrence have been on a considerable scale, a large proportion of which were deliveries against contracts made earlier in the season. In spruce and pitch pine there have been a number of transactions at prices which show little, if any, alteration from those ruling last month. In hardwoods a moderately active business has been in evidence, and, speaking generally, prices continue to be very firm. There is every appearance of a healthy tone in the market, and, so far as can be seen, values are likely to be maintained to the end of the year, assuming that imports are not abnormally heavy. Scotch shipbuilders have launched during August 34 vessels aggregating 73,585 tons, which forms a record output for one month, and compares with 22 vessels of 46,882 tons for same month of last year. The new business contracted for amounts to over 36,000 tons, which is a satisfactory addition to the work at present on hand. There has been a falling away of orders for sailing vessels and tramp steamers of late, which of course is explained by the present low freights ruling. The housebuilding trade in the city and neighbourhood continues wonderfully active, and there is a considerable amount of work still on hand.

WHITE PINE—The import during the month has been exceedingly light, about 100 loads sawn waney via liners from Montreal comprising the total. Stocks of fiast-class waney are low, and the demand is moderate, while square timber is difficult to move. Prices are firm and likely to continue owing to the meagre imports.

RED PINE—The import consists of a small parcel sawn timber, good squares, via Montreal, which met with a ready sale "ex quay." The stock is low, but ample for all present requirements.

OAK—The import consists of about 500 loads Southern States wood. A few good sales of first-class Quebec wood, 15-inch and up, are reported at prices from 3s. 6d. to 3s. 9d. in ponds, and one or two small sales of second-class wood at 2s. 8d. to 3s. per foot. Stocks are heavy, especially in second-class and Southern timber.

ELM—There has been a fair demand for first-class rock, and several transactions have resulted at good prices. Second-class wood is moving off slowly, and the stock of this class is still heavy.

BIRCH—Quebec—There have been quite a number of arrivals during the month, a large proportion of which consisted of inferior or small logs, and were mostly disposed of from the ship's side. The market is dull, and sales can only be effected at unsatisfactory prices. Lower Port—There is now a considerable stock on hand, consisting chiefly of Pictou wood, the nominal value of which is about 17d. for 15-inch average logs, but the demand is trifling in extent.

ASH—Several shipments have come forward lately, and in most cases proved to be of somewhat unsatisfactory quality. There is very little demand, and values are more or less nominal.

DEALS, &C.—There has been a good volume of business during the past month. The import has been a fairly large one, and sales "ex quay" have been rather more difficult to effect. Prices, however, are firm, especially in the better qualities. Lower qualities are difficult to move. Current values are as follows : Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34 ; 11-inch, £29 to £31 ; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second pine deals, 11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third pine deals, 11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s. ; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals, 9 and 11 inch, £11 10s. to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10s. First pine sidings, 9 and 10 inch, £24 to £25 ; 11 to 12 inch, £26 to £28 ; 13 to 14 inch, £29 to £31. Spruce deals, 9-inch and up, £8 15s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower Port pine and spruce, 7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s. ; 9-inch and up, £8 5s to £8 15s.

NEW HEMLOCK PRICE LIST.

The new price list adopted by the North-Western Hemlock Manufacturers' Association will doubtless be of interest to manufacturers in Canada. The list took effect August 28th. For common boards s1 or 2s, the prices fixed are as follows : 8 inch No. 1, 8 ft., $12 ; 10, 12 or 14 ft., $13.50 ; 16 ft., $14 ; 18 and 20 ft., $13.50. 8 inch No. 2, 8 ft., $10 ; 10, 12 and 14 ft., $11.50 ; 16 ft., $12 ; 18 and 20 ft., $11.50. 10 inch No. 1, 8 ft., $12; 10, 12 and 14 ft., $13.50; 16 ft., $14; 18 and 20 ft., $13.50. 10 inch No. 2, 8 ft., $10; 10, 12 and 14 ft., $11.50; 16 ft., $12; 18 and 20 ft., $11.50. 12 inch No. 1, 8 ft., $13 ; 10, 12 and 14 ft., $15 ; 16 ft., $16.50; 18 and 20 ft., $15. 12 inch No. 2, 8 ft., $10.50; 10, 12 and 14 ft., $12.50; 16 ft., $13; 18 and 20 ft., $12.50. Mixed widths No. 2, 4 inch and wider, 8 ft. and longer, $11 ; No. 3, $6.50. Rough boards, 50 cents per M less.

For 2-inch piece stuff s 1 s and e, the prices are : 2x4, 8 ft., $10 ; 10 ft., $13.50; 12 and 14 ft., $12.50; 16 ft., $13.50; 18 ft., $16 ; 20, 22, and 24 ft., $16.50. 2 x 6, 8 ft., $10 ; 10 ft., $11.50 ; 12 and 14 ft., $12 ; 16 ft., $13 ; 18 ft., $14.50 ; 20 ft., $15 ; 22 and 24 ft., $16. 2 x 8, 8 ft., $10 ; 10, 12 and 14 ft., $12 ; 16 ft., $13 ; 18 ft., $15 ; 20 ft., $15.50 ; 22 and 24 ft., $16. 2 x 10, 8 ft., $10 ; 10 ft., $11.50 ; 12 and 14 ft., $12.50 ; 16 ft., $13 ; 18 ft., $14.50 ; 20 ft., $15 ; 22 and 24 ft., $16. 2 x 12, 8 ft., $12 ; 10, 12 and 14 ft., $13.50 ; 16 ft., $14 ; 18 ft., $15.50 ; 20 ft., $16 ; 22 and 24 ft., $17.

Timbers and 3-inch rough plank: 3 x 6 and 8, 10 ft., $14; 12 and 14 ft., $13 ; 16 ft., $13.50; 18 ft., $14; 20 ft., $14.50 ; 22 and 24 ft., $16; 3x10, 10 ft.,$14.50; 12 and 14 ft., $13.50 ; 16 ft., $14 ; 18 ft., $14.50 ; 20 ft., $15 ; 22 and 14 ft., $16.50 ; 3x12, 10 ft., $15.50 ; 12 and 14 ft., $14.50 ; 16 ft., $15; 18 ft., $15.50 ; 20 ft., $16 ; 22 ft., $17.50 ; 24 ft., $18 ; 4x4 to 8x8, 10 ft., $14 ; 12 and 14 ft., $13 ; 16 ft., $13.50 ; 18 ft., $14 ; 20 ft., $14.50 ; 22 ft., $16 ; 24 ft., $15.50.

Very slight changes were made in the prices of flooring, fencing and ship-lap. No. 1 lath 3-8x1½ inch, 4 ft., was placed at $2.75, and No. 2 at $2.

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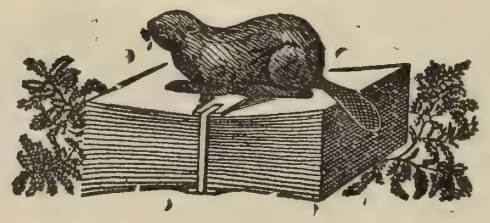

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2 in.	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00 30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, m	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16 00 19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"	16 00
" 6' to 11'x10"	17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50 20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	18 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00

Lath, per M:

No. 1 white pine	2 75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00 2 25

Pine Shingles : XXXX, 18 inch	3 10 3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25 2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25 1 50
Cedar Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 30 3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65 2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
n shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

¼ inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
1		
1 7 " "	24	28
1 8 " "	27	29
	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00
2 in.	58 00
2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	37 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	49 00
2 in.	50 00
2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	45 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	28 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6	19 00
1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 15
No. 2 White Pine	2 75
Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	78 80
4 inch uppers	88 90
Selects, 2½ in up	75 72
1 to 2 in.	70 75
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 7
1 to 2 in.	60 65
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55 57
No. 2	35 45
No. 3	30 35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47 50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40
Stained saps	30 40
Bracket plank	35 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
Dressing boards, narrow	26 8
1x10 inch shippers	21 22
1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
10-in. dressing and better	30 32
10-in. common	20
12-in. dressing and better	40 45
Common, 1x12	21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
1x10	25 26
1x8	23 24
No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
1x10	23 24
1x8	20 22
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 45
" " 2 inch	40
Dressing	26 24
Common	25

LATH.

Pine	$3
Spruce	$ $3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50 $4 75
Clear butts	3 50 3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Hemlock	2 23
Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in	62 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in	75 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in	36
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
Box, 1 x 4	15 00
1 x 6 & up	17 50
1x10	18 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	20 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00 34 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00 39 00
2½ to 4 in.	42 00 44 00
Strips	20 00 23 00
Com. and culls	15 00 17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00 32 00
Com. & good culls	14 00 16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00 37 00
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00 27 00
Common and culls	14 00 16 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	22 00 24
Common and culls	14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 21 00
Common and culls	17 00 14 00
1st & 2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Common and culls	10 00 12 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

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I AM OPEN TO PURCHASE LARGE OR small quantities of Hard Maple Lumber, sawn 1, 1¼, 1½, 2, 3 and 4 inch. Grade to be common and better. Terms cash when shipped. Mixed carloads taken. Millmen will please state the quantity they have of each thickness, with their lowest price. Also say how long sawn. Address care BOX 22 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

One 20" x 24" Waterous engine, 8 ft. driving wheel, 26" face. 11 ft. x 4 ft. Stillwell & Bierce Heater, feed pipe and connections to heater complete.

One 10" x 18" Engine.

One 3-k.w. 2,500 Standard Dynamo and Voltmeter, wiring and 50 lamps (complete.)

One pair twin engines, 10x16.

One No.2 Carriage and Saw Frame, 78 ft. track, and two 60" Saws.

One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrils and saws.

Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.

One 14' x 60" Boiler; one top saw slash table.

About one mile of telephone wire, and two 'phones. For particulars, apply to BOOTH & GORDON, Azilda. Ont.

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FOR SALE

400,000 FEET 4/4, 6/4 AND 8/4 DRY PINE lumber, principally dressing, also squares, very sound and free from shake. J. J. THOMPSON, Fergusonvale Ont.

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IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING — the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLMER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULOCK (part of), FRENCH (part of), STEWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HAMMELL and PHELPS (part of).

IN THE DISTRICT OF ALGOMA — Berths Nos. 159 and 201, the Townships of KITCHENER and ROBERTS, and Block "W" near Onaping Lake.

IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT—Berths G19, G21, C23, G29 and G38, and the following Berths with the right to cut and remove the pine, spruce, tamarack, cedar and poplar:—G4, G6, G17, G18, G24, G25, G26, G27, G28, G33, G35, G36, G37, G19, G40, G41, G42, G43, Berths Nos. S1, S2, S3, and S4, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings, in the City of Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1903, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

Sheets containing terms and conditions of Sale and information as to Areas and Lots and Concessions comprised in each Berth will be furnished on application, either personal or by letter, to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, or the Crown Timber Agencies at OTTAWA, SAULT STE. MARIE, PORT ARTHUR, RAT PORTAGE and FORT FRANCES.

E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
Toronto, July 29, 1903.

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FOR SALE

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WANTED— 16" XXXX AND C. B. CEDAR Shingles. HURDMAN & ELMITT, Ottawa.

WANTED — TWO CARS OF SPRUCE — either 3", 2" or 1" stock; 75 per cent. first. THE WILLIAMS PIANO CO., Limited, Oshawa, Ont.

FOR SALE—ONE 48" Hercules Water Wheel in good order, a bargain for immediate sale. Address, MACHINERY EXCHANGE, 22-24 Victoria Square, Montreal, Que.

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FOR SALE—ON GEORGIAN BAY, OF THIS winter's cut, one million feet pine logs, and one to two million feet hemlock logs; any quantity R. R. ties, piling poles and posts, and two or three thousand cords pulp wood. Apply BOX 55, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

FACTORY FLOORING

KILN DRIED BIRCH, ABOUT 60 M. BOX 442 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

SEVERAL LARGE TIMBER LIMITS ON the Kootenay Lakes and along Crows' Nest line of C. P. R. Most available timber for Northwest trade. For particulars, apply to D. I. DEWAR, Nelson, B. C.

FOR SALE

ONE OF THE BEST PAYING AND MOST complete lumbering concerns in British Columbia, including limits, mill and plant, capacity five million per year, on which a net profit of over $20,000 per annum is being cleared. For particulars apply to X. Y. Z., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

A SAW AND SHINGLE MILL COMBINED, in good repair; five miles from Barrie station; capacity about 15,000. Also 100 acre farm, good pasture land; plenty of water; rear half lot 15 Con 1, Vespra: all cheap. Apply MRS. E. PARKHOUSE, Crownhill P. O.

NOTICE

I HAVE FOR SALE TWO THOUSAND acres of good timber, comprising hemlock, spruce, pine and hardwood, situated near the Midland Railway. The furthest haul would not be more than two miles; ground all level; no rock; no swamps. Can be summer logged as well as winter. Apply to R. E. MCINNIS, Scotch Village, Hants County, N. S.

WANTED — TO BUY A GOOD SECOND-hand saw mill, all complete, with good power. Apply at once, giving full particulars, to BOX 233, Goderich, Ont.

FOR SALE—TUG SHAWANAGA—REBUILT last spring; in first-class repair. For further particulars apply to THE C. BECK MANUFACTURING CO., Penetanguishene, Ont.

FOR SALE—IN ALGOMA DISTRICT, A SAW Mill, nearly new, capacity 30 M feet per day, together with five million feet of timber; Birch, Maple, Oak. Pine and Hemlock. Rail or water shipment. J. J. HUSTON, Thessalon, Ont.

WANTED—LIVE MAN TO TAKE CHARGE of lath and shingle mill for large saw mill in Michigan, running the year round. Eight years cut large white pine in sight. Good man can make big salary; steady position. Address at once. X, care CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

FOR SALE

A QUANTITY OF DRY 1" AND 2" HEMLOCK, dimension stuff and square timber, cut to order. M. VANCE & CO., James Bay Junction, Parry Sound District, Ont.

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION feet of good sound healthy timber. About 10 million white pine, 80 million cedar; balance hemlock. For particulars apply to P. J. GALLAGHER, Rossbery, B. C.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There is a fair movement of all kinds of lumber, and particularly of low grade pine and hardwoods. Orders appear to be a little more plentiful than earlier in the month. It is generally believed that consumers are carrying light stocks, as their policy for some time past has been to buy conservatively in the hope of being in a position to take advantage of the expected decline in prices, which up to the present time has not materialized. Manufacturers of pine lumber do not anticipate lower prices in the near future. Even if the demand this winter should fall below normal, it is not likely that the effect upon prices would be material, as the pine manufacturers are in a strong financial position. Unless there should be a permanent decline in the volume of trade, prices will not yield. Hardwood manufacturers are equally certain of being able to maintain present prices. The quantity of unsold stock at the mills is exceptionally light, and the supply will be shorter this winter than during the corresponding season a year ago. The stumpage price for hardwoods has advanced in full sympathy with the higher prices for lumber, which consideration warrants the view that present values will continue. By some an advance in the price of the thicker sizes of hardwoods is predicted. A manufacturer who has been selling his basswood at $20 for mill run culls out writes that he has just received an offer of $22, which clearly in-

dicates an upward tendency. Plain red oak is held at $30 at the mill for log run, dead culls out.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

In spruce lumber the market is largely in the hands of the seller. The supply of dry stock is below the average of recent years, and the steady demand from New York has induced some manufacturers to advance their prices. For extra quality of spruce clapboards there is a steady and urgent inquiry, the average selling price being $45 for 4-foot boards on Boston rate of freight. Clears are quoted at $43 and second clears at $40. Narrow boards do not find a market so readily.

The cedar shingle market is still uncertain. Extras are freely offered by practically all the small dealers at $3.40 for Boston delivery, while some of the more important manufacturers are still holding their stocks for $3.50. It is believed that the market will work back to a $3.50 basis within a few weeks. Strength is shown by spruce lath, which brings about $3.20 for 1½-inch and $3.40 for 1⅝-inch.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber market of the North-West is seasonably active. Dealers are increasing their stocks in anticipation of a steady demand during the fall and winter months, the abundant crop yield having inspired confidence in business generally. It is now reasonably certain that the wheat production of Manitoba and the Territories will exceed sixty million bushels, against sixty-five million bushels last year. This yield will net the producer more than last year on account of increased prices. The lumber market generally is firm, although some United States manufacturers are said to be taking orders for pine for delivery at Manitoba points at about $1 less than the prices which have been prevailing. Local manufacturers have not as yet met this competition. There is no change in British Columbia shingles. The manufacturers notified shingle sawyers that a cut of 1½ cents a thousand would be made in wages, and trouble has arisen at some of the mills. Should a general strike be inaugurated it would enable the market to right itself from a serious overproduction.

UNITED STATES.

Based on reports of serious damage by frost to the corn crop, the news was last week spread abroad that lower prices for lumber had been decided upon by the pine manufacturers of the Mississippi valley. This proved to be premature, for the result of a meeting of such manufacturers was an agreement to hold prices at the basis which has ruled for some time past. In view of the reduced cut it was felt that there would be no large surplus of stock. At the same time, it was admitted that the demand was not all that could be desired, and that there had been a curtailment in the buying of lumber for building purposes. Some slight concessions have been made on northern pine and on shingles and lath. The box business, on the other hand, is in a flourishing condition, the buying of box lumber continuing to be a feature ; in fact, all low grade white pine and Norway are strong, while the better grades are exhibiting signs of weakness. It is said that inch No. 1 cuts which a short time ago were held in the eastern markets at $42 can now be obtained for $39. Heavy rains in Michigan brought business almost to a stand till last week, but the recent favorable turn has caused an improvement. Chicago dealers report a better inquiry for lumber in cargo lots. Norway piece stuff is held at $16 to $16.50, and Norway inch, common, at $14.

The hardwood market exhibits more activity than any other branch of the lumber industry. It is almost needless to specialize, as all kinds and grades are in demand. The Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association, at a meeting held on September 15th, after mature consideration, reaffirmed the March list, although many of the members were in favor of an increase in the price in the case of a majority of the items on the list.

Prices of shingles and laths do not improve, notwithstanding that the demand is considerable. The Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association have reduced the price of No. 1 pine lath 25 cents, and that of No. 2 50 cents. In Chicago No. 1 pine lath is held at $3.25 and No. 2 mixed at $3.

GREAT BRITAIN.

We cannot report conditions in the British market to be materially different from those of a week ago. The effect of the extremely cautious buying by importers is becoming visible, there being a gradual improvement in the price of what is termed "spot goods," that is, lumber in stock. At the recent auction sales all first class lumber has been taken at firm prices, and if there should be no quantity of consignment goods sent forward there is not likely to be any difficulty in maintaining prices. Pine deals of first and second quality are now held at an exceptionally high figure, but there is no large accumulation and little prospect of any important addition to the stock this season, for the consumption is almost certain to keep pace with the import. Spruce deals are held at stiff prices. At the last London sale fourth quality 3 x 9, 12 feet in length, brought £9, and fifth quality £8, which figures cannot be regarded otherwise than satisfactory. The flooring market is exceptionally strong, prices having gradually advanced during the past two months. Narrow boards are also firmer, a run upon these sizes having been experienced.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Loughrigg Holme is loading a cargo of deals at Baie Verte, N. B., for Manchester.

The steamer Fashoda sailed from Montreal last week for Glasgow with deals, calling at Three Rivers to complete cargo.

W. &. A. McArthur, of Little Current, Ont., are making preparations for work in the woods and expect to cut about 30,000,000 feet this season.

All manufacturers in the Georgian Bay district report a good demand for pine mill culls and box lumber, one or two large lots having recently changed hands at high prices.

Hemlock lumber is reported somewhat more plentiful than at any other time this season. Chicago dealers claim that they have received offers of concessions in price to the extent of $1 a thousand.

Keenan Bros., of Owen Sound, Ont., are reported to have bought the saw and shingle mill of Hickling Bros., Artemesia township, with the timber on the property, amounting to about 1,750,000 feet.

The largest cargo of Canadian lumber ever received at Tonawanda, N. Y., arrived on September 15th. It consisted of 1,150,000 feet of white pine for Dodge & Bliss and Silverthorn & Company, and was carried by the schooner Burma from Parry Sound, Ont.

The logging camp recently operated by G. H. Finlay & Company, on the Squamish river in British Columbia, will be opened shortly and operated by the E. K. Wood Lumber Company. Improvements will be made to facilitate the booming of logs at the mouth of the river.

At the Crown Lands Office, Fredericton, N. B., on September 16th a timber berth of two square miles on the west side of the Magaguadavic river was sold to Robert Anderson at the upset price of $8 per mile. Another berth of two and a half square miles at north branch Salmon Creek was sold to George S. Dykeman at $8.50 per mile.

George McKean, of St. John, N. B., has this season loaded three steamers and one sailing vessel with deals at West Bay, N. S., and has yet a considerable quantity for export. W. M. Mackay has sent from that port five steamers, which carried 17,000,000 feet of deals, and three sailing vessels with a smaller quantity. There yet remain for removal two cargoes.

The price list of the Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association fixes the following prices f.o.b. Wausau : Ash, 1 inch log run, No. 3 common out, $20 ; birch, 1 inch log run, No. 3 common out, $18; soft elm, 1 inch log run, No. 3 common out, $16 ; rock elm, 1 to 2 inch log run, No. 3 common out, $18; hard maple, 1 to 2 inch log run, No. 3 common out, $13 ; soft maple, 1 to 2 inch log run, $14.

Arthur Hill, who is largely interested in the St. Anthony Lumber Company at Whitney, Ont., states that much difficulty has been found in securing the necessary labor. It has been necessary to shut down a portion of the mill in consequence of the scarcity of help. He expresses the opinion that this scarcity will shorten the output of the mills fully one-third and will equally affect the operations in the woods the coming winter. He believes that this will prove beneficial to the market, indicating no glut, and consequently all the lumber manufactured will be wanted.

A new list has been issued by the Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association making the following price changes, f.o.b. Wausau : D selects, all lengths and widths, reduced $2 a thousand ; D flooring, all lengths, reduced $2 ; No. 1, 8 and 10 inch boards, rough, increased 50 cents; Drop siding, No. 1, 8 and 10 inch, and plain shiplap D and M, No. 1, 8 and 10 inch, increased 50 cents ; D siding, tied, reduced 50 cents ; piece stuff, 2 x 4, 10 foot, reduced $1 ; No. 1 white pine lath and No. 1 mixed, reduced 25 cents; and No. 2 lath, reduced 50 cents.

There has been a considerable slump, says the British Timber Trades Journal, in the price of American white oak planks, partly due to the slack condition of the wagon-building industry and partly to the large quantities sent forward on consignment to Liverpool and elsewhere. The fall in price affords shippers a temptation to somewhat exceed their contracts, the result being, in one instance at least that has come to our knowledge, that a parcel cut to the particular lengths and dimensions suitable for the construction of a certain type of wagon, and useless, except

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St. John Pine, 18in. average	0	2	3	to	0	3	3
Lower Ports Pine	0	1	1	to	0	1	6
Quebec Red "	0	1	6	to	0	1	10
Quebec Oak, 1st quality	0	2	9	to	0	3	3
Quebec Oak, 2nd "	0	1	6	to	0	2	6
Ash	0	1	10	to	0	1	6
Elm	0	2	9	to	0	3	3
Hickory	0	2	0	to	0	2	6
Quebec Birch	0	1	6	to	0	2	3
St. John Birch	0	1	6	to	0	2	0
Birch Planks	0	0	9	to	0	0	11
Spruce Spars	0	0	10	to	0	1	0
1st Quebec Pine Deals	25	0	0	to	30	0	0
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St. John, N.B., &c., Spruce	7	5	0	to	7	15	0
Lower Ports Spruce	7	0	0	to	7	10	0
Spruce Boards	6	0	0	to	7	0	0
Hewn Pitchpine	0	1	4	to	0	1	9
Sawn "	0	1	0	to	0	1	6
Boards, Prime Pitchpine	11	0	0	to	15	0	0
Oak Timber, American	0	1	6	to	0	2	6
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Hastings	Plymouth	817,317
Hastings	Natal	1,165,095
Chemainus	Calcutta	1,761,907
Chemainus	Valparaiso	798,701
Hastings	Sydney	15,624
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	78,769
Hastings	Yokohama	16,100
Hastings	Shanghai	964,964
Hastings	Callao and Iquiqui	1,368,922
Chemainus	South Africa	1,950,802
Hastings	Hongkong	175,129
Hastings	Hongkong	10,003
Hastings	U. K.	1,597,776
Chemainus	Liverpool	1,899,365
Hastings	Nagasaki	754,653
Hastings	London	1,215,036
Chemainus	Liverpool	2,110,781
Chemainus	Port Elizabeth	1,551,223
Hastings	Shanghai	902,782
Chemainus	Antofagasto	714,791
Hastings	Japan	35,872
Hastings	Callao	1,493,350
Hastings	Natal	1,640,764
Hastings	Osaka	1,025,036
Chemainus	London	1,736,891
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,902,693
Comox	Santa Rosalia	220,000
Hastings	Hong Kong	4,761
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	28,923
Hastings	Yokohama	866,414
Hastings	Iquique	1,088,357
Chemainus	Antofagasta	591,514
Chemainus	Antofagasta	769,216
Hastings	China and Japan	105,929
Hastings	Kobe	18,323
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	28,179
Hastings	Kobe	19,250
Hastings	Greenock	1,445,168
Chemainus	Cape Town	2,123,664
Chemainus	Sydney	1,521,961
Hastings	Kobe	21,647
Hastings	Hongkong	107,305
Hastings	Cape Town	733,850
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	14,595
Hastings	Newcastle, U. K.	905,541
Hastings	Melbourne	1,331,226
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,130,990
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	40,650
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The Sutherland-Innes Company, of Chatham, Ont., referring to the cooperage stock market, say: The whole situation in respect to slack barrel stock can be pretty well covered by saying that at the present time the demand is greater than the supply. This situation has been brought about by conditions over which the manufacturers had very little control. The winter of 1902-1903 was a very poor one for lumbering, the woods being full of water when snow came, and the snow coming on top of the soft wet ground prevented the frost reaching the ground to freeze it and make it passable for teams. What little time there was when the woods would bear up teams was so short that very little timber was put in. Timber now has to be hauled long distances to mills in most cases, and consequently a long lumbering season is necessary to stock up. This the mill men did not get, but had an unusually short one.

The output being so limited and the demand being so great, not only in staple lines, but for apples, of which there are an unusually good crop of excellent shiping apples, everything that can be produced finds a ready market.

Owing to the increased price of timber, heavy cost of summer hauling and higher wages demanded by men, manufacturers have been obliged to ask high prices for stock, and there is no possibility of prices coming down this season; the tendency is upward.

The conditions in the tight cooperage-stock industry are very much the same as in the slack-barrel branch. The weather so far this season has been unfavorable for getting out raw material. The demand for all classes of tight-barrel stock has been very heavy. The prices in tight-barrel stock have gone up by jumps; in fact, in proportion, have increased even more than in slack stock. The demand for fall and winter trade promises to be heavy, and the difficulty will be to get enough stock to supply the market. The cooperage-stock manufacturers in both lines of the trade are not in a very happy frame of mind at the present time, as most of them have to turn down orders which they would very much like to fill.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber continues to improve slowly in the demand, but prices are not changed. Large dimensions are difficult to place, owing to the scarcity of logs at the mills supplying Boston: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 9 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is steady and unchanged: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

There is a very firm market for western pine lumber, though the demand is quiet: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2 1-2 to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwoods continue in good demand for choice finishing stock. The quotations are: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $51 to $53; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

The difference in quality accounts largely for the selling of shingles at a wide range, but uncertainty about the future is a decided factor. For extra cedar $3.35 to $3.50 is asked, and for clears $2.85 to $3.

Laths are firm at the advance, with sales being made at full quotations: One and five-eighths in., $3.25 to $3.40; 1½-in., $3.15 to $3.25.

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From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Ask, for Jamacia, 18,205 ft. lumber, value $227. Str. Norden, for Glasgow, 27,738 ft. hemlock deals, 60,580 ft. birch deals, 132,243 ft. spruce deals, value $2,384. Str. Platea, for Brow Head, England, 2,079,041 ft. deals, value $20,316. Barque H. W. Palmer, for Aberdovey, Wales, 438,855 ft. deals, value $5,651. Str. Evangeline, for London, England, 54,872 ft. deals, value $711.

From Bridgewater, N. S.: Barque Anton, for Lunenburg, Ireland, 428,000 ft. deals, 22,000 ft. deal ends.

From St. John, N. B.: Schr. Valleta, for Boston, 1,436,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Domain, for Salem, 1,193.500 cedar shingles. Str. Albuera, for Cardiff, 3,019,751 ft. deals and battens, 271,419 ft. scantling, 69,729 ft. ends, 60,418 ft. boards, 17,090 ft. birch plank, 83 ft. birch ends.

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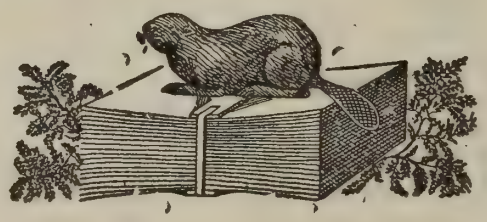

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Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	72	10-in. common 20
1 to 2 in.	70	75	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in.	60	65	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	57	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23 24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10 23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 20 22
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 23
Dressing boards, narrow	16	8	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

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Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
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1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	42 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	1¼x10 and 12	40 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	15 00
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00	34 00	2½ to 4 in. 42 00 44 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00	39 00	Strips 20 00 23 00
			Com. and culls 15 00 17 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00	32 00	Com. & good culls 14 00 16 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00	27 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 22 00 24
Common and culls	14 00	16 00	Common and culls 14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber business has felt the impetus of fine weather, and September closes with a very satisfactory volume of trade to its credit. The incoming month is expected to develop an increase in retail orders, as many yards are thought to be carrying light stocks. While higher prices for lumber are not anticipated, the opinion is becoming more general that there is not likely to be any material decline. It is not unusual to meet a person who predicts an early break in prices, but it is difficult to point to one manufacturer who is shading quotations. One of the strongest factors in the situation is the very light stock of unsold lumber in the mill yards. Even a moderate demand during the next six months will leave the supply of dry stock comparatively limited, and the mills will resume operations next spring under favorable conditions. Building operations throughout the province are active for this season of the year. The number of permits taken out in the city of Toronto this fall would almost indicate a boom, but it is safe to say that, with favorable labor conditions, the activity next year will be no less pronounced. The demand for houses is in excess of the supply, showing that the building movement is based on a sound foundation.

The furniture and implement factories continue to be large buyers of hardwood lumber. The seller invariably makes the price, and if his lumber is of the quality required by the prospective purchaser, a deal usually results. Shingles seem to be in a less satisfactory condition. From some districts the report is heard that prices are a trifle easier and the demand none too brisk.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber has seldom been in a stronger position than it is to-day. Many

mills in Quebec and New Brunswick will be compelled to shut down at an early date on account of log shortage, and as the bulk of the lumber manufactured this season has already been placed under contract there is little danger of a decline in prices. The New York market is taking large quantities of lumber and lath. The high price of $14.50 per thousand was recently paid for medium-sized spruce logs. This figure will compel the manufacturer to obtain a fancy price for his lumber in order to make a profit on the transaction. The manufacturers of pulp have this year been keen competitors in the log market and have no doubt been responsible for forcing prices to a higher basis than seems actually warranted by the demand for either pulp or lumber.

There is a little more life to the shingle market, but prices are not improved. Very few sales of extras for Boston delivery have been made at $3.50, and it is probably within the mark to say that the range of sales is from $3.35 to $3.45.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber situation in Manitoba and the Territories is said to be a little easier. The United States manufacturers have resorted to price-cutting, which has unsettled the market. The demand, however, shows no falling off, but is expected to expand during the next month. The British Columbia mills are experiencing an active local trade, building operations in Vancouver and Victoria being on a large scale. Shingles are still a drug on the market. At a meeting of the manufacturers held last week it was decided to again commence sawing shingles for the Canadian market. The shut-down has relieved the situation to some extent, but the over-production is still apparent.

During the month of August 177 timber licenses were issued by the British Columbia Government, 45 of these being renewals. The business is evidently once more becoming active, after a period of depression.

UNITED STATES.

Fears regarding the failure of the wheat, corn and cotton crops have been dispelled, and business conditions have improved to that extent. The decline in the prices of iron and steel, however, is taken to indicate a falling off in the demand, and as these commodities are looked upon as a fair barometer of trade, it is predicted by some that the general business of the country will experience a gradual restriction. This is not yet in evidence in lumber circles. The demand is steady and prices on the whole have been well maintained. In some sections a reduction in the price of certain kinds of lumber has been made; inothers a corresponding advance has taken place. The great activity which prevails throughout the box trade is one of the most favorable features. Throughout the Eastern States the demand for boxes is as great as ever known in the past. The scarcity of box lumber has become acute and has done a great deal towards strengthening the entire list. The fact that the Standard Oil Company have recently bought box lumber quite heavily is regarded as an indication that that corporation do not anticipate lower prices in the near future. Norway pine is also comparatively scarce and is being replaced to some extent by hemlock and yellow pine. The upper grades of white pine are irregular in price, certain dealers carrying a fair stock having in isolated cases resorted to the policy of shading prices in order to close sales. For inch No. 1 cuts the price at Buffalo is about $40. The hemlock market is steady at about the prices that have ruled for the past month. The hardwood industry is in a most satisfactory condition. Opinions seem to favor a brisk demand throughout the fall and winter months. It is predicted that before spring the price of oak will have advanced $5 per thousand, notwithstanding that for some time past almost incredible prices have been received for quarter-sawed stock. Maple, basswood and elm are among the best sellers of the lower-priced woods.

GREAT BRITAIN.

So many conflicting opinions are expressed regarding the British lumber market that it is most difficult to arrive at a conclusion as to the existing conditions and future course of prices. Representatives of shippers do not appear to be offering stock at any concession, while importers show little willingness to buy on account of the disparity which exists between the prices asked by shippers and those which can be obtained from dealers and consumers. Baltic deals are said to be somewhat lower in price, and it would probably be a mistake to become too sanguine as to the maintenance of present prices. Should consignment cargoes arrive this fall in any quantity the effect upon values might be serious. The building trade is accountable in a large measure for the present accumulation of stock in the hands of dealers, unfavorable weather having greatly interfered with outdoor work. Third and fourth quality pine deals are reported to be slightly easier, but the better qualities continue firm. The quantity of spruce deals arriving at the British ports is comparatively small, which has done much to sustain the market. A cargo was recently sold for delivery on the west coast of England at a price which is described as an exceedingly good one.

Sellers are already sounding the market in respect to next year's prices, although mo contracts are likely to be closed until the financial situation becomes improved, unless, of course, shippers should make some tempting offers. This they are not likely to do in the immediate future, as we are told that they are talking of higher prices for next year.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Sardhana is loading deals at Montreal for Australia.

The Rathbun Company have a drive of 90,000 logs nearing Deseronto. They were cut in McClintock township, Haliburton county.

W. McPherson, of Menominee, Mich., who bought two million feet of white pine in the Georgian Bay district, is having the stock shipped to Marinette, Wis.

The Standard Oil Company last week purchased three million feet of No. 2 and 3 10-inch pine lumber at Duluth. It is to be shipped east for box-making.

The schooner J. V. Taylor cleared from Menominee, Mich., on September 27th, with some 300,000 feet of lumber for Dresden, Ont., shipped by the Ludington Lumber Company. This is the first cargo of lumber ever shipped from Menominee to a Canadian port.

In the Saginaw valley 16-inch cedar shingles are quoted at $2.25 to $2.40, and 18-inch at $2.25 and $3.25. At Tonawanda white pine extra clears are selling at $3.50, a decrease of 25 cents from the figures quoted one month ago.

The New Brunswick Government will offer for sale at Fredericton on October 7th three square miles of timber limits on the east branch of the Sabbies River and Salmon Brook, and two square miles at the head of Pleasant Brook, a branch of the Gaspereau River. The respective applicants are J. H. Barry and the King Lumber Company.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to September 29th as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers:—

	1901	1902	1903
Waney White Pine..	1,353,666	1,815,920	1,618,920
White Pine	558,995	383,600	390,720
Red Pine	89,761	71, 60	56,520
Oak	485,80	618,680	835,020
Elm	942,372	561,880	417,880
Ash	135,108	79,920	57,200
Basswood	464	.....	160
Butternut	944	.....	.....
Tamarac	198	.....	40
Birch and Maple	307,039	164,800	196,760

The last circular of Messrs. Churchill & Sim, London, England, says: "The importation of both pine and spruce deals has been most moderate, and this has checked the tendency to weakness which was observable in this market in July. For pine there may be said to be no appreciable change in quotations during the month, but for spruce there has been some recovery in the demand, and prices have moved a point in advance. For all Canadian hardwoods and for white pine timber the London market has been almost at a stand-still, and prices have sagged accordingly.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their last report, refer to the lumber market as follows: "The only arrival to report is the 'Corona' from Shelburne, N.S., with about 82,000 feet of white pine. Of this we placed 15,000 feet of the deck load, almost all second quality, at $24.39, and 17,000 feet of the balance of deck load, which was rather better, at $25.87 as it run. Of the 50,000 feet under deck, we sold 30,000 feet at $27.43 and the balance at $27 as it run. There has been no arrival of spruce and the demand for crop requirements will soon set in; the high prices of white pine should enhance value of spruce, and we anticipate full rates later on, and think shippers can safely take chance of market. No further arrivals of shingles have taken place and stocks are light, but we understand that about 1,500,000 cedar laying have been placed to arrive at $2.30.

The reports of the secretaries of the Mississippi valley and the Wisconsin valley associations for the month of August have recently been issued. For both sections they show a falling off in the volume of lumber business as compared with the same month of last year. The decrease is small, however, and does not wipe out the balance on the other side of the books, made by the shipments of the previous months of the year. The shipments of the Wisconsin valley manufacturers show a falling off as compared with the corresponding eight months of 1902, but the increase in the volume of trade of the Mississippi valley manufactures is great enough to give a net increase for the two sections combined. August was a trying month. In all of the territory where white pine finds its best customers, it was the month when business affairs were unsettled by the uncertainty as to the crops. The harvesting of the small grains was about over, but threshing had not been completed and the actual yield was not known.

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PRICES OF CANADIAN LUMBER IN ENGLAND.

At an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on September 16th, a large quantity of pine was offered. The prices obtained were only fair, and showed a slight decline as compared with the previous sale. The result in detail is given below:

PINE.—Ex. Drot, from Montreal—12-18 ft. 4 x 11 in. thir' quality red, £10 15s per std. of 1980 ft.; 12-18 ft. 3 x 11, £10 15s; 12-18 ft. 3 x 9, £10 5s. Ex. Romford, from Quebec and Rimouski—9-14 ft. 3 x 12 in. unassorted, £11 15s; 4-12 ft. 3 x 11, £11 10s; 4-14 ft. 3 x 9-10, £10 15s; 9-16 ft. 3x7-8, £9 10s; 4-8 ft. 3 x 11-14 in. third quality, £9 10s; 4-8 ft. 3 x 6-8, £8 16s; 9-14 ft. 3 x 11-12 in. fourth quality, £6 10s; 9-14 ft. 3 x 7-10, £6 5s; 8-15 ft. 3 x 12-18, £7 10s; 7-14 ft. 3 x 11, £6 10s; 6-15 ft. 3 x 10, £6 5s; 5-17 ft. 3 x 9, £6 5s; 9-15 ft. 3 x 7-8, £6 5s. Ex. Lobella, from Quebec—12-17 ft. 2 x 6 in. unassorted red, £7 10s; 10-15 ft. 2 x 6, £7 10s; 11-17 ft. 2 x 5, £7. Ex. Everingham, from Montreal—16 ft. 3 x 11 in. fourth quality, £10; 13 ft. 3 x 11, £10. Ex. Montreal, from Montreal—12-13 ft. 3 x 12-26 in. first quality, £29 10s; 9-11 ft. 3 x 12-26, £29; 12-16 ft. 3 x 11, £29 10s; 9-21 ft. 3 x 11, £26 15s; 6-8 ft. 3 x 11-26, £24 10s; 3-5 ft. 3 x 11-18, £20; 9-16 ft. 3 x 9-10, £24; 9-13 ft. 3 x 7-8, £23 10s; 9-13 ft. 3 x 4-6, £19 5s; 6-8 ft. 3 x 7-10, £21; 6-8 ft. 3x3-6, £19 5s; 3-5 ft. 3x7-10, £10. Ex. Mount Royal, from Montreal—10 ft. 3 x 11 in. third quality, £11 10s; 9 ft 3 x 11, £11 5s; 9-11 ft. 3 x 11, £11 10s. Ex. Montezuma, from Montreal—12-13 ft. 3 x 11 in. third quality, £11 5s. Ex. Egda, from Montreal—12-16 ft. 2 x 11-14 in. first quality, £24 5s; 12-16 ft. 2 x 9-10, £23 15s; 12-16 ft. 2 x 8, £20 5s; 12-16 ft. 1¼ x 9, £21 5s; 12-15 ft. 1¼ x 8, £19 5s; 12-16 ft. 1¼ x 8, £19; 6-9 ft. 3 x 12-21, £25 5s; 9-13 ft. 3 x 10 in. third quality, £11 10s; 9-11 ft. 3 x 9, £11; 9-13 ft. 3 x 8, £10 10s; 9-13 ft. 3 x 7, £10 10s and £10 5s. Ex. Everingham, from Miramichi, N. B.—14-15 ft. 3 x 11 in. fourth quality, £9; 13 ft. 3 x 11, £9; 12 ft. 3 x 11, £9 5s; 10-11 ft. 3 x 11, £9. Ex. Rosetti, from Miramichi, N. B.—10-20 ft. 3 x 11-16 in. first, second and third quality, £5 15s; 10-20 ft. 3 x 10, £5 15s; 10-21 ft. 3 x 9, £5 15s and £6 5s; 11-21 ft. 3 x 8, £5 15s; 10-20 ft. 3 x 7, £5 15s; 10-19 ft. 3 x 6, £5 15s; 10-21 ft. 2½ x 7, £6 5s; 6-8 ft. 3 x12-18, £3 10s; 3-19 ft. 3x11, £3 10s; 6-19 ft. 3 x 10, £3 10s; 6-20 ft. 3 x 9, £3 5s; 3-21 ft. 3 x 8, £3 10s; 4-21 ft. 3 x 7, £3 15s; 4-21 ft. 3 x 7, £3 10s; 10-20 ft. 2½ x 7-11, £5.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Minnewaska, from Quebec—11 ft. 3 x 8 in. first quality, £11 15s per std.; 14 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £9 10s. Ex. Langford, from Batiscan, Que.—12 ft. 3 x 9 in. first quality, £13. Ex. Montreal, from Quebec and Montreal—12-17 ft. 4 x 8 in. unassorted, £8; 13 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £9 10s. Ex. Deramore, from Quebec—12 ft. 3 x 9 in. second quality, £10 and £10 5s; 12 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £9 10s; 4-8 ft. 3 x 10-11 in. unassorted, £8 5s; 4-8 ft. 3 x 9, £8 15s; 4-8 ft. 3 x 8, £7 16s; 4-8 ft. 3 x 7, £6 15s. Ex. Rosetti, from Miramichi, N. B.—10-20 ft. 3 x 11 in. fourth quality, £6 5s; 10-20 ft. 3 x 9, £6 10s; 4-21 ft. 3 x 8, £6 5s; 4-21 ft. 2½ x 7, £6 5s. Ex. Evangeline, from Halifax—6-17 ft. 2½-3 x 7-13 in. unassorted, £8 5s.

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From St. John, N. B.: Schr. Lizzie Catharine, for Quincy, 10,234 ft. boards. Schr. Fraulien, for Vineyard Haven, 160,091 ft. boards. Schr. I. N. Parker, for New York, 92,072 ft. spruce deals, 38,519 ft. plank, 1,087 ft. scantling, 4,081 ft. boards. Schr. R. D. Spear, for Philadelphia, 1,875,000 laths. Schr. James L. Maloy, for New York, 89,437 ft. deals, 19,996 ft. boards, 55,864 ft. scantling. Schr. Sea Bird, for Portland, 1,184,000 shingles. Schr. Quetay, for New York, 275,000 laths, by J. M. Driscoll. Schr. Sallie E. Ludlam, for City Island, 275,986 ft. deals. Schr. Hattie and Lottie, for Providence, 455,000 cedar shingles, 160,000 laths. Schr. D.W.B., for Vineyard Haven, 1,580,500 cedar shingles. Schr. Flash, for Boston, 42,360 ft. ends, 51,265 ft. plank, 18,800 ft. boards. Schr. Romeo, for Providence, 754,200 laths. Schr. Myra B., for Salem, 78,403 ft. boards, 194,00 laths. Schr. Onward, for Quincey, 81,673 ft. boards, 600,000 shingles. Schr. Beaver, for Martinique, 206,015 ft. boards, 300,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Hunter, for New York, 235,790 ft. deals. Schr. Rewa, for City Island, 199,695 ft. deals, 200,000 cedar shingles.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

There continues to be an improved tone in the market for spruce lumber at Boston. Prices are not yet advanced, but there is more disposition to scrutinize schedules, and to refuse to bid on those at all difficult to fill. Logs on the Kennebec river are now selling at $14.50 per 1000 feet for medium size spruce, in the booms, which is said to be the highest price ever paid on that river, although the big spruce of the Penobscot have sold at $15 to $17 at Bangor lately. Here the quotations on lumber are: Ten and 12 in dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20,50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18 50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is steady and unchanged: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, $15; random eastern, $13.50 to $14.50; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is very quiet, but prices are firmly held at full quotations: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2 1-2 to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

There is a moderate demand for hard woods, especially for finish work. Prices are steady and unchanged: Quartered oak, $75 to $83; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; white wood, $51 to $53; sap, $43 to $48; common, $38 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31 Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

Shingles are steady and unchanged: Extra cedar, $2.35 to $3.45; clear, $2.90 to $3; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra No. 1, $1.50 to $1.75.

Laths are firm with sales being made at full quotations: One and five-eighths in., $3.30 to $3.40; 1½-in., $3.15 to $3.25.

FIRES.

The shingle mill at McArthur's Mills, Ont., owned by John Mather and James Casselman, was burned a few days ago.

Fire at Lion's Head, Ont., on September 26th completely destroyed the saw mill of Pedwell & Company. The loss is $7,000, but there is an insurance of $2,000.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Miller & McPherson, sash and door manufacturers, Russell, Ont., have dissolved, W. C. Miller continuing.

A. Lajoie, general store and lumber, L'Asne Au Foin, Que., is announced to have assigned to V. E. Paradis.

L. H. Swan & Company have leased the docks at Tonawanda, N. Y., formerly used by the defunct Muskoka Lumber Company.

McLeod & Atkinson, general store and lumber, Kouchibouguac, N.B., are said to be offering to compromise at 33¼ cents on the dollar.

The Buffalo Box Factory has been incorporated at Buffalo, N. Y., with a capital stock of $125,000. The directors are James Fenton, S. E. Scroll, H. F. Sickler, J. B. Fenton and R. L. Newell.

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The announcement comes from Montreal that the Canadian Railways will on October 1st make an advance of 20 cents per thousand feet on seasoned soft wood lumber destined for New York by rail and water over the barge route on the Hudson river.

There has been a rise in freight rates during the past month. The demand for vessels does not seem to have increased but owners are evidently greatly dissatisfied with the returns which have been received during the past season, and it is not improbable that a further advance in rates will take place.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

The timber areas in the vicinity of Botwoodville, Nfld., owned by C. T. Hillson, of Amherst, N. S., are reported to have been sold to Baker & Company, of Boston, for $250,000.

The British American Land Company, of Sherbrooke, Que., are offering for sale 1,792 acres of timber lands in the township of Dudswell and 1,400 acres in the township of Stoke.

A syndicate of American capitalists has purchased about 300 square miles of timber land on Bay de Chaleur and is building a large saw mill at Restigouche, Que. The American stockholders include F. S. Farr, of Minneapolis; W. A. Taft and Frank J. Saxe, of New York city, and James E. Marrett, of Portland, Me.

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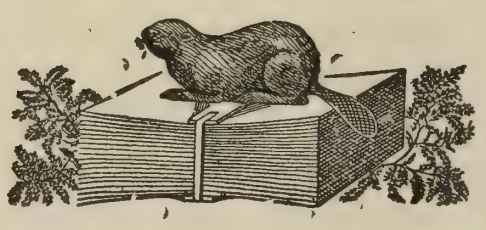

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The information which comes from Ottawa that a contract has been closed for the purchase of a quantity of deals of next season's production for export at an advance over the prices of one year ago is regarded in a favorable light by the lumber trade. The manufacturers in the Ottawa Valley seem to be a unit in demanding higher prices for their lumber, such demand being based upon the heavy advance in the cost of production. They argue that it is absolutely necessary for manufacturers to obtain an advance in prices if they are to come out with a reasonable margin of profit. In contrast to the conditions in the Georgian Bay district, the higher grades of lumber are in a particular demand in the Ottawa Valley and manufacturers generally are sold up closely. In Western Ontario by far the greater activity pertains to the lower grades, which have been moving steadily for some time past. Should conditions become such as to bring about a weakening of the lumber market, it would probably be first reflected in the better grades. So long as the local consumption continues in such a healthy condition, however, there is little fear of any decided drop in prices. The hardwood market maintains its stability. It is generally believed that stocks in the hands of the factories are low and that the buying which has been in evidence

for some time will continue in a more or less degree. Persons who have required lumber but who have refrained from making purchases have not as yet been rewarded by lower prices, nor do they seem likely to be in the near future. There is a strong demand for mill run basswood and birch.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is still an upward tendency to the spruce market. Very few manufacturers are in a position to accept large orders on account of the depleted condition of their yard stocks. The scarcity of logs is exercising no little influence on the market, as several of the large mills in St. John are likely to be compelled to shut down for this reason. The proposal of the Government to increase the stumpage dues has also served to stiffen the price of lumber. A memorial has been presented to the Government by the lumbermen setting forth that if the stumpage is to be increased it should be collected only on merchantable logs.

There are fairly large offerings of low grade shingles at $3.35 to $3.40 for extras and $2.85 to $2.90 for clears for Boston delivery. The best brands are held at $3.50 and $3.

UNITED STATES.

A revival of the demand for lumber in the Lake Superior district has had a good effect upon the market generally. The shipments from Minneapolis during last week were over ten million feet, and stocks are now so broken that a moderate demand through the fall and winter months might make it comparatively easy for manufacturers to advance prices. The buying seems to be largely for immediate consumption, which indicates that stocks carried by consumers are light. At Menominee, Mich., there is practically no low grade lumber to be purchased. Prices of these grades are $15 for No. 3, $13 for No. 4, and $10 for No. 5. In the Wisconsin district there is less activity, there being very little call for the higher grades but a fair movement of common aud culls. The eastern markets are steady and trade moderately active excepting in New York, where the labor troubles seem to be in an almost hopeless condition so far as an early settlement is concerned. It is estimated that fifty million dollars of capital that would otherwise have gone into building operations this winter and next spring has been held back by the existing difficulties.

Buffalo dealers report sales to be as numerous as at the corresponding time last year. There is a heavy call for Norway lumber on account of its low price as compared with white pine. There has been no falling off in the demand for the hardwoods. Maple, ash and oak are inquired for more frequently than the other kinds. Maple flooring still exhibits weakness and little effort is being made to maintain the list prices. Hemlock holds a strong position in the lumber trade, there being absolutely no surplus anywhere. Dealers are behind on orders. The basis for piece stuff at Chicago is $14.

GREAT BRITAIN.

In the face of adverse circumstances the British lumber market has shown symptoms of firmness. The retail market is steady and was not influenced to any extent by the failure of an important Liverpool firm of importers. It is stated that a few transactions for next season's shipments have been closed, and that prices correspond very closely with the values that have ruled during the past three months. British importers appear at last to be recognizing the fact that shippers are aiming to limit the output to suit the demand, this policy being due in a large measure to the increased cost of the raw material. A Cardiff correspondent states that spruce has made a further advance, £8 5s. being now asked for cargoes from St. John. Recent auction sales have also brought higher prices for pine and spruce lumber. Second quality spruce deals, 3 x 9, brought £10 5s, and third quality £9 10s. Some Miramichi fourth quality, 3 x 12, 7 and 9 inch, sold at £8 5s and £8 10s. The season is now so far advanced that there is no possibility of any large quantity of lumber being sent forward on consignment, the knowledge of which fact has created a more hopeful feeling. It is stated that some orders for Quebec spruce have been refused by the manufacturers on this side, as their output had already been taken.

GRADING OF CANADIAN TIMBER FOR EXPORT.

The CANADA LUMBERMAN recently had the honor of a visit from three prominent representatives of the British timber industry, who had come to Canada for the purpose of attending the Congress of Representatives of the British Chambers of Commerce in Montreal. These were Mr. William Kay, of Bolton, England, Mr. Gradwell, of William Gradwell & Company, Barrow-in-Furness, England, and Mr. Ward Layle, of Wisbech, England, the latter being the representative of the British Timber Trades Federation.

These gentlemen, on behalf of the British timber importers, complained of the lack of proper grading of Canadian timber shipped to Great Britain. It was formerly the custom of shippers to deduct waney timber, and to mark with a "V" fourth quality. It is said, however, that now many shippers fail to put any mark to indicate the grade. British importers complain that in the case of Canadian shipments the standard grades are not being maintained, and that in consequence they find themselves in constant diffiiculty with their customers in the retail trade.

It is urged that Canadian manufacturers and shippers should cut off the waney part of the timber, and see to it that the grades are maintained, even though the quantity of the higher grades should thereby be materially reduced. This, it is claimed, is done by the exporting firms in Sweden and other countries which ship timber into the British market—in proof whereof it is stated that not more than about 5 per cent. of first quality deals are now received from Archangel, but this 5 per cent. is known to be first quality.

As regards red pine deals, for which there is said to be an excellent demand, it is urged that they should be properly marked with stencil (not pencil) on the ends of the deals, so that the mark will be always visible from the wagon to those who load and unloac the timber. The British representatives stated that the best deals received from Canada are those which come from Miramichi; they are said to be much superior to those received from St. John.

We have pleasure in directing the attention of Canadian manufacturers and shippers to this important matter, as if Canada is to compete successfully with other exporting countries, equal attention must be given to the requirements of the British market.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Falkirk is loading lumber at the Hastings mill, Vancouver, for South Africa.

The barque Reform is loading a cargo of lumber at Yarmouth, N.S., for Buenos Ayres.

The steamer Henrich Manzell is loading a cargo of deals at Musquash, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

Twenty-one vessels arrived at North Tonawanda, N. Y., during the fourth week of September, with over 14,000,000 feet of lumber.

It is estimated that 300,00,000 feet of lumber have been carried by barge on the Ottawa River this season, chiefly for export to Great Britain.

J. E. Hickman, of Port Elgin, N.B., are loading the steamer "Holme" with lumber for the United Kingdom. The cargo will consist of about 1,000,000 feet.

Lumber shipments from the port of St. John, N.B., are light. Last week they aggregated 1,785,000 feet of long lumber, 3,135,000 shingles and 1,108,000 laths.

Lath are almost a drug on the Chicago market. Prices range from $3 upwards. Hemlock lath is nominally $3.20 a thousand, but prices are made as low as $3.

The Barque Cimpa Emilia has just loaded a cargo of birch and spruce deals at Tusket, N. S., for Bristol Channel. The barque Volve is loading 1,500,000 ft. of lumber, for Buenos Ayres.

The Canadian Pacific Lumber Company, of Port Moody, B.C., has purchased Clem & McLeod's logging camp up the coast and will conduct logging operations on the limit on a large scale.

The Fraser River Lumber Company, of New Westminster, B. C., have about 1,000 cords of shingle bolts in the Whonock Creek awaiting the fall rains to take them down the river to their mill.

There is a great scarcity of all sorts of cooperage stock. Coopers are asking 40 cents for apple barrels and several cents more for flour barrels, and say they are not able to make a satisfactory profit at that. Buffalo jobbers quote first-class elm staves at $10.50 to $10.75, and second-class as high as $9. Basswood heading sells for 8 to 8½ cents for first-class and 5½ to 6 cents for second-class. Coiled hoops are $10 to $10.50 for 5½-foot and $10.75 for 6-foot.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa will receive tenders up to Wednesday, November 11th, for licenses to cut timber on the following berths in the district of Alberta: Berth No. 1099, on the Athabasca River, 44 square miles; Berth No. 1096, on the McLeod River, 24 square miles; Berth No. 1098, on the north side Brazeau River, 40 square miles; and Berth No. 1097, on south side of Brazeau River, about 100 square miles; also Berth No. 1101, comprising 50 square miles in townships 40, 41 and 42, in the Province of Manitoba.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Predictions have been borne out by facts in one particular at least. An Ottawa district lumberman has closed with an English buyer for his 1904 cut of deals at a slight advance on the quotations ruling for the cut for 1903. It is the usual thing to close contracts for the English market about the end of November, so that the early deal made this year is indicative of the brisk demand there is for Canadian lumber across the pond.

It is the general opinion that there will be an all round advance on lumber of from five to ten per cent., this having reference to next season's cut. Of course the wage question has much to do with it. In other years the question of the cost of supplies for man and beast and equipment of camps was taken into consideration, but this time the wage question overshadows everything else. The advance in provisions has been marked, in the case of beans, a staple, fully 100 per cent.

Discussing the situation to-day a member of an old established firm said that experienced men were holding out for $40 a month and board. However, experienced men at $40 a month are cheap compared with inexperienced men at $35, $32 or even $30. According to this party his firm will curtail operations in the bush owing to the scarcity and high price of labor. He laid emphasis on the fact that prices of lumber will have to be advanced if the manufacturer is to get his own out of it.

No change in prices are reported by millmen or dealers. There is a slight weakening in some lines of cutting up lumber owing to the falling off in the demand from the American market. This is accounted for by the set-back given building operations by the strikes and the consequent slackness in business in the sash and door factories of the Eastern States.

The lath and shingle market is picking up, with the promise of an active fall trade. Prices, however, remain unchanged.

Fraser & Company's new mill at Deschenes above Ottawa is now running full time cutting 50,000 feet a day. This mill is considered by experts to be the best equipped in Canada if not in America. It ran without a hitch from the first day, a feature of mill operations not often met with.

The Hawkesbury Lumber Company's mill at Hawkesbury has been shut down for the season, and the men sent to the shanties. The season was a long one, thanks to the continued high water of the Ottawa, upon which the band mill depends for water power. Work is now under way on the deepening of the waterway. The rock will be blasted down for a further depth of five feet. When this work is completed the increased water power even in times of low water will permit of the mill being run up till the snow flies. The cut at the Hawkesbury Company's mills this season ran between forty-five and fifty million feet.

Recent rains improved the situation on the tributaries of the Rouge river, and a portion of the logs that were "hung up" have been floated down. The Riordan Company, of Hawkesbury, had about 300,000 logs on the streams. The Morrison mill at L'Orignal had to be shut down for a while on account of scarcity of logs.

Perley & Company's mill at Calumet is cutting about 30,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

It is estimated that fully 300,000,000 feet of lumber was carried on the Ottawa Transportation Company's barges from points on the Ottawa river this season. It was the heaviest business done in years. From the mills at Ottawa, Hull, Rockland, Hawkesbury, Calumet, Montebello and Grenville shipments were made almost daily. Most of the lumber went to Montreal for export to England, but a goodly share was forwarded to New York. In the matter of values one barge load shipped from the Hawkesbury Lumber Company's mills at Hawkesbury took the cake. It contained about 270,000 feet of three inch first quality deals for the English market. It was valued at $60 per thousand, making a total of almost $17,000.

Reports received from the limits show that work is progressing well. Many foremen are devoting their time to road making, which is facilitated in the absence of snow, while more are busy logmaking. From general observation it seems likely there will be a falling off in the cut of waney and square timber this season, for the very good reason that, especially in the Kippewa region, it isn't to be had.

The suspension of operations at the Soo caused considerable discussion in Ottawa lumber circles. Agents lost no time in making their way to the Soo to engage men for the camps, but few were secured for the Ottawa firms. The majority of the men who did not remain idle waiting for the payment of their wages, hired with companies in the Georgian Bay district.

Ottawa district capital will be well represented at the big sale of limits to be held by the Ontario Government on December 9th. It is said that between fifteen and twenty parties are out going over the promised land for the Ottawa and district mills.

The new planing and sash and door factories built by Davidson & Thackray in the west end of the city are completed. The work of installing the machinery, which has all been ordered, will shortly be proceeded with. The mill will be running before Christmas.

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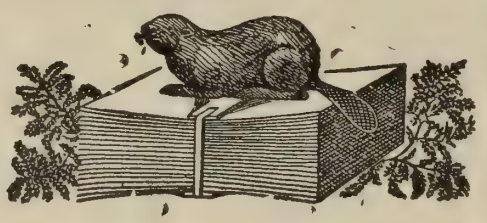

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2x10 common	18 50 19 00
2x12 common	20 00 21 00
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3x12 common	20 21 00
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Inch siding common	16 00 17 50
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1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
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1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 25
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X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..	2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in...	2 1

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Ash M. R., 1 to 2		21 00 23 00
Birch, M. R., 1in.		19 00 21 00
" 1½ "	2..	21 00 23 00
" sqrs. 4x4 "	8x8	25 00 26 00
Basswood. Common and better	1 to 1¼in	24 00 25 00
	1½ to 2 ..	25 00 27 00
m. r.	1 1¼	23 00 24 00
Butternut	1 " 1½	23 00 25 00
"	2 " 3..	25 00 20 00
Chestnut	1 " 2..	24 00 2 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½	50 00 60 00
Cherry, 1sts and2nds	2 " 4..	60 00 65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	19 00 21 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3..	21 00 23 00
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Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4..	21 00 23 00
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Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4..	34 00 36 00
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Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4..	35 00 38 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2..	60 00 65 00
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Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2..	34 00 38 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, goodsidings : 1 in. x 8 in and up	40 00 45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00 55 00
Pine good strips : 1in	33 00 35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	35 00 38 00
2 in	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00 30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, m	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16 00 19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"	16 00
" 6' to 11'x10"	17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50 20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 0
1x10 No. 2 "	18 0
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00 2 25
Pine Shingles : XXXX, 18 inch	3 00 3 2
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25 2 45
XX, 18 inch	1 25 1 50
Cedar Shingles	0
XXXX. 18 inch	3 30 3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65 2 00

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First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
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" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
1 "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00
2in.	58 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	37 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	49 00
2in.	50 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6.	19 00
1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 00
No. 2 White Pine	2 50
Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	78 80
4 inch uppers	88 90
Selects, 2½ in up	75 72
1 to 2 in.	70 7
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	60 65
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55 57
No. 2	35 45
No. 3	30 35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47 50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35 40
Stained saps	30 40
Bracket plank	35 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
Dressing boards, narrow	26 28
1x10 inch shippers	21 22
1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
4/4 inch 13" & up.	25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
10-in. dressing and better	30 32
10-in. common	20
12-in. dressing and better	40 45
Common, 1x12	21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
1x10	25 26
1x8	23 24
No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
1x10	23 24
1x8	20 22
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35 45
" " 2 inch	40
Dressing	26 27
Common	25

LATH.

Pine	$3 15
Spruce	$3 1

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50 $4 75
Clear butts	3 50 3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Hemlock	2 23
Spruce	2 25

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2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in.	62 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in.	75 00
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No. 2, 1 in.	24 00
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Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in.	36
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6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
Box, 1x4	15 00
1x6 & up.	17 50
1x10	18 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	20 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00 34 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00 39 00
2½ to 4 in.	42 00 44 00
Strips	20 00 23 00
Com. and culls	15 00 17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00 32 00
Com. & good culls	14 00 16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00 37 00
1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00 27 00
Common and culls	14 00 16 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	22 00 24
Common and culls	14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 21 00
Common and culls	17 00 14 00
1st &2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Common and culls	10 00 12 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber demand continues fairly satisfactory all over the province, although there has been a falling off in the volume of orders booked from the Eastern States. Until the labor troubles in New York are settled shipments to that market are likely to be very light. The local consumption is large. The fine weather of the past week has permitted outdoor work to be carried on without interruption, and builders have been large buyers of lumber. Implement and furniture factories are also increasing their stocks at each favorable opportunity. The trend of prices has been such as to bring the higher and lower grades closer together. Nearly all the better grades of pine are about $2 per thousand lower than a fortnight ago, while the lower qualities have stiffened in price. Mill culls, for instance, are almost invariably held at an advance of 50 cents. Box and common lumber have remained about stationary, but with the buyer usually willing to concede more than the seller. Inch No. 1 cuts and better, which a short time ago were held at $50 at the mill, are now freely offered at $48, while 1½ inch cuts are quoted at $53 as compared with $55 a couple of weeks ago. There continues to be heavy buying of hemlock both in dimension timber and lumber, with no apparent weakness in prices. The demand for hardwoods has not been quite so urgent as in the month of September, but as the supply is light there is no uneasiness over the situation. Lath is not a quick seller, and in some quarters predictions of lower prices are heard. For No. 1 4-foot pine lath $2.85 at the mill is asked, and for No. 2 $2.25.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Lumber shipments from the eastern provinces are showing less activity, due in part to the advance in freight rates. Shipowners are now asking 50 shillings from St. John to Great Britain, the increase being based on the higher cost of insurance and the fact that only small deckloads can be carried. Nevertheless, firmness characterizes spruce lumber prices. The stocks carried by manufacturers are so light that they are not worrying over their disposal. We cannot conscientiously report any improvement in the shingle situation. There is a large supply of low grade cedar shingles, and as it is impossible to hold the small manufacturers together, prices remain low. The upper grades are steadier and bring from $3.40 to $3.50 for Boston delivery.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

There is still a very satisfactory movement of lumber throughout Manitoba and the Territories. There are so many buildings in process of completion that the demand for finishing lumber is quite heavy. Up to the end of September of this year the building inspector of Winnipeg issued 1,127 permits for buildings, of a total value of $5,235,700. The lumber situation in British Columbia has improved, foreign shipments being more numerous than for some weeks past. The threatened labor troubles in the shingle industry have been averted, and as the new arrangement for the disposal of the shingle output is now in force, more settled conditions are expected to prevail. It is understood that according to the agreement, each mill owner will pay to the association 35 cents for every thousand shingles produced, this sum to be returned at the end of certain fixed periods to those manufacturers who have not exceeded the percentage of output awarded them. Mill owners who exceed their allotted percentage will be penalized by a fine, in addition to the forfeiture of the deposits made on their output. It is thought that this arrangement will work out satisfactorily.

UNITED STATES.

The white pine market in the United States has become quite irregular. The higher grades are off from $2 to $4 per thousand in nearly all the leading markets, while the lower grades, and particularly mill culls and box lumber, are somewhat stronger than at last report. The fact that there continues to be a heavy demand for boxes is taken to indicate that the general business of the country is in a prosperous condition. Last week 25,000,000 feet of lumber were shipped from Duluth, largely to the east. At Buffalo and Tonawanda the demand has lately picked up in a slight degree, although there is not the uniformity of favorable reports that characterizes the fall trade of some years.

Norway piece stuff is in active request, and with a continuance of present demand there is not likely to be any cut in prices of this class of lumber. From some points a slight falling off in the demand for hardwood lumber is reported. Basswood, which has been very scarce all season, is in more plentiful supply. Maple is a good seller, nothwithstanding the weakness of maple flooring. Some of the mills are still cutting prices on the latter commodity, and there is no improvement in sight. Spruce prices are unchanged. Many of the small mills are now shutting down and the large ones have orders on hand to keep them running for some weeks.

There is no decided tendency to the shingle market. A report from Marinette, Mich., states that some of the mills in that vicinity have a large stock of shingles on hand and will close down until the market shows more strength and activity.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The announcement of the suspension of another firm of timber merchants has further unsettled the British market. It is some satisfaction to learn that the misfortune was the result of the continued decline in securities rather than of unprofitable transactions in lumber. The knowledge of this fact will no doubt tend in a degree to assure the lumber trade. There can be no doubt, however, but that the unsettled financial and political condition of Great Britain is against any improvement in the timber trade at the present time. Holders of lumber find it difficult to realize on their stocks, although it is admitted that consumers have been buying very sparingly for some time past. The position of importers who have large stocks on hand is strenghened by the action of the shippers in holding out for high prices for next year's shipments. Figures of the stock on hand at Liverpool on October 1st show that in waney pine timber, elm timber, birch plank, and spruce deals there is a considerable shortage as compared with one year ago, while square pine and birch timber and Quebec pine deals are in slightly larger stock. There is a fair demand for the best quality of timber and lumber, bnt the lower grades are difficult to dispose of.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Glen Head is loading deals at St. Thomas, Que., for Belfast, Ireland.

Sullivan & Company are shipping a considerable quantity of elm lumber from Ontario to Buffalo.

There has been a drop in Michigan in the price of cedar posts and poles, the latter being off about 25 per cent.

The Eastern Lumber Company, of Tonawanda, N. Y., last week purchased 12,000,000 feet of lumber at Duluth.

The Lake Megantic Lumber Company, of Lake Megantic, Que., are putting in five camps this fall in the Woburn district, at the head of the Arnald river.

Cargo prices for mill run Norway piece stuff in Chicago are $16.50 to $16.75; short piece stuff, $16. Mill run hemlock sells at $12 to $12.50 for short lengths.

The Pacific Coast manufacturers of red cedar shingles are said to have made an advance of five cents, with the probability of another similar advance at an early date.

The tendency of lath is to decline. White pine lath is offered in Chicago at $3 to $3.10 a thousand, and No. 2 at $2.50, but it is believed that these prices are frequently shaded.

On Wednesday, October 21st, the New Brunswick Government will offer for sale the license to cut timber on three square miles on the Magaguadavic river, above Flume Ridge, the applicant for which is Robert Anderson.

The Muskoka Wood Manufacturing Company, of Huntsville, Ont., are paying from $5 to $6 per 1,000 feet for 10 to 16 foot hemlock logs delivered in Vernon Peninsular or Fairy Lakes, and $7 to $8.50 per M for other hardwoods.

Two timber berths were sold by the New Brunswick Government last week as follows: Three miles on East Sebbis river to A. R. Slipp at $50 per mile; 3 miles at head of Pleasant Brook, Gaspereau river, to Fred. E. Sayre, at $8.50 per mile.

There were rafted by the Fredericton Boom Company, of Fredericton, N.B., during the past season 34,164 joints of timber, containing 80,009,575 superficia feet. This included 780,110 feet of hemlock, 8,395,230 feet of cedar, 1,448,340 feet of pine, 1,253 pieces of pulpwood, 2,967 feet of fir, and 69,356,223 feet of spruce.

Last week there arrived at Owen Sound, Ont., for the John Harrison & Sons Company, a raft containing approximately 3,500,000 feet of timber. The timber was cut on the company's limits on the Magnetawan river, and included pine, hemlock and cedar. This is the largest raft ever brought into Owen Sound harbor, its value being about $40,000.

One of the most reassuring features in the present market situation, says the American Lumberman, is the heavy demand for box lumber. Box and shook factories are all busy and their requirements hold the prices of box grades of lumber at top notch figures. When the box factories are busy the general business must be in prosperous shape.

The receipts of lumber at the Tonawandas during September were 64,870,684 feet by water, exceeding the receipts of the corresponding month of last year by 17,414,435 feet. Since the season opened 322,606,571 feet have arrived, as compard with 285,586,865 feet for the same period of 1902. An increase in the shipment of lumber from the Tonawandas over the Erie canal was recorded last month.

Thomas Bouregard, Captain W. H. Neale and Captain E. W. Brydges, of Warroad, Minn., have just concluded a contract with the Rat Portage Lumber Company to deliver several million feet of timber at Warroad next summer. This timber will be towed to Warroad from points on the Lake of the Woods and Rainy River and will be shipped by the Canadian Northern Railway to the Rat Portage Lumber Company at Winnipeg. The contract is one of the largest ever made for towage on the Lake of the Woods.

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THE SOUTH AFRICAN DEMAND.

The confidence in the capacity of the South African Colonies to absorb wood goods remains unabated, and although, as far as we can learn, the orders for the present season are practically completed, it is believed, probably rightly, that the demands for the next year will be considerably in excess of those filled this season, says the Timber Trades Journal, of London, Eng. Not only are shippers abroad looking to that market to absorb the stocks which they will have to carry over the winter, but we hear that a leading London buyer has recently bought a thousand standards as a speculation for the Cape market. As the season advances it is now more apparent than ever that a much larger proportion than usual of this trade has gone past the London agents, and it is difficult to understand why Danish and German firms have been able to secure so much of this valuable business.

TIMBER PROPERTY FOR SALE.

An advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department of this issue announces that the Edmund Hall Estate, of Detroit, Mich., are prepared to receive offers for their timber property in Ontario, including timber limits in the District of Algoma, comprising the townships of Totten, Porter, Hymen, Vernon, and No. 91. These limits are estimated to contain from 155,000,000 to 165,000,000 feet of merchantable pine, besides other timber. The saw mill at Sarnia, buildings and lumbering outfit at Nairn Centre and the capital stock of Sarnia Bay Towing & Salvage Company will also be disposed of. Bids are to be received by December 1st next.

NEW BRUNSWICK STUMPAGE DUES.

The Lumbermen's Association of New Brunswick have presented to the Provincial Government a memorial drawn up after the declaration that the government proposed increasing the stumpage, which is now $1 a thousand feet.

In the memorial they claim that if the stumpage is to be increased it should be collected only on merchantable logs. They recommend a uniform rate of stumpage as at present throughout the province, also that a reduced rate be allowed to operators cutting on burned districts; that in certain lands where the lumber is fit only for pulp wood they be allowed to cut for the pulp industry and that no additional stumpage be charged for this.

They recommend the appointment of practical men as fire wardens to protect the forests. They also suggest that if the government purposes raising the stumpage to $1.25 per thousand that the present holders of crown land leases be granted extension of term for 25 years from the date on which the stumpage is increased. The government will consider the memorial.

FAILURE OF A GLASGOW FIRM.

On September 29th the suspension of McDowall & Neilson, timber merchants, 55 West Regent street, Glasgow, was announced. The total liabilities are roughly estimated at £100,000, of which a large proportion falls on the London, Liverpool and Canadian firms. The firm had been in existence for about twenty years. They had a fairly prosperous career and the failure is reported to have been brought about mainly by heavy speculation. The list of creditors includes W. & J. Sharples, Dobell, Beckett & Company, Robert Cox & Company, J. Burstall & Company, and the McArthur Bros. Company, of Quebec; Allison, Cousland & Company, and Price & Pearce, of Glasgow; A. Dobell & Company, Farnworth & Jardine, Crow, Rudoff & Company, and Frank Harrison & Company, of Liverpool.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber at Boston shows little change. There is considerable difficulty in placing orders for dimension stuff. Most of the lumber from the Kennebec mills is still going to New York, where better prices are ruling. There is not likely to be much improvement in the supply, as few of the mills would be benefitted now by high water. Prices are steady: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 12 in. random lengths, 10 feet and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 feet and up, $17 to $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 feet and up, $18 to $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18.50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is steady and unchanged: Boards, 12,14 and 16 feet stock, $14.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

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Western pine lumber is quiet, but prices are firm and unchanged: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in. $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in. $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in. $76 to $78; 2-in. $78; 2 1-2 to 3 in. $84; 4-in. $86; fine common, 1-in. $67; 1¼ to 1½ in. $69; 2-in. $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in. $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

There is a firmer market for choice hardwood finish stock, especially quartered oak and whitewood. Prices are advanced: Quartered oak, $85 to $92; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $56; sap, $43 to $48; common, $39 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

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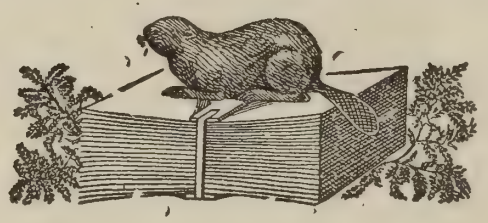

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CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1 to 10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	25 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50	17 50
2x10 common	18 50	19 00
2x12 common	20 00	21 00
3x10 common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	20	21 00
7x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 50
inch siding common	16 00	17 50
inch strips, common	16 00	17 50
1x— and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17	

1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 75
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 25
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 85
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00	$34 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	24 00	27 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	25 00	28 00
Birch M. R., 1 to 2	21 00	23 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	19 00	21 00
" 1½ " 2	21 00	23 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	25 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	24 00	25 00
" 1½ to 2	25 00	27 00
Butternut m. r. 1	1¼ 23 00	24 00
" 1	1½ 23 00	25 00
" 2	3 25 00	20 00
Chestnut 1	2 24 00	2 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½ 50 00	60 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 19 00	21 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 21 00	3 "

Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼" 23 00	25 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3 25 00	27 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2 32 00	35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½ 20 00	22 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 21 00	23 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 31 00	33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 34 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 32 00	36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 35 00	38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2 60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 " 3 85 00	100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2 34 00	37 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, goodsidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00
Pine good strips: 1 in	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	35 00	38 00
2 in	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in	30 00	35 00
2 in	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, m	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16 00	19 00
Pine Shorts 10' to 11'x8"		16 00
" 10' to 11'x10"		17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 0
1x10 No. 2 "		1

1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 0	3 20
Clear Butt, 8 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 55
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 50	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	17	22
15 "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2 in	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	37 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	49 00	4 in.	60 00
2 in	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 00	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	1x1 inch shippers	$24 25
2½ in.	83	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
1 to 2 in.	78	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	88	10-in. dressing and better	30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	10-in. common	20
1 to 2 in.	70	12-in. dressing and better	40 45
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35	1x8	23 24
No. 3	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	1x10	23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	1x8	20 22
Stained saps	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 45
Bracket plank	35	" 2 inch	40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	Dressing	26 23
Dressing boards, narrow	26	Common	25
1x10 inch shippers	21		

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$ $3 1

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 0 $4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50 3 75	Hemlock	2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36
2½ and 3 in.	80 0	Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 5
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mould stps 1 to 2 in.	8 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 0	No. 2 Mould'ng Strips, 1 to 2 in.	55 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	24 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	62 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	40 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	40 00	1x13 and up	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	26 00		15 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00 34 00	2½ to 4 in.	42 00 44 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00 39 00	Strips	20 00 23 00
		Com. and culls	15 00 17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00 32 00	Com. & good culls	14 00 6 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00 37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
		Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00 27 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	22 00 24
Common and culls	14 00 16 00	Common and culls	14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 21 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Common and culls	17 00 14 00	Common and culls	10 00 12 00

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One 20" x 24" Waterous engine, 8 ft. driving wheel, 26" face. 11 ft. x 4 ft. Stillwell & Bierce Heater, feed pipe and connections to heater complete.
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One pair twin engines, 10x16.
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One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrils and saws.
Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.
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THE PROPERTY OF

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IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING — the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLMER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULOCK (part of) FRENCH (part of), STEWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HAMMELL and PHELPS (part of).

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IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT—Berths G19, G21, C23, G29 and G38, and the following Berths with the right to cut and remove the pine, spruce, tamarack, cedar and poplar :—G4, G6, G17, G18, G24, G25, G26, G27, G28, G33, G35, G36, G37, G19, G40, G41, G42, G43, Berths Nos. S1, S2, S3, and S4, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings, in the City of Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1903, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

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E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
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LUMBER.

WANTED — GOOD CEDAR, BASSWOOD, oak, elm, etc., for boat building. PETERBORO CANOE CO., Ltd.

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1 INCH SPRUCE LUMBER, EITHER IN long sections or cut up to the following sizes:
1"x2"—2 ft. long.
1"x3"—1 ft. 1 in. long.
1"x1½"—1 ft. long.
½"x6"—1 ft. 1 in. long.
½"x4", 5", 6" and 7"—1 ft. long.
1"x12"—1 ft long.

Parties quoting prices for these dimensions will understand that the spruce must be clear; also mention what quantity can be supplied in each case. Address

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FIRST.—Timber limits in the District of Algoma, Province of Ontario, Canada and comprising the townships of Totten, Porter, Hymen, Vernon, and No. Ninety One. These limits contain, by estimate, from one hundred and fifty-five to one hundred and sixty-five millions feet of merchantable pine, besides other timber. Lumbering operations are now in progress looking to a cut of about sixteen millions feet for the season.

SECOND.—Dwelling house, office, store house, barns and land at Nairn Center, Ontario, together with household goods and office furniture, lumber camps and lumbering outfit.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Conservatism is now entering into lumber transactions to a greater extent than it has for some time past. There are many consumers who must continue to buy lumber for requirements, but few speculative ventures are being entered upon. Dealers do not wish to carry large stocks, consequently they seek to find an outlet for the lumber before purchasing it. Business, therefore, is somewhat quieter, but prices continue firm. There is no large supply of dry stock in the mill yards, and this fact has encouraged the manufacturer to hold for high prices, although his views in that respect frequently do not correspond with those of the dealer or buyer. Conditions, however, have up to the present been in favor of the manufacturer. Indications point to an average volume of trade during the fall and early winter months, although as the building season draws to a close the market cannot but feel the loss of the demand from that quarter.

A scarcity of men for work in the woods continues to be reported from all sections of the province. Owing to high wages and the uncertainty as to lumber prices next year, there is a disposition to curtail logging operations this winter, and it is probable that the cut will be lighter than last season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

In some respects the spruce lumber market is less firm than at last writing. There has been a falling off in the number of enquiries for stock for local consumption, but the New York market has absorbed all the spruce lumber that has arrived at that centre and there are still many willing buyers. For this reason cargo spruce is quite strong. Shippers to Great Britain have their contracts pretty well covered and are not buying to any extent at the present time. As the supply at the mills is light, no difficulty is likely to be experienced in maintaining prices. For cedar shingles there is a slightly improved demand. Several recent sales of extras have been made at $3.45 for Boston delivery. Spruce lath is also a shade firmer.

UNITED STATES.

It is perhaps within the mark to say that the lumber salesman has been obliged to put forth more effort during the past week to sell lumber than at any previous time this year. Consumers seem to have decided upon a policy of retrenchment, on the ground that prices are not likely to go higher, while there is a probability that they may decline. There is still a fair volume of business, but the showing is not favorable when compared with one year ago, at which time dealers and consumers were anxious to buy lumber at almost any price. Reports from the Lake Superior district and from Chicago state that stocks of low grade inch lumber and Norway dimension are well sold up, but that there is an accumulation of shop lumber and a moderate supply of uppers. Many times within the past few months we have stated that the call for box lumber was the feature of the market, and this condition exists as much to-day as ever. The box factories and planing mills are operating to their full capacity, with many unfilled orders on their books. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers take a somewhat hopeful view of the situation. While the slight slackness in the white pine trade may continue for a time, it is stated that dealers there consider the prospects for the fall and winter movement very bright. Salesmen returning from the Eastern States have brought back a reasonable number of orders, and there is a feeling that after the turn of the year a more active trade may be expected. Hardwood lumber has shown no signs of weakness. Orders have not been as numerous, but the supply of dry stock is so small that prices are maintained with ease. A scarcity of elm has developed, consequent on the large demand for it in the cooperage trade. Thick maple is also scarce, sales of four inch having been made recently at Buffalo at $40. Maple flooring continues weak, with keen competition on large orders.

A report from Calumet, Mich., states that shingles have slumped and that manufacturers are storing them until prices shall improve. This report does not agree with advices from other points. At Buffalo and Tonawanda an advance of five cents has been made on red cedars and a further rise is anticipated.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Recent developments in Great Britain have caused buyers of lumber to pursue a very cautious policy. General business is not in the most healthy condition and there is little disposition to increase obligations unless for immediate necessities. The late suspension of the two leading timber firms is not characterized to aid in the restoration of confidence, although it should probably be stated that these failures were due to circumstances entirely apart from the lumber trade. While they may result in the embarrassment of one or two smaller concerns, they are not likely to have a serious effect upon the lumber trade in general. Representatives of shippers find it almost impossible to close business unless at materially lower figures, and as yet they show no disposition to meet buyers in this respect. Prices of lumber in stock are quite firm, as holders realize that they would be compelled to pay higher figures to replenish their stock. If shippers refrain from sending forward consignment cargoes prices are likely to hold at least until the spring of next year. Large quantities of Canadian spruce and pine have been received at Belfast and Dublin, where the demand has been sufficient to keep the supply down to a reasonable point.

In timber, elm, birch and oak are finding a fairly steady sale and values seem likely to continue firm. There is only a small quantity of first-class waney pine in stock at the leading ports, and should the demand be of average volume, higher prices for this class of stock may be experienced.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Spanish River Boom Company have this season sorted 200,000,000 feet of logs.

It is stated that Donald Fraser & Sons, Fredericton, N.B., will cut 50,000,000 feet of lumber next season at their mills there and at Cabano, Que.

There is a marked scarcity of cooperage stock on account of the heavy apple crop. Quotations are very wide and considerably higher than last week.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, N. B., last week sent a crew of forty men to the scene of their lumbering operations on Black river. The company expects to cut 5,000,000 feet of logs during the coming winter.

N. N. Wright & Company, of Spanish River, Ont., will have eleven camps in the woods this winter and expect to bank 40,000,000 feet of logs. The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., will have five camps in operation.

A two mile timber berth situated on Rockwell stream, Sunbury county, N.B., was last week sold by the Crown Lands Department to Smith Bros., Limited, of Blissville, at $49 per mile.

Thomas Robinson, of Harvey Station, N B., has taken a contract to get out logs for James Murchie & Sons, of St. Stephen, and will operate the coming winter on the west of the Magaguadavic lake.

Crate & Sparham, of Smith's Falls, Ont., are extending their lumbering operations. They have now in the boom some 13,000 logs, which were brought down Gible's creek to the Tay canal and thence to Smith's Falls.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa will receive tenders up to November 18th for a permit to cut timber on Berth No. 1106, comprising sections 30, 31 and 32, township 3, Range 12, in the province of Manitoba. The area is three square miles.

It is said that one operator who is interested in the logs stranded in the St. John River above Grand Falls, N. B., will not consent to the proposition to boom the logs for the winter near Van Buren. As it is impossible to sort them the owners are in a quandary to know what course to pursue.

The exports of lumber from St. John, N.B., during the week ending October 10 were as follows: To the United States, 2,173,000 feet of long lumber, 2,179,000 shingles, 311,000 lath; to English ports, 1,680,000 feet of deals; to Barbados, 150,000 feet of lumber and 200,000 shingles; and to St. Vincent, West Indies, a schooner cargo of long lumber and shingles.

A large number of men are going into the woods along Rainy River and the lake to prepare for the winter's cut of logs, which will exceed anything ever attempted before. It is estimated over 100,000,000 feet of logs, 1,000,000 ties, 100,000 posts, 200,000 piles, and 50,000 telegraph poles will be taken out this winter. Wages range from $26 to $35 a month.

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THE BOSTON MARKET.

The situation in spruce lumber is decidedly mixed. The demand is not large and yet buyers find it difficult to get desired sizes. Some holders are getting fancy prices for certain dimensions, said to be as high as $25 in some cases. Prices are very firm on all small stuff, and full quotations are being obtained. The mills are still held up for the lack of logs, and the supply for the winter promises to be small. Prices are nominally unchanged, but firm: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9in. and under, $19; 9 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up, $20.50 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $17@17.50; all other random, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up, $18@18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18.50@20; out spruce boards, $13@14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is steady and unchanged.

Hardwood finishing lumber continues in fair demand, especially for quartered oak and whitewood. Prices are firm: Quartered oak, $85 to $92; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $56; sap, $43 to $48; common, $39 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

Clapboards are quiet at nominally unchanged quotations: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

Shingles are about steady: Extra cedar, $3.35 to $3.45; clear, $2.90 to $3; second clear, $2.25 to $2.35; extra No. 1, $1.50 $1.75; British Columbia red cedar Extras, 16-in. five butts to 2 in. $3.30 to $3.40; Eurekas, 18-in. five butts to 2 in. $3.80 to $3.90; Perfections, five butts to 2¼ in. $4.15 to $4.30.

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LUMBER CONDITIONS AT GLASGOW.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, of Glasgow, Scotland, in their last report, review the lumber market as follows:

In submitting our September report we annex the usual comparative statement, which gives details of imports, the consumption for nine months, and the stock on hand as compared with recent years. In Quebec timber, as will be observed, waney and square pine logs show a decrease of about 20 per cent. as compared with the stock at 30th September last year, while reductions are also noticeable in red pine, oak, elm, and ash logs. On the other hand, the stock of 1st, 3rd, and 4th pine is largely in excess of last year, and the same may be said of pine sidings and spruce deals, the only items showing a reduction being 2nd pine and red pine deals. In Lower Port spruce and pine the figures are almost double, and this without taking into consideration Galatz spruce, of which there are at least 1,000 standards in the market. The other figures, while of interest, do not call for special mention.

The tendency of the market during the past month has been somewhat unsatisfactory, which may be ascribed to various causes, the chief one perhaps being that arrivals from the St. Lawrence and lower ports have been abnormally heavy of late, and this seems to have had a disquieting effect on buyers, who have been rather inclined to avoid "ex quay" purchases except at lower prices than have been ruling of late. Another adverse influence on the market has been the suspension a few days ago of a prominent firm of Glasgow merchants, full details of which are not yet available. The stability of the market will now largely depend upon the import during the next month or two, which it is hoped will be on a less lavish scale than has ruled of late.

The Clyde shipbuilding returns for the month show that 18 vessels aggregating about 23,000 tons were launched, against 24 vessels of 54,000 tons for the same month last year, while the new orders fixed amount to no less than about 45,000 tons—a very satisfactory addition to the work on hand.

The housebuilding trade continues in a satisfactory condition, the amount of work in progress and in prospect being quite considerable.

WHITE PINE.—The import during the month amounts to about 2000 loads. Business is quiet and we hear of no transactions of any importance. There are, however, one or two good enquiries pending. Stocks are moderate and prices continue firm.

RED PINE.—There has been no import, and the stock, though low, is sufficient for all the demand.

OAK.—The import during the month amounts to about 630 loads. The stock consists of 4,500 loads, of which about 2700 loads is Quebec, and 1800 loads Southern States wood. Railway companies having filled their requirements, the demand is languid.

ELM.—There has been an import of 800 loads during the month. The stock amounts to 3400 loads, and while it is 500 loads less than the same time last year, it is still too heavy for prospective requirements. There have been no sales of any importance. Prices of first-class rock are firm, but 2nd class and soft elm are weak.

BIRCH.—Quebec.—The import for the month amounts to 270 loads, some of which was disposed of from ship's side and some stored. There is very little demand, and the stock, which amounts to 1460 loads (Quebec and Low Port), is more than ample for the market's apparent requirements for some time to come.

Lower Port.—There is not much doing and the nominal value of 15-inch Pictou logs is 17d. There is still a large stock on hand, which is moving off very slowly.

ASH.—The import has been comparatively unimportant recently, but small though it has been, it has been ample for all the demand which exists for this wood nowadays. The nominal value of good 15-inch average is about 2s. to 2s. 1d. per foot.

DEALS, &C.—Deliveries from public yards have been large, but new business has been very quiet and disappointing. Imports have been on a large scale, and stocks of all kinds are accumulating. Prices, however, continue firm. Current values are as under:—Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second pine deals:—11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14, 10s. Third pine deals:—11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals:—9 and 11 inch, £11 10s. to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10s. First pine siding:—8 and 10 inch, £24 to £25; 11 to 12 inch, £26 to £28; 13 to 14 inch, £29 to £31. Spruce deals:—9 inch and up, £8 15s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower Port pine and spruce: 7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s.; 9-inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 15s.

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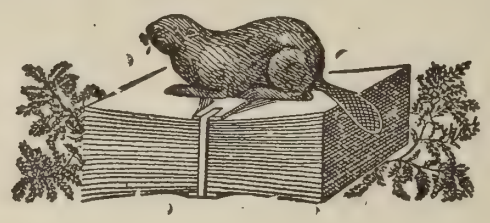

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1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00	
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00	
Lath, per M: No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles : XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 20
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 55
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
15 "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	37 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	49 00	4 in.	60 00
2in	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	45 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 00	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
2½ in.	83	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
1 to 2 in.	78	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	88	10-in. dressing and better	30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	10-in. common	20
1 to 2 in.	70	12-in. dressing and better	40 45
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	Common, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	60	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35	1x8	23 24
No. 3	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	1x10	23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	1x8	20 22
Stained saps	30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 45
Bracket plank	35	" " 2 inch	40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	Dressing	26 23
Dressing boards, narrow	26	Common	25
1x10 inch shippers	21		

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$ $3 1

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 5
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in.	68 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	75 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	4
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	35 00
4 in.	55 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	30 00
Fine common, 1 in.	58 00	No. 2, 10 in.	26 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	62 00	No. 2, 12 in.	24 00
2 in.	70 00	No. 3, 10 in.	26 00
3 in.	75 00	No. 3, 12 in.	20 00
4 in.	40 00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	23 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	50 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	24 00	1x6 & up	17 50
No. 2, 1 in.	40 00	No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	18 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	36 00	1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00	1x13 and up	20 00
1¼x10 and 12	34 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
1½ in.		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda;

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00	34 00	2½ to 4 in.	42 00	44 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00	39 00	Strips	20 00	23 00
			Com. and culls	15 00	17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00	32 00	Com. & good culls	14 00	16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00	27 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	22 00	24
Common and culls	14 00	16 00	Common and culls	14 00	16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	17 00	14 00	Common and culls	10 00	12 00

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TIMBER ON 500 ACRES IN PARRY SOUND District, containing upwards of 3,000,000 feet of birch, also about 1,000,000 feet of other timber. Would sell at reasonable figure as standing timber, or would give part interest to person who would put in a saw mill; make offer. Address, "R.D" care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
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ADVERTISERS ARE PREPARED TO CUT to order during the coming winter a quantity of prime hard Maple and Birch any special thickness. Box 36, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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LUMBER.

WANTED — GOOD CEDAR, BASSWOOD, oak, elm, etc., for boat building. PETERBORO CANOE CO., Ltd.

SOFT ELM LOGS WANTED

10 OR 15 FEET LONG, SUITABLE FOR Cheese Box Veneers. We are open to buy any quantity on cars, on line of Canada Atlantic Railway. MACPHERSON & SCHELL, Alexandria, Ont.

Logs For Sale

5,000 GOOD LOGS, MOSTLY WHITE PINE 16 feet long, now running into the mouth of Spanish River at Georgian Bay. Also Limit for sale with or without saw mill. Limit and saw mill located on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier Ont.

WANTED

1 INCH SPRUCE LUMBER, EITHER IN long sections or cut up to the following sizes:
1"x2"—2 ft. long.
1"x3"—1 ft. 1 in. long.
1"x1½"—1 ft. long.
½"x6"—1 ft. 1 in. long.
½"x4", 5", 6" and 7"—1 ft. long.
1"x12"—1 ft long.

Parties quoting prices for these dimensions will understand that the spruce must be clear; also mention what quantity can be supplied in each case. Address

UNITED FACTORIES LIMITED,
Newmarket, Ont.

SHIPPING MATTERS.

The steamer Otterspool is loading deals at St. John, N.B., for the Clyde.

The ship Port Stanley is now loading lumber at Chemainus, B. C., for Chili. The ship Neville is also chartered to load lumber at that port.

The following charters are reported: Schr. E. A. Post, Bridgewater, N.S., to Madeira, lumber, $7.50; schr. Leonard Potter, Bridgewater, N.S., to Havanna, lumber, $4.75; str. Platea, Sheet Harbor, N.S., to Swansea and Preston, deals, private terms.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market is showing a degree of strength that is very encouraging to holders of stock. Efforts have been made to depress prices, but with the exception of the upper grades, which were perhaps forced to an abnormally high point, the attempt has been unsuccessful. This may be explained in part by the fact that many of the large manufacturers sold their entire cut early in the season, and there is consequently no accumulation of stock in mill yards. The close of the season will find comparatively small stocks of pine lumber in first hands. Ottawa manufacturers seem determined to endeavor to obtain higher prices for the production of next year. Already one manufacturer has sold his output of British deals at an advance. In Toronto there is a steady consumption of lumber in building operations, and this condition exists quite generally throughout the province.

The range of hardwood prices is quite wide. A few manufacturers are disposed to offer concessions to effect sales rather than carry their stock into the winter, while others, and the larger number, are holding prices firmly, some even asking an advance upon late quotations. A Toronto dealer was recently asked $22 for inch soft elm at the mill. There is a quite active demand for birch lumber, which has been a ready seller all season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is a more active demand for spruce lumber. Manufacturers report numerous inquiries for stock for shipment to Ontario, where it is being used for many purposes in place of white pine, owing to the difference in price. Considerable shipments are also being made to the Eastern States. The demand for certain sizes is in excess of the supply. This is particularly so in the case of clapboards and heavy dimensions. It is learned that there is very little stock yet to go forward to England, the Alexander Gibson Company, for instance, having completed their last shipment. It is probable that still higher prices will be witnessed within the next three months. There is a little better feeling in the shingle trade also, although Extras still range in price from $3.35 to $3.50 for Boston delivery.

UNITED STATES.

The changes in our price list this week reflect very closely the tendency of the market. Certain sizes of cutting-up stock and fine common have been marked down about $2 per thousand feet. This is the result of a limited demand for good pine lumber. Accumulation of this class of stock has been in evidence during the past two months, but nevertheless the supply is not exceptionally large, as at the beginning of this accumulation the wholesale and mill yards were carrying very light stocks. In contradistinction to this condition is the decided scarcity of and active demand for box lumber. All that can be found is quickly bought up. In Philadelphia, for instance, where dealers are holding aloof from the better grades of pine, they are taking all the box lumber that is offered. At Buffalo and Tonawanda spruce is being used for box making on account of the shortage and high price of the box grades of pine. Throughout Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan the trade is gradually getting down to a winter basis, but in the Eastern States activity is more marked and there is a considerable distribution of stock to retail yards and manufacturing industries.

Hardwood prices all along the line are well maintained. The scarcity of certain kinds of lumber is still quite visible. In Wisconsin it is said there is practically no hardwood lumber remaining unsold, and in Michigan elm stock is exhausted. While there is a brisk movement of thick maple, flooring is still in the same dormant state as last reported, the recent meeting of manufacturers failing to stiffen prices. Long lengths in all kinds of hardwoods are bringing much higher prices than the regular run.

Shingles are slightly stronger, while the lath market is dull and prices barely steady. Good white pine lath are quoted at $3 to $3.10 and mixed at $2.70 to $2.80 in Chicago.

GREAT BRITAIN.

If anything, there is a slight improvement in the British lumber market. There are no signs that shippers intend lowering their prices, while importers having stock for sale show no inclination to sell below current quotations. These two circumstances, it is contended, should create more confidence, but at the same time it is pointed out that any attempt to advance prices sharply would be likely to prove disastrous. Inland stocks are comparatively light and must be replenished at an early date. When buying for this purpose commences, the retail trade will no doubt assume a brighter aspect. It is remarkable that Canadian lumber of all kinds has not only held its own, but several lines have exhibited an advance. The depression in the cotton trade has restricted the consumption of spruce, but this obstacle to business is gradually being removed, and when this is accomplished there will be an active demand for box lumber. A Glasgow report states that a fair volume of business has been put through during the past ten days in pine and spruce deals and sidings, while in log timber an active trade has been done, including several sales of Quebec waney boardwood and square pine. A correspondent at Liverpool writes: "Quebec goods have come pretty well into consumption. Spruce has again done some business, but many buyers profess to have supplied their wants for some time. I am certain, however, that consumers should "stock up," as in my opinion prices will shortly show some advance." These expressions of opinion indicate that the feeling in regard to the future is hopeful.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

There is such a scarcity of slack cooperage stock that it is almost impossible to quote prices.

Thirteen steamers and four square riggers have loaded lumber at Bathurst, N.B., this season.

Gilbert McMulkin, of St. John, N.B., has commenced logging operations back of Upper Gagetown.

Avery & Pringle, of Dead Creek, Ont., have forty men employed in the woods in that vicinity cutting logs.

Tenders are invited by Jos. Hunter, of Victoria, B.C., for furnishing 30,000 hewn ties for the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railways.

Ament & Krauter, of Brussels, Ont., have started cutting logs on their timber limits in Grey county. They will take out elm, ash, pine and hemlock.

The Canadian Pacific Railway is said to have placed an order with a British Columbia manufacturer for 2,000,000 feet of lumber for the construction of new buildings at Winnipeg.

A raft of logs from Jack Fish Bay reached Rainy River, Ont., last week. It contained over 3,500,000 feet which the Backus & Brook Company recently sold to the Shelvin Clarke Lumber Company.

At Bangor, Me., spruce prices are $18.50 to $19 for 10 and 12 inch dimensions; $16.50 to $17 for 9 inch and under; $18 to $18.50 for wide randoms; and $16 to $16.50 for 9 inch and under.

Considerable square timber will be manufactured this season in the Ottawa valley. Klock Bros. are operating on the Quinze river, Edward Moore on the Dumoine river and Fraser & Company on the Jock river.

The lumber surveyed at the port of Bangor, Me., for the three months ending September 30th was 46,000,000 feet, about 3,000,000 feet more than the corresponding period of 1902 and 9,000,000 feet more than in 1901.

At Toledo, Ohio, common pine sells freely at full list; No. 4 boards are strong and in rather light supply; Norway is strong; hemlock boards have moved freely and are in good supply, although there is no abundance of 16-foot lengths.

The lumber exports from St. John, N.B., for the week ending October 17th were a cargo of 1,451,500 feet of deals to England, 483,283 feet of long lumber, 192,000 lath and 9,500 pickets to Santa Cruz, and 668,000 feet of long lumber, 2,493,000 feet of lath and 80 pieces of piling to United States ports.

Maine and New Brunswick have been experiencing an almost unprecedented drought and many million feet of logs are stranded. There have been a few heavy but brief rainfalls in the past few weeks, but not enough to help the rivers much. A letter from Edmunston, N.B., states that the logs now in the St. John river above Grand Falls cannot be de driven this fall, but are to be sheered behind the islands above the falls.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to October 20th as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers:—

	1901 Cu. Ft.	1902 Cu. Ft.	1903 Cu. Ft.
Waney White Pine..	1,423,188	1,815,920	1,820,200
White Pine	582 209	383,600	4 8,800
Red Pine	89,917	71, 60	57.360
Oak	485,80	618,680	871,320
Elm.....	942,372	561,880	417,800
Ash	135,108	79,920	57,200
Basswood	464	.....	160
Butternut.....	944	.....	.....
Tamarac.....	198	.....	40
Birch and Maple.....	307,039	164,800	196,760

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

Gilroy & Hunter, of Southampton, N.S., have purchased from Pugsley Bros. a block of burnt timber, comprising 600 acres on the River Herbert road, and will establish camps there this winter.

A big lumber deal has just been concluded whereby the Rat Portage Lumber Company, of Rat Portage, Ont., acquires the property of the Harrison River, Mills Timber & Trading Company at Harrison River, about 60 miles east of Vancouver, B.C. Extensive timber limits are included in the purchase, and it is the intention of the Rat Portage Lumber Company to erect a large saw mill.

BROOM HANDLES.

If an enterprising man with supplies of cheap Spruce, Basswood or Poplar care to put in several machines to work broom handles we can take his output. Write in first instance to Empire, care of CANADA LUMBERMAN.

Orillia Planing Mills
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Done in any quantity. We guarantee satisfaction. Write for prices. Address,
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TELEGRAPH POLES WANTED
We buy all lengths. Write us for prices and you will see that by cutting your Cedar into Poles it will net you more than you can get out of it in any other way.
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PREDICTION AS TO WHITE PINE.

A correspondent of the American Lumberman makes the following prediction concerning the lumber market in general and white pine in particular: "Never in the history of the lumber trade has there been an extremely low market when any particular grade met with an active demand and at almost abnormal prices that the condition of the market for the other grades was not eventually benefitted. The grade which is at present meeting with this great demand is box lumber, which is pretty well out of the market. Upper grades of lumber have dropped in price very much, but all good lumbermen, especially those manufacturing sash, doors and blinds, realize that shop and better has been too high for the last year or more. There is no doubt that the feeling of uneasiness and present dullness in the lumber market can be laid at the door of the unsettled condition of labor. In large cities, especially in the Pittsburg district, building has fallen off materially, as the people are virtually afraid to go into a large building proposition on account of the uncertainty of the time the jobs will be completed.

"As long as white pine can be had it will be used and there is no immediate danger of any great decline. All lumbermen know that there is always a pulling in and conservative action during the year just preceeding a presidential election."

CANADIAN LUMBER IN ENGLAND.

Pine and spruce deals brought the following prices at a recent auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England:

Pine –Ex. Vera, from Quebec—12-22 ft. 3 x 9 in. first quality red, £11 15s per std. of 1980 ft. Ex. Belgian, from Quebec—6-22 ft. 3x11 in. red, £8 10s; 15-22 ft. 1x11 in., £8 5s. Ex. Prime, from Montreal—8-22 ft. 1 x 11 in., second quality red, £9 5s; 14-16 ft. 1 x 9 in., "A" quality, £8 5s. Ex. Everingham, from Montreal—15-16 ft. 3x11 in., £12 5s. Ex. Obi, from Quebec—13 ft. 3 x 11 in., third quality, £12 10s and £12 15s. Ex. Flinsburg, from Quebec—6-8 ft. 3x7-18 in. second quality, £11 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x7-19 in. third quality, £10. Ex. Montreal, from Quebec—10-18 ft. 1x9 in. unassorted red, £8 10s. Ex. Montezuma, from Quebec—12-22 ft. 1x9 in. second quality red, £8 10s. Ex. Mount Royal, from Quebec — 13-17 ft. 3x11 in. fifth quality, £8; 11-14 ft. 3x9-14 in., £8. Ex. Brantingham, from Quebec—9-11 ft. 3x11 in. first quality, £27 10s; 9-11 ft. 3x7-9 in., £23; 5-8 ft. 3x5-18 in., £21. Ex. Nordboen, from Quebec—9 ft. 2x5-10 first quality, £21 15s; 6-8 ft. 2x4-11 in., £18 15s; 9 ft. 3x8-11 in., second quality, £15 5s; 9 ft. 3x5-7 in., £13 5s; 6-8 ft. 3x11 in., £16; 6-8 ft. 3x9-10 in., £14 5s; 6-8 ft. 3x7-8 in., £13 10s; 6-8 ft. 3x5-6 in., £11 5s.

Spruce—Ex. Aquila, from Quebec—13 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £9 5s. per std. Ex. Theodore Wille, from Quebec—12-16 ft. 3 x 9 in. fourth quality, £8 10s.; 12 ft. 3 x 9 in. £7 10s. Ex. European, from Quebec—9-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. unassorted, £8 10s.; 9-17 ft. 3 x 10 in. £8 15s. Ex. Henley, from Quebec— 13 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £9 10s.; 12 ft. 3 x 9 in. £9 10s. and £9 15s. Ex. Hedwig, from Miramichi, N. B., 17-18 ft. 3 x 7 in. unassorted, £7 5s. Ex. Minnewaska, from Quebec, 13 ft. 3 x 10 in. first quality, £10 10s.; 14 ft. 3 x 8 in. £8 10s; 14-17 ft. 3 x 8 in. £9. Ex. Elizabeth, from Matane and Rimouski, Que.—9-14 ft. 3 x 9 in. unassorted, £9; 9-16 ft. 3 x 9 in. £9 and £8 15s.; 9-16 ft. 3 x 10 in. £8 15s.; 11-16 ft. 3 x 8 in. £8 10s.; 9-16 ft. 3 x 8 in. £8 15s.; 9-16 ft, 3 x 7 in. £7 10s. and £7 5s.; 9-16 ft. 3 x 6 in. £7 5s.; 11-14 ft. 3 x 8 in. £8; 9-16 ft. 3 x 7 in. £7 10s.; 12-14 ft. 3 x 6 in. £7 10s.; 12-14 ft. 3 x 6 in. £7 5s. Ex. Mount Royal, from Montreal—12-14 ft. 3 x 9 in. third quality, £8 10s.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber is in light supply at Boston and some sizes are firmer and higher. The demand is not large, but many mills are short of logs. The quotations are: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 9 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up, $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18.50@20; out spruce boards, $13@14; bundle furring, $17.

There is no change to note in hemlock lumber, either in tone or prices: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 ft. stock, $14.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is quiet but firm: Uppers, 1 to 2 in., $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in., $92 to $87; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in., $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in., $76 to $78; 2-in., $78; 2½ to 3 in., $84; 4-in., $86; fine common, 1-in., $67; 1¼ to 1½ in., $69; 2-in., $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in., $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwood lumber is unchanged, the demand for fine, fresh quartered oak and whitewood being good: Quartered oak, $85 to $92; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $56; sap, $43 to $48; common, $39 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31; Michigan elm, $34 to $37.

Extra cedar shingles are firm at $3.35 to $3.50, with other grades steady.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

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From Vancouver, B.C. : Str. Mylomene, for Port Natal, 1,980,000 feet lumber.

From Halifax, N.S. : Str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 103,378 ft. spruce deals, 8,057 ft. birch deals, 27,212 ft. birch squares, value $391. Str. Salerno, for Glasgow, 551,498 ft. spruce deals, value $6,497. Sch. Morancy, for New York, 1,023,000 laths, value $3,000. Schr. Ste Marie, for New York, 196,772 ft. pine lumber, value $2,800.

From Montreal : Str. Mount Royal, for London, 5,778 pieces lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 7,499 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd ; 1,846 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co. ; 4,720 pcs. lumber, by Robert Cox & Co. ; 32,658 ft. deals, etc., by McArthur Export Co. ; 969 doors, by Canadian Pacific Railway ; 931 doors, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Mount Temple, for Liverpool, 17,174 pcs. lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway ; 9,470 pcs. lumber, by Robert Cox & Co. ; 14,461 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 5,370 pcs. lumber, by Watson Todd ; 10,558 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Sardinian, for Glasgow, 7,593 pcs. deals and ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 1,639 pcs. deals and ends, by Robert Cox & Co. ; 4,501 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Str. Montcalm, for Bristol, 6,968 pcs. lumber, by Cox, Long & Co. ; 4,386 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd ; 650 pcs. lumber, by McArthur Export Co. ; 168 bundles and 20 crates of lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Iona, for London, 1,590 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 272 pcs. ash plank, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Kensington, for Liverpool, 26,800 pcs. boards and ends, by Watson & Todd. Str. Concordia, for Glasgow, 905 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 5,490 pcs. deals and ends, by J. Burstall & Co. ; 5,775 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co. Str. Ontarian, for Glasgow, 4,878 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd ; 6,073 pcs. deals and boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Lakonia, for Glasgow, 5,495 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co. ; 1,585 pcs. boards, 4,845 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. ; 3,178 pcs. deals, 1,588 pcs. boards 3,821 pcs. siding, by McArthur Export Co. ; 3,326 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros. ; 836 pcs. deals, by Grand Trunk Railway ; 829 pcs. oak lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway.

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THE BARBADOS MARKET.

The last report of Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company reviews the Barbados lumber market as follows : "There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce during the fortnight; stocks of former are again very bare, and first arrivals will command full rates. In spruce we anticipate a good demand for crop requirements, and as the high price of white pine will enhance the value of spruce, shippers should do well if they take the chance of the market. No arrivals of shingles have taken place, but we expect a cargo of about 1,500,000 Laying Cedar, of which we have placed about two-thirds at $2.30. We have heard nothing further about the assorted cargo alluded to in our last. The "Harrington" arrived on 29th ult., with 5,500 bundles French hoops, a portion of which were sold ex wharf at $20 for long and $17.50 for short; but for balance, which have been stored, $20.50 and $18.50 is now asked."

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J. Carnegie, mills and lumber, Port Perry, Ont., is advertising his business for sale.

A meeting of the creditors of C. Lawton Work, saw miller, St. Adolphe de Howard, Que., has been called for October 31st.

T. A. McCulloch, lumber dealer and commission merchant, Lethbridge, N.W.T., has assigned, and the stock is now offered for sale by the assignee.

Damase Pariseau, lumber merchant, of Boucherville and Montreal, assigned last week on demand of Taillon, Bonin & Morin. The liabilities are said to amount to $35,105.54. The principal creditors are: The Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien, $11,434 ; E. H. Lemay, $2,330 ; Montreal Loan and Mortgage Co., $1,615; G. A. Grier, $1,431 ; Montreal Investment and Freehold Co., $1,350 ; Joel Dubois, Boucherville, $3,075 ; Dame M. L. Bourassa, Montreal, $2,030 ; Molson's Bank, $3,837 ; Mrs. Legault, $2,000.

The saw mill and a portion of the table factory of the Canada Furniture Manufacturers, Limited, at Wiarton, Ont., were destroyed by fire last week, together with a considerable quantity of lumber. The loss is about $40,000, only $14,500 of which is covered by insurance.

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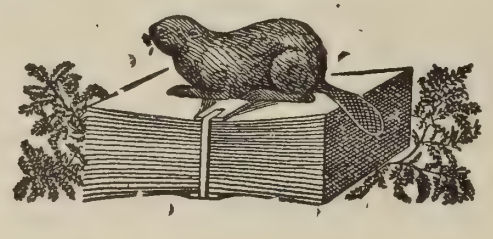

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Selects, 2½ in up	75 77
1 to 2 in	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in	60 63
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55 56
No. 2	35 45
No. 3	30 35
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No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35 40
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1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
4/4 inch " 13" & up	25
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10-in. dressing and better	30 32
10-in. common	25
12-in. dressing and better	40 40
Fine common, 1x12	25
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 31
1x10	25 20
1x8	23 26
No. 2 barn, 1x12	24
1x10	23 27
1x8	20 24
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Dressing	26 27
Common	25

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Pine	$3 15
Spruce	$3 13

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4 in	85 00
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2½ and 3 in	75 00
4 in	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
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2 in	60 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in	75 00
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1x10	18 50
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1¼ to 2 in	37 00 39 00
2½ to 4 in	42 00 44 00
Strips	20 00 23 00
Com. and culls	15 00 17 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up	30 00 32 00
Com. & good culls	14 00 16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00 37 00
1st &2nd, white, 6" & up	24 00 26 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00 27 00
Common and culls	14 00 16 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up	22 00 24
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The buying of small lots of lumber which has been so general during the past month is paipable evidence that retailers and consumers throughout the province are not heavily stocked. It may be that the exceptionally fine weather is responsible for a larger consumption in outdoor work than was anticipated, but the many requests for early delivery would seem to indicate a sold-out condition. Accordingly, firmness of prices has ruled. The predicted reaction in white pine values is still confined to the higher grades, which, as stated last week, were perhaps selling relatively too high. And even these grades are showing strength, for from Ottawa comes the information that the 1904 cuts of the McLachlin mills at Arnprior and the McLaren mills at Buckingham have already been contracted for, and rumor says at an advance over the prices of the past year. There have also been some negotiations for blocks of Georgian Bay stock to be sawn next season. The lower grades continue to be in steady request. A few days ago 2,000,000 feet of log run pine changed hands at fifty cents over the price at which the same grade of lumber sold last spring. The average price of log run at the mill is $18, shorts from $11 to $14, box $14, and scoots $5 to $6. Very few of the mills have any stock of mill culls or box lumber for sale, so great has been the demand.

Hardwood buyers do not take everything offered without discrimination, as they were disposed to do earlier in the year, but they are still buying for customers and picking up lots on speculation whenever the price is an inducement. No weakness is visible in any of the hardwoods.

It is difficult to make sales of lath and shingles. Shipments of such material to the Eastern States have fallen off of late, and the trend of prices is towards a slightly lower basis.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Values of spruce lumber continue remarkably firm. Manufacturers are holding out for higher prices for next season's production, and if the demand from the United States and Great Britain should be nearly as active as during the past season, it is quite probable that they will succeed in their efforts to establish a higher selling basis. Some contracting has already been done, but as a rule shippers are pursuing a cautious policy until matters in Great Britain become more settled. New York is absorbing a large quantity of stock. Cargoes arriving there have been readily taken at firm prices. Some mills are getting an advance of one dollar per thousand for large sizes, which are particularly scarce.

UNITED STATES.

The buying of lumber in the United States has been confined almost exclusively to actual needs, yet the volume of business has been sufficient to create the impression that a very fair trade will continue throughout the winter months. While there is not likely to be a further general rise in prices, it is equally certain that no material slump will occur, so that those in need of lumber are disposed to place orders at current prices. Reports from the Lake Superior district are of an encouraging character. Recently there have been large sales of factory lumber and low grade boards, which have been shipped in large quantities as far east as New York. The stock of these grades at the mills is almost exhausted. Other grades are held in moderate quantity, excepting selects, of which there is an accumulation. There is a considerable supply of No. 3 boards at interior mills at the head of Lake Superior, but on Lake Michigan there is not much of that class of lumber that has not passed out of first hands. Eastern buyers have been persistent in demanding lower prices from the western manufacturers, but up to the present time the latter have not seemed disposed to yield. Hemlock piece stuff occupies a unique position, the supply being less than in any previous season. Conditions favor high prices for this class of lumber, although it is a question whether manufacturers will consider it advisable to make an advance.

Hardwood stocks are low and the indications point to a steady market with an advancing tendency, as there will doubtless be a pronounced scarcity before the large mills commence operations next spring.

Shingles and lath are slightly weaker. The Wisconsin and Minnesota mills are said to be carrying an abnormal supply of lath.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The high prices asked for next season's production of lumber are having a strengthening effect upon the British market. Importers refuse to dispose of present holdings at a sacrifice until they feel reasonably certain that they will be able to replenish their supply on favorable terms. The resumption of work by the cotton mills has stimulated the consumption, but reports still tell of an irregular demand. A Manchester writer says that it is remarkable how prices keep on advancing, especially in spruce deals. Very stiff c.i.f. prices are now being asked, and it is very likely that spruce may go up ten shillings per standard more before the winter is over. Three inch by seven inch are very scarce and dear, a large line having recently been sold at two shillings six pence per standard more than an average of a cargo could have been bought for a short time ago. There is also a scarcity at Manchester of 2½ x 7 inch spruce. At the last auction sale first quality Quebec spruce brought £12 per standard, which is rather below the previous sales. Third quality spruce brought £9 10s and fourth quality £8 10s. There is brisk competition for the best quality of pine lumber, but the lower grades are not in great demand.

There is much speculation as to the prices that will rule for first-open-water shipments next spring. Very little buying has as yet been done, the disposition of the importers being to delay as long as possible before closing contracts in the hope of being able to form an idea as to the prices which are likely to rule. At the present time opinion is greatly divided, some contending that higher prices may be obtained, others that it will be necessary to reduce prices in order to faciliate buying.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Kinmount Cooperage Company, of Kinmount, Ont., have two camps in the woods getting out elm logs.

The mill of the Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company at Sandwich, Ont., has laid off its night crew and will carry over less than 3,000,000 feet of unsold lumber.

W. Sleeman, of Rapid River, Ont., has just signed a contract with the Canadian Northern Railway to get out 100,000 ties between Emo and Rainy River.

The Canadian Northern Railway have built a spur line into the Little Turtle Lake District of Manitoba, in order to get out 150,000 ties which were cut last season by A. R. Mann.

The Millar Lumber Company, of Pembroke, Ont., have about 300 men in the woods this winter and have already cut 150,000 feet of square and waney timber, besides a quantity of logs.

Logging operations along the line of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway, in the Province of Quebec, promise to be brisk this winter. Contracts have been closed for the cutting of over 2,000,000 logs, and apart from this the Chicoutimi Pulp Company have contracted for 1,125,000 logs to be cut on their limits for the manufacture of pulp.

It is again reported that the Ross-McLaren mills at Barnet, B.C., are to resume operations at an early date. This mill when in operation is an important factor in both foreign and local trade.

Donald Fraser & Sons, of Fredericton, N.B., have now upwards of 2,000 men at work in the woods in the Tobique and other districts and before Christmas expect to increase this number by 500. Scott Bros., of the same place, are conducting operations on the Black, Keswick, and Magaguadavic rivers, besides several small camps on limits near Fredericton.

The shingle manufacturers of Wisconsin have adopted the following schedule of wages: Sawyers, double block, $3.25 to $3.00; sawyers, single block, $2.75 to $2.50; bolters, $2.50 to $2.25; knot sawyers, $2.40 to $2.00; packers, 10 cents to 8 cents. The various manufacturers at a recent meeting reported that they had manufactured this year about 588,000,000 shingles and there remained on hand about 178,000,000.

It is learned on good authority that the entire cut of McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, for next year, has been purchased by E. H. Lemay, of Montreal. The cut is expected to be between 50,000,000 and 60,000,000 feet. Last year Watson & Todd secured the McLachlin production. It is also learned that the lumber cut of the Maclaren mills at Buckingham, Que., has been sold to a British firm.

The Dauphin Press states that the lumbermen in that section of Manitoba have commenced work in the woods. The Northern Lumber Company has established two camps at Pine River, Shaw Bros. two camps in the Riding Mountain, and T. A. Burrows two camps in the Duck Mountain. The Red Deer Lumber Company has several camps at Erwood, while Robert Machan has secured the Dauphin Lumber Company's limit in the Riding Mountains and intends cutting lumber with a portable mill this winter.

The Canadian Northern Railway have placed the following contracts for material to be got out during the coming winter, principally in the Rainy River district: Preston-Bell Company, 1,000,000 ties; R. Lockhart & Co., Fort Frances, 100,000 ties; L. Christie, 100,000 ties; W. Sleeman, Rapid River, 100,000 ties and 500,000 telegraph poles; Holmes & Langstaff, Devlin and Emo, 50,000 ties, 50,000 posts and 50,000 telegraph poles; Graham, Horne & Company, Fort William, 1,000,000 feet of square cedar; Strevel & Company, Winnipeg, 250,000 ties.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The situation in the spruce lumber market at Boston is strong. The supply of desirable sizes is extremely limited and from $1 to $4 up is being asked by the few holders. Many of the mills are shut down for the season, and others are held up on account of the lack of the rain necessary to bring the logs down to the saws. Prices are largely nominal, owing to the small offerings. The quotations are nominally unchanged at: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 9 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $17.50; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up, $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18.50@20; out spruce boards, $13@14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is quiet and unchanged: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 ft. stock, $14.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is very firm, with a quiet demand: Uppers, 1 to 2 in., $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in., $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in., $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in., $76 to $78; 2-in., $78; 2½ to 3 in., $84; 4-in., $86; fine common, 1-in., $67; 1¼ to 1½ in., $69; 2-in., $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in., $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

There is a steady demand for hardwood lumber at firm prices: Quartered oak, $85 to $92; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $54 to $56; sap, $43 to $48; common, $39 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $43 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31.

Well-known brands of clapboards are firmly held, but some of Canadian make are offering lower: Extra, $44 to $45; clear, $43; second clear, $40; extra No. 1, $30.

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The grades sought by box makers depend on relative prices, the kind of boxes being made and other conditions peculiar to each case. This season the lower grades have been bought up as never before, because scarcity has been such and prices have been so high that manufacturers have been forced to take the lower grades or nothing.

Present wholesale prices of No. 3 white pine on a Chicago basis are $16 to $17 a thousand ; No. 4, $13 to $13.50 ; No. 5, $8.50 to $9, and No. 6, $6. At the same time No. 2 is selling at $19 to $20.50.

The present box lumber supply is lower than ever before known at the close of the season. Nos. 3 and 4 are practically out of first hands, while Nos. 5 and 6 are fast disappearing. It is thought that this almost complete exhaustion of the white pine coarse lumber supply must have a reflex influence on demand and prices of low grade shop lumber and the general market for medium quality white pine. The supply of all coarse stock from No. 2 downward having been exhausted, holders of the residue of better lumber will be inclined to insist on good figures for it. The only kind that now is in surplus is shop lumber, and the manufacturers have no doubt that it all will be wanted in the ordinary course of the coming year's manufacture. As for uppers, they are like wheat in store, or gold in the vault ; even better than that, like money at interest on good security, because this year's cut is getting dry and therefore more valuable. —American Lumbermen.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

Small & Buckler have acquired timber limits on the Fraser river, in British Columbia, and purpose establishing a saw mill at New Westminster.

Patrick Culligan, of Alpena, has just sold to the Rat Portage Lumber Company 4,000,000 feet of standing timber in Minnesota at $6.50 a thousand.

It is estimated that the timber limits in British Columbia recently acquired by the Rat Portage Lumber Company from the Harrison River Mills Company contain 600,000,000 feet of standing timber.

At Revelstoke, B. C., the other day Lammerst & Goldrick concluded the purchase of over 40 square miles of timber on the Duncan river from W. de V. LeMaistre, Cowan, Kinsman and associates. It was a cash transaction and the purchasers propose to erect a large mill at Nelson.

J. B. Dorfmann, representing United States capitalists, has purchased several blocks of timber land from James Dunsmuir, of Vancouver, B. C. By a recent purchase Mr. Dorfmann secured control of a solid block of timber land in the northern part of Vancouver Island. It is probable that for the present he will erect a portable mill near Nanaimo, where he has purchased a block of oak timber.

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The Timber Trades Journal: The pine market keeps up its strong position, and is likely to do so in the face that higher prices are again demanded by Canadian lumbermen. There is very little spruce on offer, and such few cargoes as are available for the West Coast are held for higher prices than were current a week or two ago. The output for the remainder of the season seems from all information we can gather from the other side, likely to be small, owing to the quantity of logs which are still hung up for want of rain. We have been favored in the frankest manner with the inspection of telegrams upon some spruce business, from which we gather that the shippers hold the whip hand, and our conclusion is that, so far from any retrograde movement being looked for in this market, everything points to an upward movement.

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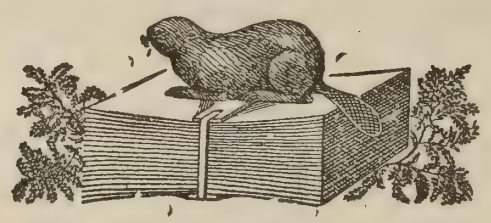

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Rodgers Iron Mfg. Co., Muskegon Mich.
Sherman Co, W. S., Milwaukee, Wis.
Sleeper Engine Co., Montreal, Que.
Stouffville Brass & Steel Works, Stouffville, Ont.
The E. Long Mfg. Co., Orillia, Ont.
The Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., Peterboro', Ont.
The Waterous Co., Brantford, Ont.

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Commerical Oil Co., Hamilton, Ont.
Queen City Oil Co., Toronto.

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Dodge Mfg. Co., Toronto.
Reeves Pulley Co., Toronto.

PULP AND PAPER MILL MACHINERY

The Jenckes Machine Co., Sherbrooke, Que.
The Waterous Co., Brantford, Ont.

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Atkins & Co., E. C., Indianapolis, Ind.
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CURRENT LUMBER PRICES--WHOLESALE

TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00 $50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00 30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00 29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00 25 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50 17 50
2x10 common	18 50 19 00
2x12 common	20 00 21 00
3x10 common	19 00 20 00
3x12 common	20 21 00
1x10 and 12 common	20 00 22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00 17 50
1 inch strips, common	16 00 17 50
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00 22
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 lath	3 75
1½ inch No. 2 lath	3 25
1½ inch Norway lath	2 85
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in.	2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00 $34 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	24 00 27 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	25 00 28 00
Ash M. R., 1 to 2	21 00 23 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in.	19 00 21 00
" 1½ "	21 00 23 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	25 00 26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¾ in	24 00 25 00
1½ to 2	25 00 27 00
m. r. 1	1¾ 23 00 24 00
Butternut 1 "	1½ 23 00 25 00
" 2 "	3 25 00 20 00
Chestnut 1 "	2 24 00 2 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½ 50 00 60 00
Cherry, 1sts and2nds	2 " 4 60 00 65 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 21 1 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 21 00 23 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼" 23 00 25 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3 25 00 27 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2 32 00 35 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½ 20 00 22 00
Maple 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 21 00 23 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 31 00 33 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 34 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 32 00 36 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 35 00 38 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2 00 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 " 3 85 00 100 00
Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	" 2 34 00 37 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in and up	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00 55 00
Pine good strips : 1 in	33 00 35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00 38 00
2 in.	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00 30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding per M feet, in	20 00 25 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine mill run	2 00 2 25
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine. No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 1' to 16'	18 00 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16 00 19 00
Pine Shorts 10' to 11'x8"	16 00
" 12' to 11'x10"	17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50 20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	
Pine Shingles : XXXX, 18 inch	3 00 3 20
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25 2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 45 1 55
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30 3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65 2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

4 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

4 inch	17	22
15 "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00
2in.	58 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00
2in	50 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	$29 to 30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6	19 00
1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 00
No. 2 White Pine	2 50
Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	78 80
4 inch uppers	88 90
Selects, 2½ in up	75 77
1 to 2 in.	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	60 63
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55 56
No. 2	35 45
No. 3	30 35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47 50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40
Stained saps	30 40
Bracket plank	35 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
Dressing boards, narrow	26 28
1x10 inch shippers	21 22
1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
10-in. dressing and better	30 32
10-in. common	25
12-in. dressing and better	40 40
Common, 1x12	25
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 31
1x10	25 20
1x8	23 26
No. 2 barn, 1x12	24
1x10	23 27
1x8	20 24
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 42
" " 2 inch	45
Dressing	26 27
Common	25

LATH.

Pine	$3 15
Spruce	$3 13

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 0 $4 75
Clear butts	3 50 3 75
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Hemlock	2 23
Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 0
4 in.	85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 0
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00
2 in.	60 00
3 in.	70 00
4 in.	75 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	
1¼ and 1½ in.	48 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	26 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in	36 00
Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
6 8 and 10 in.	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
Box, 1 x 4	15 00
1 x 6 & up	17 50
1x 10	18 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	21 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	32 00 34 00
1¼ to 2 in	37 00 39 00
2½ to 4 in.	42 00 44 00
Strips	20 00 23 00
Com. and culls	15 00 17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00 32 00
Com. & good culls	14 00 16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00 37 00
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
Com. & good culls	12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00 27 00
Common and culls	14 00 16 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	22 00 24
Common and culls	14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00 21 00
Common and culls	17 70 14 00
1st & 2nd, soft	18 00 20 00
Common and culls	10 00 18 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

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500 2 in. x 6 in. Red Pine to be manufactured next season; also few Cars for spring delivery.

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WANTED—MAPLE STRIPS, 2½"x2¼", 30" long. Ship green during coming winter. Apply Box 9, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

For Sale

PINE AND CEDAR SHINGLES, XXX 6" C. B. and X; 2 to 3 cars 12"x12"-16, 18 and 20 feet hemlock, 2 million 1" and 2" hemlock. A. MCPHERSON CO., Longford Mills, Ont.

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taught right in your mill by mail. No previous experience necessary. Sent prepaid on trial. Send for Canada references, who are cutting frozen timber with my gauge and instructions, J. H. MINER, Lumberton, Miss.

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I AM OPEN TO PURCHASE LARGE OR small quantities of Hard Maple Lumber, sawn 1, 1¼, 1½, 2, 3 and 4 inch. Grade to be common and better. Terms cash when shipped. Mixed carloads taken. Millmen will please state the quantity they have of each thickness, with their lowest price. Also say how long sawn. Address care BOX 22 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—1" SPRUCE, LOG RUN, DEAD culls out. Tamarac sawn to order. Hard wood lumber. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton, Ont.

FOR SALE

CEDAR AND TAMARACK; 200,000 ties and 20,000 telephone poles on the Vermillion River or drove to Spanish boom. JAMES MCCREARY, Larchwood, Ont.

WANTED—POSITION IN LUMBER BUSINESS by young man 27 years old; ten years' experience in operating, manufacturing buying and selling lumber; can survey all kinds of spruce cargoes for foreign trade. Address P. O. Box No. 9, North End, St. John, N. B.

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Managing Director,
157 Bay Street, Toronto.

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IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING — the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLMER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULOCK (part of) FRENCH (part of), STEWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HAMMELL and PHELPS (part of).

IN THE DISTRICT OF ALGOMA — Berths Nos. 159 and 201, the Townships of KITCHENER and ROBERTS, and Block "W" near Onaping Lake.

IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT—Berths G19, G21, C23, G29 and G38, and the following Berths with the right to cut and remove the pine, spruce, tamarack, cedar and poplar:—G4, G6, G17, G18, G24, G25, G26, G27, G28, G33, G35, G36, G37, G39, G40, G41, G42, G43, Berths Nos. S1, S2, S3, and S4, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings, in the City of Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1903, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

Sheets containing terms and conditions of Sale and information as to Areas and Lots and Concessions comprised in each Berth will be furnished on application, either personal or by letter, to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, or the Crown Timber Agencies at OTTAWA, SAULT STE. MARIE, PORT ARTHUR, RAT PORTAGE and FORT FRANCES.

E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
Toronto, July 29, 1903.

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FOR SALE

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL LUMBER Yard; small band saw and planing mill; steam dry kiln; unlimited supply of both Pine and Hardwood timber; water and rail transportation; healthy locality; prosperous town in the South; 12,000 population; cheap labor; established paying business. Write for particulars GEO. T. HOUSTON & CO., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—MAN WITH GOOD PORTABLE Saw Mill to log and saw birch lumber. Apply Box 80, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WANTED—ONE PAIR TWIN ENGINES 10" x 12" or about that size, for medium weight rotary carriage. Advise by whom made, how long used, and price f.o.b. cars. J. & C. HICKMAN, Dorchester, New Brunswick.

WANTED

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FOR SALE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION feet of good sound healthy timber. About 10 million white pine, 80 million cedar; balance hemlock. For particulars apply to P. J. GALLAGHER, Rossbery, B. C.

FOR SALE

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SOFT ELM LOGS WANTED

10 OR 15 FEET LONG, SUITABLE FOR Cheese Box Veneers. We are open to buy any quantity on cars, on line of Canada Atlantic Railway. MACPHERSON & SCHELL, Alexandria, Ont.

Logs For Sale

5,000 GOOD LOGS, MOSTLY WHITE PINE 16 feet long, now running into the mouth of Spanish River at Georgian Bay. Also Limit for sale with or without saw mill. Limit and saw mill located on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier Ont.

WANTED

1 INCH SPRUCE LUMBER, EITHER IN long sections or cut up to the following sizes:
1"x2"—2 ft. long.
1"x3"—1 ft. 1 in. long.
1"x1½"—1 ft. long.
½"x6"—1 ft. 1 in. long.
½"x4", 5", 6" and 7"—1 ft. long.
1"x12"—1 ft long.

Parties quoting prices for these dimensions will understand that the spruce must be clear; also mention what quantity can be supplied in each case. Address

UNITED FACTORIES LIMITED,
Newmarket, Ont.

FOR SALE—TEN SETS OF HEAVY LOG and one set of Tank Sleighs, almost new. Lumber would be taken in payment. A. H. EBERT, Wiarton Ont.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

FOR SALE — SAW MILL AND ONE hundred acres of land; about 80 acres of well mixed timbered bush, including 20 acres of cedar swamp; situated on country road, four miles from Angus station. Address J. D. GREENLEES, Alliston, Ont.

FOR SALE.

1 car White Pine, common and better, 1" x 4" and up x 7 to 16 feet; 1 car Black Ash, common and better, 1" x 4" and up by 6 feet and up; 3 cars Spruce, log run, dead culls out, 1" x 4" and up x 9 feet and up; 2 cars Birch, common and better, 1" x 4" and up x 6 feet and up; 2 cars Hard and Soft Maple, mixed, 1" x 4" and up x 6 feet and up. Apply R.S.T., CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS MILL SUPERINTENDENT

A GOOD CONCERN IN THE PROVINCE OF Quebec wishes to find a thoroughly competent mill superintendent for saw and shingle mill. Must speak both French and English. Ability to handle French labor to the best possible advantage a most important requisite. The right man will be given a fair salary and an opportunity to obtain an interest. Address "Saw and Shingles," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

MACHINERY FOR SALE

1 Large 4 Sided Sticker; 1 10" Buzz Planer; 2 Improved Mortisers; 1 24" Surface Planer; 1 Cowan Matcher; 1 Band Saw; 1 Shaper; 1 Turning Lathe; 1 Jig Saw Machine; 1 Tenon Machine for doors and windows; 1 Tenon Machine for blinds; 1 Mortiser for blinds; 1 Staple Driver for blinds; 2 Saw Tables. A. H. CUMMINGS & SON, Coaticook, Que.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Late advices do not confirm the reported sale of two Ottawa Valley mill cuts to Montreal exporters, as mentioned in last issue, but it is understood that negotiations are under way and that buyers are not insisting upon any reduction in prices from one year ago. Whether they will meet the higher prices asked by the manufacturers is a question which will probably be decided within a month, when contracts will likely be closed. Conflicting opinions are expressed regarding the stability of the lumber market. The manufacturers are doing their utmost to uphold prices, while dealers and consumers pretend to see lower values in the near future. This is the season when a campaign for lower prices is usually commenced, as buyers wish to stock up early in the spring at advantageous figures. Conditions so far have favored the manufacturers. With few exceptions prices have remained firm throughout the fall months. No. 1 pine cuts have been reduced about $2 per thousand, and some mills are now quoting lath and shingles at a reduction of ten cents, but there has been no general weakness. Trade is seasonably active,

with a more urgent demand for hemlock than for any other class of lumber. Large quantities have recently been sold in Toronto at good prices.

In view of the industrial depression in the United States lumbermen are proceeding cautiously in woods operations this winter, and there is every reason to believe that the production of pine logs in Ontario will be curtailed about one-fourth as compared with last season. Still lighter operations will prevail in hardwoods, as the expense of logging is considered too great in comparison with the prices ruling for lumber.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Considering the somewhat unfavorable conditions, the market for spruce lumber keeps up remarkably well. Building operations in New York have been further tied up by labor troubles, and the consumption of lumber in that city is likely to be greatly curtailed, yet buyers there seem willing to purchase spruce whenever it is offered at reasonable prices. Quotations generally are unchanged, although clapboards are less firm than a fortnight ago. Canadian shippers who were then getting $45 for No. 1, Boston delivery, report that the best offer now is $44, while clears which sold at $43 now comand only $41. Other grades are correspondingly weak, but at the lower prices the market has held quite steady. Spruce laths are in steady demand at $3.10 to $3.20 for 1½ inch and $3.25 to $3.35 for 1⅝ inch. New Brunswick cedar shingles are steady at $3.40 for extras on Boston rate of freight.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

There is now a more plentiful supply of pine and spruce lumber, also British Columbia cedar and fir, the demand of late having fallen off. Many of the new buildings in Winnipeg are nearing completion and dealers are disposed to reduce their stock of lumber before placing further orders. A steady trade throughout the winter months is looked for. Lath has declined to $3.25 in car lots f. o. b. Winnipeg.

There has recently been considerable activity in timber circles in British Columbia. Several valuable limits have been acquired by Americans who purpose erecting mills, and who evidently believe that that province offers good opportunities for lumbering.

UNITED STATES.

Unsettled conditions dominate the iron and steel industry of the United States. Steel billets and steel products generally have been reduced in price, in keeping with a falling off in demand therefor. Such adjustment is regarded by many as strong evidence of the near approach of less prosperous times, and in many quarters there is a disposition to pursue a policy of retrenchment. Dealers are not buying lumber in large quantities, apparently believing that they will be able to purchase at lower prices next spring. Nevertheless, there is a very satisfactory movement of lumber, the large crop of corn and average yield of wheat having placed the farmers in a position to carry out necessary improvements. Such a thing as pessimism does not exist, the opinion being that there will be a steady demand for lumber throughout the winter months. The shipments from Minneapolis during the month of October were upwards of 43,000,000 feet, as compared with 37,000,000 feet for the corresponding month of last year. From Duluth 38,000,000 feet were shipped last month, which figures indicate a very satisfactory volume of trade. There has been no abatement in the demand for box lumber, the supply of which is more nearly exhausted than for a long time. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers state that there is a steady call for barn and box boards and a continued shrinkage of low grade stocks. While there is not the snap to the demand for hardwood lumber which was in evidence one month ago, there is constant buying of small lots by consumers, such as implement and furniture factories, and an exceedingly good trade in quartered oak. Hemlock lumber is quite active, with prospects favorable for a continuation of prevailing conditions.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The best that can be said of the British lumber market is that prices continue steady. Consumption has not increased and consumers are disposed to purchase very cautiously. On the other hand, values of lumber in stock show a hardening tendency, which would appear to be the result of the firm prices that are asked by shippers for next season's stock. There is a movement on foot to base the asking prices on the average of actual values obtained this year, which would probably be satisfactory to shippers. In London importers are apparently in favor of slightly lower prices, but it is a question whether they will be successful in bringing about any reduction. Broad first quality pine deals are selling at from £32 to £34 per standard, 11 inch at £29 to £31, and ends at £22 to £24. Some transactions in spruce have recently taken place at slightly advanced prices. At Preston and one or two other ports there is a scarcity of 3x7 inch spruce. Square and waney timber is not selling as readily as might be expected. The long continued depression in the furniture trade has resticted the consumption of birch, and the stock on hand is considered to be sufficient to meet requirements. Canadian oak has sold quite freely at a slight advance.

The attention of mill superintendents who may be looking for a good position is directed to the offer of a Quebec lumber and shingle manufacturing company appearing among the want advertisements of this paper.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Gulf of Venice is loading deals at St. John, N. B., for the United Kingdom.

James Vaughn, of Bridgewater, N. S., expects to take out about 5,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

The schooner Clarence H. Schafner is loading lumber at Annapolis, N. S., for the West Indies.

The steamer Forest Holme is loading a cargo of deals at West Bay, N. S., for the United Kingdom.

The Canadian Northern Railway Company are advertising for 500,000 ties to be delivered at Battleford, N. W. T.

Lath are somewhat dull. In Chicago $3 to $3.10 is asked for white pine, while there is a wide range in the prices asked mixed.

It is estimated that on the Menominee river the cut of logs this winter will be from 50,000,000 to 75,000,000 feet less than last season.

Logging operations in Michigan will be on a smaller scale this season, the disposition being to curtail operations owing to the coming presidential election.

The San Juan Lumber Company, which is operating on the west coast of Vancouver Island, B. C., shipped during the past season about 8,000,000 feet of lumber.

A deal is said to have been closed by which the Murray & Stewart mill at Duluth will cut 200,000,000 feet of lumber for the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago.

The schooneer J. E. du Bignon has just loaded 600,000 cedar shingles at Quaco and is about to complete a cargo of 3,000,000 shingles at St. John, N. B., for Philadelphia.

Wilson & Company, who have been buying standing timber in the vicinity of Nanaimo, B. C., have commenced operations at French Creek and expect to take out a large quantity of logs this winter.

Cornelius Aylwat and N. Tupper, of Baker Settlement, N. S., have just completed a contract to furnish the Halifax and South-Western Railway with 10,000 sleepers and have been given a second contract for a similar quantity.

The Bangor Commercial says that 113,000,000 feet of logs have this season been rafted down the river from the Penobscot boom, as compared with 144,000,000 feet in 1902. The lumbermen this year have had many difficulties to contend with, chief among which was the unusually low pitch of water in the rivers.

J. P. Mosher, who has been operating a rotary mill at Musquash, N. B., for the Knight Bros. Company, has already manufactured this fall about 2,500,000 feet of lumber. A cargo was shipped to the United Kingdom and the remainder of the lumber has been piled up. Knight Bros. have sixty men working in the woods this winter.

Under date of October 24th Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company review the Barbados market as follows; "There have been no arrivals during the fortnight of either white pine or spruce. A mixed cargo of white pine, spruce and hemlock, sold by us, should be due in about two weeks. Two hundred thousand feet second quality white pine and a similar quantity of first and second hemlock was offered on 19th to arrive, but nothing definite has as yet been done on the latter; the former was placed at $23. In shingles the steamer "Orinoco" brought 300,000 cedar laying, which have been stored, also a small lot of laying, which we placed at $2.30, a lot of 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8-inch dimension, which we sold at $4.75 to $9.75, and a few long cedar, which brought $6. On the 17th inst. the "James W" arrived with 1,559,000 laying cedar, which (with the exception of 290,000) we had sold to arrive at $2.30. There is another cargo of one and one-half to two million laying cedar shortly due, which was contracted for some weeks ago."

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

There is really very little of interest in the Ottawa district market at present. Shipments from Montreal for export are better than they were a few weeks ago. The last boat sails for Lord Alverstone's country on the 21st, and it will carry a goodly supply of lumber from the Ottawa river and Cache Bay points. A shortage of cars is complained of and this has something to do with the movement of lumber. The local shipment to New York points is not very large.

Of course, the oft repeated trouble of scarcity of men in the woods is heard day in and day out, yet while some maintain that there will be a shortage of fully twenty-five per cent. in the log output, others claim that, as the season started earlier, the log output will run closer to that of last season.

One thing is certain, there will be a falling of in the production of square timber. The Kippewa district was well trimmed last season and it and the others will make poor measurements this season.

The report that the cut of McLachlan Bros.' mill at Arnprior has been sold to E. H. Lemay, of Montreal, is refuted in Ottawa lumber circles. The item as a matter of fact referred to last year's cut, whereas, as is well known, this was negotiated long ago, and no mill has 40,000,000 or 20,000,000 feet still on hand. The big sales will hardly be made before December or January.

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In a recent speech that caused some comment in Ottawa, Hon. Adelard Turgeon, Minister of Agriculture for the province of Quebec, defended the timber policy, showing that the present Crown lands policy is the best that could be adopted for the good of the province. Figures, according to the press reports, were quoted to show that it was nonsensical to say that the public domain was being handed over to the United States. He said that of the 1,986,300 cords of wood used by the 762 mills of the United States, Canada contributed only 300,000 cords and Quebec two-thirds of this. Of the 200,000 cords of wood exported from Quebec only 50,000 were taken from public domain. An export duty, the minister claimed, would not bring the mills to Canada but would be a benefit to New Brunswick and Ontario. Last year the value of wood exported was $1,300,000, and of this Quebec provided not less than $700,000.

The recent land slide in the Lievere river above Buckingham that put several farms out of business, also interfered with the operations of the McLaren Lumber Company. The rush of water threw the logs several feet above the natural surface of the streams, and teams had to be brought into service to roll them back. The water was so dense that the McLaren pulp mill and the Riordon pulp mill had to be closed down.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

The following particulars of the Glasgow market are furnished by Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells :

During the past month business on the whole has been fairly active, and though there has been no appreciation in prices, still it can be said that they have not in any sense lost ground.

As indicated in our circular last month there seemed to be a tendency towards somewhat easier prices in first quality pine, but this has not made much headway, as recent imports of such have not only been on a moderate scale, but they have been firmly held, and in most cases have been stored where the prices required were not forthcoming. There has been a considerable import from Quebec, Montreal, and the lower ports during the month, spruce predominating.

A fair amount of business has been passing in teak, pitch, pine, and spruce, and numerous transactions are also reported to have been made in waney and square pine, etc., all tending to indicate a healthy, general trade. For American hardwoods the demand has been active, except perhaps in the case of oak planks and boards, which have been imported in excess of the market's requirements.

WHITE OR YELLOW PINE. -The import during the month consists of about 1000 loads waney and 2000 loads square timber. There have been a few good lines placed during the month at prices ranging from 4s. 6d. to 4s. 7d. for first quality 19-inch waney, and 3s. to 3s. 1d. for 800 feet first quality square. Stocks are moderate and prices firm.

RED PINE.—There has been no import during the month, and the deliveries have been small Stock is light, but sufficient.

OAK.—The import has been 800 loads from Quebec. Business has been quiet, though deliveries from the ponds are fair. Stocks are now heavy and enquiries are few.

ELM.—There has been no import during the month. There have been a few enquiries for 800 to 900 feet first-class rock, but small wood and second-class wood are difficult to move. Stocks are heavy

BIRCH.—The import for October has been moderate, but has been quite ample for all the demand that exists. With the long-continued depression in the furniture trade the consumption of birch in this market has dwindled away very considerably compared with a few years ago. Values are nominally round about 1s. 7d. for 16-inch, up to 2s. for 18-inch average.

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ASH.—The import for October is trifling, but there is plenty of stock in the market for the little demand which exists nowadays. There is very little good Canadian ash in stock, but old second-class wood, which is plentiful, has been sold at from 1s. 4d. to 1s. 6d. Several shipments of round American ash logs have been disposed of recently at from 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d., and of these there is still a large stock on hand.

DEALS, ETC. — Business during the month has been of a quiet nature, though deliveries from public yards are being well maintained. The import is keeping moderate, and, while first pine sidings are rather overdone at the moment, prices are practically unchanged. Current values are as under : Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second pine deals, 11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third pine deals, 11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals, 9 and 11-inch, £11 10s. to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10s. First pine sidings, 9 and 10-inch, £24 to £25; 11 to 12-inch, £26 to £28; 13 to 14-inch, £29 to £31. Spruce deals, 9-inch and up, £8 15s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8-inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower port pine and spruce, 7 and 8-inch, £7 to £7 15s.; 9-inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 15s.

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THE BOSTON MARKET.

The market at Boston for spruce lumber continues to manifest notable strength, the consumption, although limited, being more than equal to the ready absorption of the unusually limited supply. The situation is such that large wholesale houses there, with a well established connection, are turning down orders for quick frames from all but old and valued customers. The bulk of the spruce moving from eastern mills is going to New York, where prices are a trifle higher than they are at Boston. Laths are firm. For 1 5-8 in. sellers at less than $3.35 are hard to find and buyers are fairly plentiful. There is no change in shingles, it being still possible to procure good extra cedars for $3.40. For special brands $3.50 is asked. Quotations are as follows : Rail shipments, spruce lumber, 10 and 12 in. dimensions, $21 ; 9 in. and under dimension, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up, $20.50 ; 2x3, 2x4, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $17 to $17.50 ; all other randoms, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up, $18 to $18.50 ; merchantable boards, 5 in. and up, $17 ; matched boards, $18.50@20.

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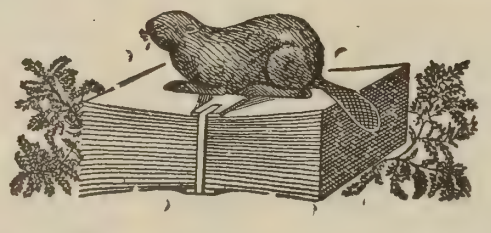

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	$29 to 30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1¼ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 00	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

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Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common 25
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 40 40
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 25
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10 25 20
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23 26
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10 23 27
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8 20 24
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 42
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

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Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$ $3 13

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Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
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2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
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No. 2, 1 in.	38 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	1x13 and up	21 00
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Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00		
1¼x10 and 12	34 00		
1½ in.			

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00	32 00	Com. & good culls 14 00 16 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	35 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 12 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00	27 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 22 00 24
Common and culls	14 00	16 00	Common and culls 14 00 16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft 18 00 20 00
Common and culls	17 00	14 00	Common and culls 10 00 18 00

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ONTARIO GOVERNMENT TIMBER SALE.

It is understood that the Ontario Government has decided to change in one respect the conditions governing the sale of timber berths in the districts of Nipissing, Algoma and Rainy River to be held on December 9th. Purchasers of limits will be allowed fifteen years in which to remove the timber, instead of ten years as stated in the original conditions.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Lumber is not moving as actively as one week ago. The high freight rates have restricted shipments, many manufacturers having decided to carry over until next spring stock which earlier in the season they intended to ship. The increased rates have also resulted in some cases in the dropping of negotiations which were under way for the purchase of stock. These circumstances are not such as to give strength to the market. Nevertheless, a number of inquiries have been received for small lots of pine lumber for shipment to Buffalo and Tonawanda and other eastern centres. The Bay City and Saginaw dealers have moved most of the stock bought in Ontario and are in good shape for the winter business. Box lumber and good culls continue to have the call and prices of these grades are exceptionally strong. Hemlock is also moving somewhat freely and the supply of dry stock at the mills

is limited. Manufacturers still insist on full prices for hardwoods. The expected smaller inport of logs this winter is already exerting an influence upon values, and dealers and consumers who have delayed in purchasing stock for their winter requirements cannot yet feel assured that they will be given any concessions. While the supply of basswood is greater than during the summer months, it is held in strong hands and can only be obtained by paying the prices asked by manufacturers.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prices of spruce lumber generally are unchanged, although special sizes are a little firmer. There continues to be an active demand for stock for shipment to the Eastern States, while some manufacturers are making considerable shipments to Ontario points. Offerings of clapboards, and particularly of the narrow widths, are larger than one month ago. Extras are quoted at $43 to $44; clears, $40 to $42; second clears, $38; and extra No. 1, $28. Few sales of New Brunswick shingles are being made above $3.40 for extras on Boston freight rate, while there is a large supply of low grade shingles and prices thereof are inclined towards weakness. There is a scarcity of spruce shingles, which are firmer.

UNITED STATES.

Dealers in the United States hesitate to put in large stocks of lumber. Current requirements represent a fair trade, but as a general rule there is little buying for the future. That prices remain steady in the face of industrial depression is one of the most encouraging signs. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers, in contradistinction to dealers at most other points, report a very satisfactory volume of business. All low grade pine, including norway, is very strong and an advance is predicted before spring. In the Lake Superior district there is a surplus of low grade shop lumber and No. 2 boards, but box grades are about sold out and norway dimension is in light supply. In Chicago it is reported that trade is about what it should be at this season of the year, and it is believed that prices are not likely to yield to any extent during the winter months. Eastern spruce is scarce and strong. The mills are running full time, but are unable to supply the demand for random and certain other grades. There is not a heavy movement of shingles nor lath, and prices of both these commodities are inclined towards weakness. Cedar shingles are quoted at $2 to $2.40 in the Saginaw valley.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The feeling in British timber circles is somewhat better than at last writing. The stock of unsold lumber is less than one year ago, which clearly indicates that the consumption has been larger than was generally supposed, as there has been no great falling off in imports. The quantity of deals, battens and boards in the Surrey Commercial Docks at London is nearly 3,000,000 pieces less than at the corresponding time last year. The effect of this shortage is partially offset by the present inactive demand, but if there should be even an average consumption during the winter months, there should be little difficulty in keeping prices near their present basis. In both London and Liverpool pine and spruce remain firm in price, with a prospect of higher values obtaining for next year's import. There is a better demand for first and second quality pine deals than for thirds and fourths. In spruce deals the most urgent demand is for eleven inch. Holders of Canadian lumber are being urged not to sacrifice their stock, as there promises to be a shortage before next year's shipments shall reach British ports. Very few transactions for next year's supply are as yet reported, but it is stated that a few have taken place at figures quite as high as those which ruled last spring. In square timber the consumption is quite in excess of that of the fall of 1902. Stocks are light and shippers are asking exceptionally high prices for 1904 delivery. A large quantity of Quebec oak was sold at a recent auction sale in London at from 70s. to 110s. per load of 50 cubic feet.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Dickson Company, of Peterborough, Ont., are again operating this winter on the old Scott limits.

The ship Lancing is expected to reach St. John this week to load deals for Melbourne, Australia.

The steamer Manchester City has taken on a quantity of deals and pulp wood at Quebec for the United Kingdom.

The Bonny River Lumber Company have three portable mills operating on their timber limits near Bonny River, N.B.

The Scott Lumber Co., of Fredericton, N.B., expect to take out about 18,000,000 feet of spruce and hemlock timber this winter.

Fownes & White, of St. Martins, N,B., have set up a portable mill on the property of the O'Neill Lumber Company, which they will operate during the winter months.

The Crown Lands Department at Fredericton, N.B., will offer for sale on Wednesday, 25th inst., 3½ square miles of timber limits on the north fork of Coal Branch, Kent county, for which C. C. Stiles is the applicant.

A. Leitch, a large lumber manufacturer of Cranbrook, B.C., states that he is now employing in the neighborhood of 500 men in his operations in the East Kootenay district. The demand for British Columbia lumber in the North-West, he says, is steadily growing.

Great interest centres in the slack cooperage situation, and the prediction of jobbers that the demoralization in prices would last the year through promises to be more correct. It is almost impossible to quote prices on slack stock.

Wilson & Dorfman have opened two logging camps at French Creek and Courtney, B.C., and about 70 men are now engaged in getting out timber. It is proposed to establish a portable mill near Departure Bay.

Murchie & Sons and Frank Todd, of St. Stephen, N. B., and George McKean and N. H. Murchie, of St. John, N. B., have entered into a partnership to operate during the coming winter on the Hale & Murchie timber limits on the head waters of the Tobique river. They will cut about 6,000,000 feet of logs.

The Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa are asking for tenders up to Friday, 20th inst., for 500,000 feet of standing spruce timber over 9 inches in diameter at the stump on the Crane River Indian Reserve, on the north-west side of Lake Manitoba. The timber must be cut subject to Crown dues at the rate of 80 cents per thousand feet b. m. Further information may be obtained from S. R. Marlatt, Inspector of Indian Agencies, Portage la Prairie, Man.

It is estimated that 20,000,000 feet of lumber were cut by the mills at Owen Sound, Ont., during the past season, made up as follows: John Harrison & Sons Co., 6,500,000 feet; Maitland, Rixon & Co., 5,000.000 feet; Keenan Bros., 3,000,000 feet; J. S. Findlay, 1,500,000 feet; William Pedwell, 1,000,000 feet, and the balance by the North American Bent Chair Co. Besides the lumber cut at their mills, Keenan Bros. handled over their dock 2,500,000 feet, and John Harrison & Sons about 750,000 feet.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

The Rat Portage Lumber Company have purchased 1,000 acres of fir timber on the Schelt Peninsula in British Columbia and have established logging camps there.

D. A. Huntley has sold a one-half interest in his timber property at Parrsboro, N. S., to H. W. McKenna and operations will be carried on jointly by them.

The Amherst Lumbering Company, of Amherst, N. S., has been organized and has acquired the valuable timber property of Amos Lawrence & Sons at Southampton, containing about 3,000 acres adjacent to the Springhill and Parrsboro Railway. The company purpose operating two mills for the winter and expect to cut about 3,000,000 feet of lumber.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The Meaford Manufacturing Company, of Meaford, Ont., have their new factory in partial operation. It is a three-storey building 200 x 75 feet. They are turning out a large quantity of furniture, including tables, sideboards, bedroom suites and desks.

The Cedar Valley Lumber Company, operating in the Kootenay lumber district of British Columbia, are said to have placed their assets in the hands of an assignee. The Carbon Creek Lumber Company, of East Kootenay, B.C., is also reported to be in the hands of liquidators.

The Seaman-Kent Manufacturing Company expect to have their new plant at Meaford, Ont., fully completed at an early date. Their factory is 180 x 255 feet and is equipped with one of the largest single dry kilns in Canada. The company are at present manufacturing hardwood flooring, store fittings, interior finish, door and window sashes, screen frames, tripods and photo finishing frames.

A meeting of the creditors of James Harrison, lumber merchant, Burlington, Ont., was held last week. Mr. Harrison asked for an extension of from six to nine months. He figured that his liabilities totalled up to $13,028, and his assets $16,275, and thought that if given time he could pay 100 cents on the dollar. The assignee estimated the assets at $1,000 less than did Mr. Harrison. The creditors appointed James Chisholm, Cameron Bartleit and C. A. Birge as inspectors, and empowered them to grant the extension asked for if they considered it advisable to do so; if not, they may wind up the estate at once.

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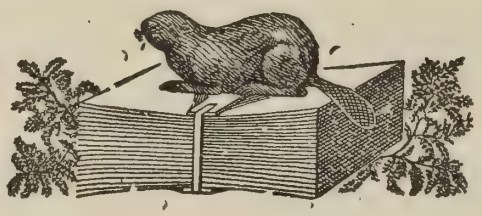

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1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
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Common and culls	14 00 16 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	22 00 24
Common and culls	14 00 16 00

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E. J. DAVIS,
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At the COURT HOUSE, SHERBROOKE, Que., DECEMBER 1st, 1903, at ONE o'clock p.m.

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H. R. FRASER, Liquidator.
JOHN. J. GRIFFITH, Auctioneer.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The expected light input of logs this this winter is doing much to keep lumber prices firm. A csnservative policy is being pursued by operators for fear that the Presidential election may limit the demand in the United States next year. A falling off in the number of inquiries for lumber for shipment to the Eastern States has probably magnified the fear. Shipments to Buffalo are slower than they have been for some time, although there is still a good demand for 12 inch boards. Local trade keeps up remarkably well and the mills will go into winter quarters with comparatively light stocks.

The hardwoods are still characterized by firmness and efforts of buyers to obtain stock below manufacturers' quotations have met with little success. Quartered oak is exceptionally firm. Maple is also firm and scarce. It is almost impossible to buy firsts and seconds and therefore difficult to give current quotations. There is no likelihood of a large cut of hardwood this winter, and as there will be very little dry lumber to be had when the mills resume work in the spring, an abnormal accumulation of stock seems out of the question.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber prices are not as uniform as earlier in the season, nor is the demand particularly active. Dealers have been expecting a drop in prices and have allowed their stock to run down. The mills, however, are not carrying heavy stocks, as the consumption this year has been close to the production. There is a fair movement of flooring, ceiling, siding, and finishing lumber. Some of the saw mills in British Columbia have shut down owing to lack of local orders, but the foreign trade continues brisk and the few mills catering to that branch are running night and day.

UNITED STATES.

The volume of the lumber business of the past week has been smaller, perhaps, than for any other week this fall. On all sides there is a disposition to reduce stocks and allow the manufacturer to carry the lumber over the winter. It has been more difficult to secure orders and occasionally a slight reduction in price has been made to effect a sale. It is expected that during the winter months there will be considerable buying for immediate needs, as consuming industries have permitted their stocks to become unreasonably low. Passing from a consideration of the demand to a study of the conditions in respect to stocks, we find that everything is in favor of a steady market and firm prices. The quantity of unsold stock at the mills is much lighter than one year ago. At Minneapolis the stock of pine lumber is 250,000,000 feet, as compared with 312,000,000 feet at same time last year. Duluth will have a stock of unsold lumber at the close of the season of about 60,000,000 feet, while in the Saginaw valley stocks are exceptionally small. The white pine firms of the Tonawandas held a meeting ast week to ascertain the amount of stock on hand, at which the fact was disclosed that there is an actual shortage of 25 per cent. from the amount usually on hand at the close of navigation. There is approximately 158,000,000 feet, exclusive of box lumber, while in former years it has usually exceeded 200,000,000 feet. Dealers asserted that under such conditions cutting of prices was entirely unwarranted. Turning to spruce lumber the position is equally as strong as that of pine. Maine spruce has been absorbed all season as fast as it has been manufactured, and there is still no stock accumulating at the mills. While the hardwood trade is quieter orders are still plentiful and many dealers report difficulty in obtaining the necessary stock. Manufacturers do not anticipate a break in prices. Maple flooring has not advanced in spite of a goodly number of orders.

GREAT BRITAIN.

There is no animation in the British lumber market. Dealers who are carrying heavy stocks are predicting a gradually improving tendency of prices, while those who are lightly supplied pretend to see lower values this winter. The feeling is unsettled, with very few contracts being closed for next season's import. There are, however, encouraging predictions being made concerning Canadian pine and spruce deals, which are very firm. For a few cargoes yet to arrive importers are asking much advanced prices. The Timber Trades Journal states that in pine deals the business is still of a minor charracter, but that it is worth reiteration that those who buy now will buy best, as 1904 importations are certain to be more costly on account of the higher cost of production. The only change in square timber is an increased number of inquiries for elm.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The schooner Leonard Parker arrived at St. John last week from Savannah, with a cargo of timber.

The barque Primo sailed last week from St. John, N. B., lumber laden, for Buenos Ayres.

The Harbor Commissioners of Montreal desire tenders by Monday, December 7th, for supply of timber and planks for the year 1904.

B. J. Gilligan, of Mattawa, Ont., has just got his new mill in operation. He has one camp of 50 men in the woods taking out logs, mostly white pine.

The New Brunswick Government will offer for sale on December 2nd next a license to cut timber on two square miles on the east branch of the St. Nicholas river, the applicant for which is Adam Stothart.

W. S. Dwinnell, of Minneapolis, who is building a large saw mill at Edmonton, N. W. T., has arranged with Colin Campbell of that place for a supply of logs. About 5,000,000 feet will be cut on Mr. Dwinnell's limit above Edmonton.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa desires tenders by December 2nd for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 364, comprising the south-west corner of Section 30, Township 16, and containing 160 acres, also for a license for Berth No 367, comprising a section of the west half of Section 3 and containing an area of 530 acres, in the Province of British Columbia.

THE BARBADOS MARKET.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of November 7th, say of the Barbados market:

"There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce during the fortnight and stocks on hand have been considerably reduced, leaving dealers' yards comparatively bare, so that the market is in a healthy condition. Some of the dealers have, however, contracted for supplies to arrive, of which we have a vessel on the way with 300,000 feet of white pine, spruce and hemlock. We learn of a cargo of Gaspe cedar shingles on the way by the "Bravo," principally Laying. Dimension and Long are both saleable. In Cedar Laying the market is depressed. We closed out the balance of the cargo of the "James W," but had to accept a reduction on previous rates. The market is amply stocked for some time to come."

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

D. Wheelihan, of Acton, Ont., has disposed of his timber holdings in Nassagaweya to Murray Crawford for $16,000.

Edwards Zwicker & Sons, of New Germany, N. S., have purchased the timber on the Miller lands at West Ferry. They will put in a rotary mill and expect to cut 2,500,000 feet of lumber.

E. T. C. Knowles, 62 Princess Street, St. John, N. B., is taking tenders up to December 1st for all the standing timber on the land of the estate of William Livingstone. The timber is situated on the Neripas river, in New Brunswick.

An important sale has just been consummated by which townships 124, 125 and 132, in the Spanish River district, constituting a block of 108 square miles, have become the property of Carney Bros., of Marinette, Wis., Ferguson & McFadden, of Renfrew, being the sellers. The limits were formerly owned by General Alger.

The Shelvin-Carpenter Company, of Minneapolis, is reported to have purchased a large timber limit in British Columbia from John Hanbury, of Brandon, Man. W. S. Dwinnell, of Minneapolis, has purchased a large tract of timber land in the Saskatchewan valley, Alberta district, and has been given leases by the Dominion Government of other limits in the locality.

H. L. Gibbs, of Traverse City, Mich., onn of the shareholders of the Western Pulp & Lumber Company, has made a two-months' inspection of the timber limits along the north Thompson River in the neighborhood of Mud Lake and the Upper Blue River, about 165 miles north of Kamloops, B. C. During his trip he located 10,000 acres of timber lands, but it is his intention to return next spring and make a further examination of the limits.

French and Belgium capitalists are announced to have purchased the immense timber limits, mills, etc., of Alexander Baptist, of Three Rivers, Que. The limits consist of 150 square miles of well timbered territory, and in addition the syndicate has purchased 150,000 logs from the same party. The deal was negotiated by P. E. Panneton, banker, of Quebec, on the one side, and Mr. Duret, representing the capitalists on the other side. The price paid for the property is said to be a high one.

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LOG PRODUCTION ON THE T. JOHN RIVER.

W. H. Murray, the well-known St. John lumberman, in a recent interview expressed the opinion that the cut of logs on the upper St. John river and tributaries in New Brunswick during the coming winter would fall short of that of last season by about ten million feet. The cut last year totalled about 130,000,000 feet, and about 80,000,000 came through the booms, the remainder having been hung up above Grand Falls. Many of the large operators are curtailing their operations this season, and the cut is not likely to exceed more than 120,000,000 feet. John Kilburn will get out about 5,000,000 feet for Murray & Gregory on the Northwest branch; Cunliffe will cut about 12,000,000 for them on the Allegash, and Choinard 3,000,000 on Black River, making the firm's total about 20,000,000 feet. The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, who are operating upon the upper St. John this season for the first time, will cut about 5,000,000 feet on the Wild Cat stream, a tributary of the St. Francis.

No effort will be made this season to get out the 34,000,000 feet or so of logs stranded in the main river above Grand Falls. There was some talk a while ago of booming them at Van Buren, but as the scheme was not approved of by all the owners, it had to be abandoned. The logs will remain just as they are, unless a big rise of water comes from the head of the river. The logs have been out of the water since early last summer, and are very dry, therefore it will take less water to float them than would be the case with the green lumber. Should a big rise of water occur in the near future they are certain to run down the river and be caught in the ice at some point where it would be difficult to save them in the spring. If there is no big rise of water this fall, it is thought that there will be little difficulty in saving the logs in the spring, as the ice above the falls is usually a week or so later in starting than the ice below that point. This gives a chance to get the booms ready.

As already stated, there is about 34,000,000 feet of the past season's cut stranded above the falls. It is owned by the following parties in the proportion named :

	Feet.
Kilburn for Murray	4,500,000
Choinard for Murray	4,000,000
Cunliffe for Murray	1,000,000
Cushing	8,000,000
Charles Miller	4,500,000
J. R. McConnell	5,000,000
Randolph & Baker	4,000,000
Stetson, Cutler & Co.	1,000,000
Other parties	2,000,000
Total	34,000,000

About three and one-half million feet of logs have come over the falls during the past few months, and Contractor Morrison is up river with a crew of men endeavoring to get it into the booms.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N. S. : Str. Gulf of Venice, for London, 31,238 ft. spruce deals, value $417. Str. Damara, for Liverpool, 97,327 ft. hemlock deals, value $1,120, 11,650 birch squares, value $215. Barque Ragna, for Troon, Scotland, 435,235 ft. spruce deals, value $5,104.

From St John, N. B. : Str. Normand, for Bristol, 1,336,265 ft. deals, 153,080 ft. scantlings, 59,197 ft. ends, 1,230 ft. boards, 7,146 ft. birch plank, 6,510 ft. birch ends. Schr. Lotus, for Boston, 140,832 ft. spruce boards, 8,681 ft. scantlings. Barque Primo, for Buenos Ayers, 827,878 ft. spruce boards, 59,707 ft. plank, 107,439 ft. scantlings. Schr. Quetay, for New Haven, 88,880 ft. boards, 360,000 laths. Schr. Cheslie, for New York, 2,019,000 laths. Schr. Golden Rule, for Antigua, 98,500 ft. pine boards, 36,659 ft. spruce boards, 45,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Tay, for Providence, 106,339 ft. plank, 9,035 ft. scantlings, 568 ft. boards, 100,000 cedar shingles. Schr. F. and D. Givan, for New London, 55,987 ft. spruce boards, 37,669 ft. scantlings, 180,000 laths.

From Montreal : Str. Montfort, for Bristol, 3,011 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 7,005 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co.; 10,062 pcs. lumber, by W. & J. Sharples; 4,434 pcs. lumber, by McLaurin Bros.; 265 crates lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Corinthian, for Glasgow, 5,815 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 519 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd; 2,372 pcs. deals and boards, by Robert Cox & Co.; 26 logs, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1,807 bundles flooring, by Canadian Pacific Railway; 417 pcs. deals, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Turret Bell, for Newcastle, 31,526 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Roman, for Liverpool, 11,362 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by Watson & Todd. Str. Lord Lansdowne, for Cardiff, 6,005 pcs. deals, 875 pcs. boards, by J. Burstall & Co.; 5,419 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 6,048 pcs. boards, by Cox, Long & Co. Str. Montrose, for Edmonton, 16,223 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 2,143 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co.; 9,378 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 5,249 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 24,176 pcs. lumber, by McArthur Export Co.; 7,076 pcs. lumber, 5,912 bundles hoops, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Lake Erie, for Liverpool, 2,726 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 2,519 pcs. lumber, by McArthur Export Co.; 6,788 pcs. lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 4,802 pcs. lumber, by Robert Cox & Co.; 10,978 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 7,706 pcs. lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Pomeranian, for Glasgow, 2,062 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 267 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Str. Tunisian, for Liverpool, 1,188 pcs. boards, by W. & J. Sharples; 700 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Hurona, for London, 2,600 pcs. deals, and ends, by W. & J. Sharples; 2,138 pcs. deals and ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Kastalia, for Glasgow, 410 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 103 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 11,920 pcs. boards, 7,056 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 2,429 pcs. boards, 5,519 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 1,157 pcs. deals, 3,282 pcs. sidings, 195 pcs. timber, by McArthur Export Co.; 565 pcs. timber, by Grand Trunk Railway; 263 pcs. lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Frisia, for Hamburg, 9,728 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Hybernian, for Glasgow, 13,297 pcs. deals, etc., by W. & J. Sharples; 2,330 pcs. deals, by Cox, Long & Co. Str. Lake Manitoba, for Liverpool, 2,621 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co.; 1,073 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 2,651 pcs. lumber, 1,417 pcs. maple squares, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Cervona, for London, 2,093 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1,509 pcs. deals, by Grand Trunk Railway.

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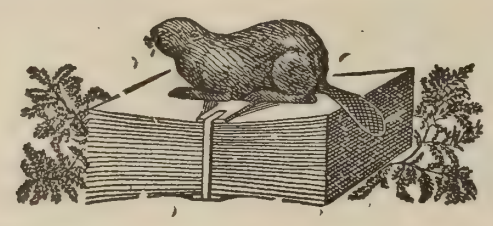

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CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼ 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00	1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00	1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00	Cull scantling		12 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00	1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50	17 50	1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
2x10 common	18 50	19 00	Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
2x12 common	20 00	21 00	1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 75
3x10 common	19 00	20 00	1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 25
3x12 common	20	21 00	1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 85
1x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 50	X white pine shingles		1 10
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50	XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
1 inch strips, common	16 00	17 50	XXX white pine shingles		3 15
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	B. C. Shingles		
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00	XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00	XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00	XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
			XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.. XX " 6 to 23-16 in. XX " 5 to 2 in		2 50 2 71

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Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00	$34 00	Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00	26 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	25 00	27 00	Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3.. 26 00	28 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	26 00	29 00	Hickory, 1sts and 2nds.. 1½"	2.. 34 00	37 00
Ash M. R., 1 to 2	21 00	23 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 1	1½ 21 00	23 00
Birch, M. R. 1 in. " 1½ " 2	19 00	21 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4.. 24 00	26 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	22 00	24 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 34 00	36 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	25 00	26 00	Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4.. 37 00	39 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 in. M. R. 1 "	1¼ 23 00	24 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 39 00	41 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds..	1½ 60 00	70 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4. 44 00	48 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4.. 65 00	75 00	Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	2.. 60 00	65 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 "	1½ 20 00	22 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds.. 1 "	3.. 85 00	100 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	3.. 22 00	24 00			

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00	Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		16 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00	" 6' to 11'x10"		17 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00	Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00	Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00	Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00	Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00	Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00	1x10 No. 1 barn		21 01
2 in.	35 00	40 00	1x10 No. 2 "		
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00	1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00	1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00	Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00	20 00	No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16 00	19 00	Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
			Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 25
			Pine Shingles: XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 20
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
			XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 55
			Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 55
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
			XX, 18 inch	1 05	1 09

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	17	22
16 "	24	28
18 "	27	29
	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	$29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1, White Pine	3 00	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24	25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common		25
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	40	40
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		25
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	20
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	26
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12		24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10	23	27
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	24
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	42
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3 15		Spruce	$	$3 13

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25	5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 23
Smooth, 6x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00		2 in.		36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00		Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		40 00
4 in.	85 00		No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in.		48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00		No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.		35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00		Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		30 00
4 in.	80 00		6, 8 and 10 in.		26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00		No. 2, 10 in.		23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00		No. 2, 12 in.		26 00
2 in.	60 00		No. 3, 10 in.		20 00
3 in.	70 00		No. 3, 12 in.		22 00
4 in.	75 00		Box, 1x4		15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.			1x6 & up		17 50
1¼ and 1½ in	48 00		1x10		18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00		1x12		20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00		1x13 and up		21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00		1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.		19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		15 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00				
1½ in.	34 00				

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch, 1¼ to 2 in	32 00	34 00	2½ to 4 in.	42 00	44 00
	37 00	39 00	Strips	20 00	23 00
			Com. and culls	15 00	17 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	30 00	32 00	Com. & good culls	14 00	16 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	34 00	37 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	12 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	25 00	27 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	22 00	24
Common and culls	14 00	16 00	Common and culls	14 00	16 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	20 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft	18 00	20 00
Common and culls	17 00	14 00	Common and culls	19 00	18 00

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HURDMAN & ELMITT,
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WANTED FOR "SPOT CASH"—CAR LOTS 18 XXXX Pine Shingles. Address quick "SPOT CASH," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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26"x6½" 26"x5¾" } Mostly 26x6½
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" " " " x 4"/7" x 12/18' Strips
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Common White Pine :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 8" up x 12/18' Sidings

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4/4" x 8" x 12/16' Stock

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4/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 4"/7" x 12/16' Strips

White Pine No. 1 Mill Culls :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
" " " " 4/7" 12/16' Strips
" " " " 8" up x 12/16' Sidings

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IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING — the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLMER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULOCK (part of) FRENCH (part of), STEWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HAMMELL and PHELPS (part of).

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E. J. DAVIS,
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Department of Crown Lands,
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I desire to purchase a quanity of inch mill culls and inch dead cull pine sidings. Terms cash when shipped. Please state quantity and price and freight rate to Toronto. BOX 43 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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CIRCULAR SAW FRAME, CARRIAGE WITH Track 3 Saw Edger, Slab Slasher with 5 Saws, Trimmers, Double Lath Mill, Shingle Mill, Endless Chain and Bullwheel 4 Water Wheels, Shafting, Pulleys, Gears, Belting, Conveyor Chain, Giant Planer, Hashing Mill, Iron Turning Lathe. JOHN KNIGHT, Douglas, Ont.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The volume of the lumber business of the month of November was, all things considered, better than could reasonably have been expected. The buying power was, perhaps, not as good as that of the previous month, but still of a very satisfactory character. The past week has shown signs of a slackening up, and it is likely that a smaller trade will be handled from this time forward until after the turn of the year. Little change either in demand or prices need be expected in the near future.

The deadlock between the Ottawa Valley manufacturers and the British exporters has been broken. The 1904 deal cut of the Hull Lumber Company has been placed with Watson & Todd, while half of the J. R. Booth cut has been taken by Robert Cox & Company. In both instances an advance of ten per cent. on last season's figures is reported to have been obtained.

We do not think that prices of hemlock are quite as firm as they were, but there is no positive weakness to be observed. Hardwoods are strong notwithstanding a less urgent demand. Birch and elm are among the best sellers.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Several shippers of spruce deals have been endeavoring to close contracts for next season's stock at prices corresponding to those which ruled this year, but it is understood that they have been unsuccessful and that manufacturers are asking an advance. Now that contracting for the Ottawa Valley pine production has commenced, it is expected to facilitate the closing of contracts for spruce stocks. Manufacturers are asking an advance on the ground of increased cost of production. In Nova Scotia the quantity of spruce deals manufactured next year will in all probability show a considerable dscrease owing to forest fires, which swept through lands that had been logged before. The small logs remaining on these lands will be cut, and very few of them will be large enough to produce deals for the British market. The mills in Nova Scotia have marketed practically all the lumber cut this year. Enquiries are being received for stock for shipment to New York, where spruce is selling at the highest average prices ever obtained.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The active building season in the North-West is about over, and the demand for lumber has fallen off considerably. There is still some call for finishing lumber, which is likely to be in more or less demand all winter. Prices are somewhat weaker on account of the sharp competition experienced from American manufacturers. There has been some buying for spring delivery at current prices. The British Columbia mills supplying the foreign trade are busy, but the stock of unsold lumber for local and eastern consumption is large and the demand quiet. This applies also to the shingle industry. Manufacturers have received some encouragement from the recent visit of two or three large United States buyers of shingles. It is said that they placed some orders with Vancouver mills, being induced to do so by the superior quality of the British Columbia product.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber trade of the United States is seasonably quiet. Wholesale orders are scarce, but there is a good movement of small lots, and in Buffalo a large demand for doors and house finish. Dealers are not stocking up to any extent, but their policy of conservatism is causing holders of lumber no anxiety, as they believe there will be no break in prices. Inventories of stocks on hand at wholesale centres show much less than at same time last year. At Buffalo it is stated that there is not box lumber enough in sight to keep the box factories running through the winter and early spring, and there is very little of this class of lumber held at the mills. It is quite probable that box lumber will advance before spring regardless of the general trend of prices. The manufacturers in Wisconsin and Minnesota are restricting their log input, so that they may be in a position to cope with any falling off in the demand for lumber next year. Spruce prices are very strong. Both frames and random are selling in Boston at from fifty cents to one dollar above the list for prompt delivery. The hardwood trade maintains a healthy tone. Birch, elm and basswood are receiving a large call and the advance in price has been well maintained. Some dealers have been compelled to refuse orders for elm on account of being unable to make delivery within the specified time. White pine and white cedar shingles are moving rather slowly, but there is more inquiry for red cedars.

GREAT BRITAIN.

We can learn of no important change in the British lumber market. Business is rather lifeless and little improvement is expected until the new year. The stocks at the leading importing centres are not excessive, but it must be remembered that the consumption this fall and winter has been smaller than last year and promises to continue so for a few months. The auction sales have been about the only guide to prices. These have developed no weakness; in fact, at the Manchester sale of the Lightbound, Rigby & Company stock high prices were realized. Third quality pine deals, 3x11 inch, brought £12 10s per standard; 3x9 inch £11 5s, and 3x7 inch £11. A small quantity of 4x7 inch spruce realized £8 5s. A good line of 3-inch birch sold at £5 17s 6d per standard, and some Quebec ash timber at 1s 1d per cubic foot.

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STOCKS AND PRICES.

F. F. Neale, of Chatham, N. B., has shipped over 60,000,000 feet of deals this season.

Seaman, Kent & Company, of Meaford, Ont., have just received a cargo of 250,000 feet of maple lumber from Bay City, Mich.

A three and a half mile timber berth on the North Forks Coal Branch, Kent County, New Brunswick, was sold by the Government last week to C. C. Stiles at $50 per mile.

The John Harrison & Sons Company, of Owen Sound, Ont., have just shipped a carload of numbered mile posts over the Canadian Pacific Railway for use on that line. There were 560 posts in the shipment.

The New Brunswick Government will offer for sale on December 9th a timber berth of two square miles on the Square Lake, Parish of Botsford, Westmorland County, for which James Friel has made application.

The Hanburg Manufacturing Company, of Brandon, Man., have 75 teams and 250 men at work on their limits in Duck Mountains getting out logs. The season in that district has opened earlier than last year and there are prospects of a large input.

The Carney Lumber Company, which recently closed a deal for the purchase of 200,000,000 feet of white pine on the Spanish River, will establish their headquarters at Massey, Ont. They will put in 10,000,000 feet of logs to be sawed under contract next year.

The Canadian Timber & Saw Mill Company, of Trout Lake City, B. C., has just let a contract for 100,000,000 feet of logs, involving an expenditure of half a million dollars, to E. L. Kinnon. English capital is backing the enterprise, and the contract is the largest let for some time. The company owns from four to six hundred million feet of timber along Trout Lake.

The Harbor Commissioners of Montreal invite tenders in this issue for a supply of timber and planks for 1904, including hemlock, white pine, red pine, elm, maple, and spruce. There are 194,000 feet of spruce planks and 175,000 ft. of pine planks called for. The piles required consist of 500 pieces white pine, 300 pieces red pine and 100 pieces elm, averaging 47 feet long.

R.F. Dorfman, who represents the lumber syndicate which has been buying up small parcels of timber in the vicinity of Nanaimo, B.C., states that the first boom of 600,000 feet of logs will be ready early this month. It is probable that another camp will be started early in the spring near Courtney, where the syndicate has about 110,000,000 feet of timber. Some of this goes 250,000 feet to the acre.

The Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company, of Chemainus, B.C., have purchased 4,000,000 feet of fir logs at Everett, Wash., which are being towed from Puget Sound to their mills. It is stated that the logs were purchased under contract that they should be delivered at the mills at approximately $4.10 per thousand feet. This is one of the largest purchases of logs made outside of British Columbia in several years. It is reported that the company were forced to buy on account of interruptions to their own logging operations by inclement weather.

Preparations are well advanced for logging operations on the St. Croix river, in New Brunswick. The cut will probably reach 30,000,000 feet, about the same as last year. James Murchie will cut about 7,000,000 feet, H. F. Eaton & Sons 10,000,000 feet, F. H. Todd & Sons 8,000,000 feet, and the Eastern Pulp Wood Company about 8,000,000 feet. Granville Chase will not operate this winter, having made arrangements with the Eastern Pulp Wood Company for a supply of logs. Mercier & Company have also arranged for some logs and will cut but little this winter.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

[Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.]

To-day another big sale of 1904 deals was recorded. Watson & Todd, the well-known Liverpool firm, has closed with the Hull Lumber Company for the entire cut of red and white pine deals to be sawn under contract next year. While the actual figures are not obtainable, it is understood the price shows an advance of ten per cent. over last year's figures. The transaction covers between fifteen and twenty million feet.

November, always looked on as the season for such sales, has only seen two this year. For the past three weeks a deadlock has existed between the English buyers and the Ottawa district manufacturers of deals. The latter have been holding out for an advance of twenty per cent. on last season's rates, offering, of course, as ground for such advance the stiff price of labor and supplies. The English buyers, however, according to one of the number, could not pay the price asked and expect to realize on the investment. In turn they pointed out that British trade was dull and the market well stocked. The question of supply and demand, not cost of production, should, they claimed, govern the case.

It is now believed, however, that the deadlock has been broken, and that the other sellers and buyers will get together and agree on terms.

All the mills in the Ottawa district have practically closed. To the surprise of many it is stated that the season's cut as compared with that of former years shows a falling off of fully ten per cent. For instance, the big Booth mill is said to be between thirteen and fifteen million feet behind its cut for the corresponding period last year. As the supply of logs was a constant one and the weather steady, the blame for the shortage is laid on labor.

The Shepard & Morse Company, which took over and fitted up the Mason mill in the west end of the city, had a good season's business. It has been decided to install another double cutting band saw for next season's work. The one installed last year was the first of its kind seen in the Ottawa district. Next season the mill will be better equipped than ever with two such saws.

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that the work of log cutting is well advanced. The present cold snap ought to freeze up the streams and thus facilitate the movement of supplies, which has been a difficult business for the past few days. Labor is easier to obtain, the close of work on the farms releasing many competent axe handlers.

No square timber will be manufactured in the Kippewa district this year, for the reason that there is little or none left to manufacture. The following firms that manufactured last season will leave square timber alone this year: Sheppard & Morse, Hull Lumber Company and Rideau Lumber Company. On the other hand Edward Moore, Klock Bros. and Robert Hurdman will continue in the square timber line.

Reports differ as to market conditions, but prices show no change. Dealers report local business and trade with the States slow, while the manufacturers state they have no trouble placing any standing stock they have on hand. With the close of navigation shipments are always slow from Ottawa, so that the present slackness is causing no uneasiness.

It is expected the log cut in the Ottawa river district will be nearer an average than will be that of the Georgian Bay district, where a shortage running all the way from twenty to thirty per cent. is predicted.

Ottawa manufacturers have not so much to fear from the threatening hard times in the States as have their fellows in the Georgian Bay district, for the reason that while the latter are almost wholly dependent on the American market, the Ottawa district mills cut largely for the English trade as well.

With the predicted shortage of logs in the Georgian Bay district, the chances of overstocking the American market will be greatly reduced and the prospects of a continuance of high prices brightened.

Ottawa, November 25th, 1903.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBERMEN IN SESSION

A meeting of the Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' Association was held at the Board of Trade rooms at Nelson, B. C., on the 26th and 27th of October last. There was present a strong delegation from the British Columbia Lumber & Shingle Manufacturers' Association, and also from the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association. The meeting was a particularly interesting one, and the attendance was large, on account of the importance of the matters to be brought up for discussion.

A committee to prepare statistics as to the condition of the lumber trade and estimates as to the quantity of available lumber and the probable output and consumption next year, was appointed, and at a later session the committee reported that there were eighty million feet of lumber ready for shipment in the yards in British Columbia; that the demand was not strong, as the yards in the North-West Territories were pretty well stocked; that the probable output for next year would be seven hundred million feet or at least one hundred million feet above the estimated consumption, even taking into consideration the present very large increase in immigration in the North-West Territories.

The lumber manufacturing trade has certainly been booming; a large number of mills have been built and are under construction, and if there was a shortage last winter and spring, the reverse is now the case, and the members of the Lumber Associations were themselves surprised to find that they were face to face with a condition of things which will probably mean a shutting down of the mills for a time to prevent over-production.

During the period last winter in which there was an apparent shortage (we say "apparent" because it was largely attributable to insufficient transportation facilities at the time when the demand was greatest), American lumber was introduced to a very considerable extent into the North-West, the excuse being that Canadian lumber was not to be had, and this market having been once opened up to American mills, they are succeeding in holding the market, to the exclusion of Canadian lumber. A considerable advantage in freight rates over the Canadian mills helps them to do this.

This and many other subjects were dealt with by the members of both Associations in a joint meeting, and strong resolutions were prepared, both to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company pointing out the injustice that the members suffer in certain quarters on account of the comparatively heavy freight rates, and to the Dominion Government pointing out the necessity of a duty to protect this very important Canadian industry.

It was pointed out that on account of the somewhat demoralized condition of American trade at present, partly through over-production, the Canadian North-West was being used as a dumping ground for the surplus stock of common lumber of the American mills, and that such competition under the circumstances was not fair and should be prevented. The enormously increased capacity of the B. C. mills is a sufficient guarantee of a supply large enough to ensure that there will be no increase in price.

Steps were taken with a view to ascertaining if and in what way the uniform grading of lumber could satisfactorily be done. This is a matter which has hitherto been considered impracticable on account of the very great differences in the timber used by the different mills througout the country. It was decided, except in 2-inch dimension, to adopt Coast Standards of boards and matched lumber. This rule takes effect on January 1st, 1904.

A satisfactory arrangement was arrived at between the shingles members and the branch of the B. C. Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers at the coast.

The foregoing covers only a small part of the work done in the session, which lasted two full days. The meeting was productive of a great deal of good, and many questions of importance affecting the interests of the members, as between each other, were discussed and satisfactorily dealt with.

The Mountain Association, which is now two years in existence, was felt to be in a much healthier condition and the enthusiasm of the members very much greater than heretofore.

Regret was expressed that the commission which had been appointed by the Dominion Government to investigate the alleged combine had not had the opportunity of going into the question, as the members felt satisfied that a thorough investigation would have resulted in showing that these Associations were not in any sense responsible for the alleged unsatisfactory condition of things in the North-West.

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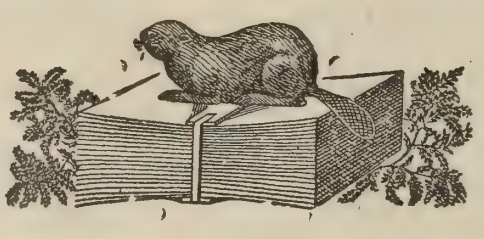

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Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	37 00	39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	39 00	41 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	44 00	48 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine good strips : 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16 00	19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		16 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 20
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
xx, 18 inch	1 25	1 55
Cedar Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
xx, 18 inch	1 65	1 90

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " " 19 to 21 inch average	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average	58	65
" " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	17	22
17 "	24	28
18 "	27	29
	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	$29 to 30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	3 00	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24	25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common		25
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	40	40
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		25
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	20
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	26
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12		24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10	23	27
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	24
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	42
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	23			

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 13

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	48 00	1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	24 00	1x 10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	38 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	1x13 and up	21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	36 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼x10 and 12	34 00		
1½ in.			

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda :

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00	46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00	25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	18 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00	26 00
Common and culls	16 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	29 00	31 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00	13 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

WANTED

To Correspond with Manufacturers of Hardwood Lumber, with a view of purchasing 1904 Cut.

We also want few cars of Ash and Basswood for immediate shipment.

HURDMAN & ELMITT,
Ottawa, Ont.

WANTED

500 M FT. B.M. ROUND SPRUCE TIMBER, 500 M ft. B.M. Round Hemlock Timber, more or less, to be delivered on Ottawa River for next June. For further particulars address Box 630, Sorel.

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3000 White Pine Logs near Cartier Station, C.P.R. main line, with first class piling ground, suitable for Portable Mill. About 5000 White Pine Logs in Booms at mouth of Spanish River, and about 3000 Acres of good Timber, very nearly all White Pine. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Cartier, Ont.

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Reply Box 44, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—CEDAR POSTS AND 2" AND 3" Tamarac for next winter's delivery. Dry hardwood lumber for immediate shipment. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton, Ont.

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30 H. P. STATIONARY BOILER AND Engine, in first-class running order. 1 Lath Mill and Bolter Combined, 50 M capacity. Apply Box 93, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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1 Large 4 Sided Sticker; 1 10" Buzz Planer; 2 Improved Mortisers; 1 24" Surface Planer; 1 Cowan Matcher; 1 Band Saw; 1 Shaper; 1 Turning Lathe; 1 Jig Saw Machine; 1 Tenon Machine, for doors and windows; 1 Tenon Machine for blinds; 1 Mortiser for blinds; 1 Staple Driver for blinds; 2 Saw Tables. A. H. CUMMINGS & SON, Coaticook, Que.

To Timber Manufacturers and Exporters

THE ADVERTISER, A CANADIAN, HAVING had 18 years' experience as salesman and broker in the timber trade in Great Britain, with previous experience in Boston and Burlington, Vermont, is desirous of returning to Canada and would be pleased to hear of an opening where his experience and services would command reasonable remuneration. Age 40, married. Can offer undeniable recommendations. Address in first instance, "Experience," care of CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto or Montreal.

FOR SALE

White Pine Good Dressing:

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
" " " " x 4"/7" x 12/18' Strips
" " " " x 8" up x 12/18' Sidings

Common White Pine:

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 8" up x 12/18' Sidings

White Pine Mill Run, Box Out:

4/4" x 8" x 12/16' Stock

White Pine Shipping Cull:

4/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 4"/7" x 12/16' Strips

White Pine No. 1 Mill Culls:

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
" " " " 4/7" 12/16' Strips
" " " " 8" up x 12/16' Sidings

Write for particulars and quotations

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Taken in course of business during the year, offered cheap; thoroughly refitted.

Pony Band single cutter
2 and 3 block Heavy Carriage with offset
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Twin Circulars, will cut two thousand ties daily
10 x 16 12 x 20 Cunningham Feeds
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Sawmill Engines, 22x26, 18x24, 16x20, 12½x18
Return Tubular Boilers, 2-72x16, 2-54x16
3 400 Horse Heavy Boilers
7 48x26 foot 2 Flue Boilers
Offered cheap.

WATEROUS, BRANTFORD

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

FOR SALE — ABOUT 270 000 FEET DRY White Pine Lumber 1" 1½" and 2" Cut from good quality logs and well manufactured; also quantity dry XXX and XX White Pine Shingles. Apply THE HUNTSVILLE SYNDICATE, Huntsville, Ont.

WANTED

GOOD CEDAR LUMBER SUITABLE FOR boat building. PETERBORO CANOE CO., Ltd., Peterboro.

FOR SALE—CEDAR POLES, 25 TO 60 FEET, 800 cords of mixed cord wood, Maple, Beach and Birch; delivered at the North Wakefield Station on the C.P.R in spring, 1904. Apply to GILMOUR BROTHERS, 58 Sparks street, Ottawa, Ont.

WANTED — TWO CAR LOADS DRY straight or quarter cut white or red oak, cut 1¾" x 2" and 1" x 3", 4, 8, and 12 ft. long, clear stock. Address, "W," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—10 CAR LOADS OF COMMON Better White Winter Cut Basswood, cut 1⅛" from the saw or good plump 1" when dry; will take it 3" wide and up, 2 ft. long and up; can ship in car lots from any part of Ontario or Quebec. Address Box 84, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

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FOR SALE

SEVERAL LARGE TIMBER LIMITS ON the Kootenay Lakes and along Crows' Nest line of C. P. R. Most available timber for Northwest trade. For particulars, apply to D. I. DEWAR, Nelson, B. C.

PINE LUMBER WANTED

I desire to purchase a quanity of inch mill culls and inch dead cull pine sidings. Terms cash when shipped. Please state quantity and price and freight rate to Toronto. Box 43 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

Mill Machinery For Sale

CIRCULAR SAW FRAME, CARRIAGE WITH Track 3 Saw Edger, Slab Slasher with 5 Saws, Trimmers, Double Lath Mill, Shingle Mill, Endless Chain and Bullwheel, 4 Water Wheels, Shafting, Pulleys, Gears Belting, Conveyor Chain, Giant Planer, Hashing Mill, Iron Turning Lathe. JOHN KNIGHT, Douglas, Ont.

WANTED

AT ONCE, IN CAR LOTS, THE FOLLOWING Dry Lumber:
Soft Elm, 1", 1½", 2", 3".
Maple, Birch or Beech, 1½", 3", 4".
Basswood, 1", 3".
Also one car of Cull Soft Elm, Black Ash or Basswood, 1", fit for making shipping cases.
This lumber will do in any lengths, from 3 ft. up; state grade and price. Address TAYLOR & LOUNT, Markham, Ont.

FOR SALE—TEN SETS OF HEAVY LO and one set of Tank Sleighs, almost new. Lumber would be taken in payment. A. H. EBERT, Wiarton, Ont.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

WANTED—HARDWOOD LUMBER: HARD and Soft Maple, Birch, Soft Elm Basswood and Brown Ash, for next spring delivery: log run or graded. AUGER & SON, Quebec.

Birch Lumber

Manufactured specially for the Furniture Trade in all sizes and grades. Write to THE HUNTSVILLE SYNDICATE for prices, Huntsville, Ont.

POSITION WANTED

AS LUMBER INSPECTOR AND BUYER. Long experience, and can give satisfactory testimonials and security if required. Address Box 184, Seaforth, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber business of the province shows the effect of the approaching winter. Retail dealers as a rule are buying only in small lots, which policy is likely to continue until after the first of the year. The consumption in Toronto is of considerable volume and in the country districts the demad is quite as good as could be expected at this season. There does not seem to be much call for bill stuff. In an otherwise featureless market, box lumber continues to command special attention. The supply is now so small that some manufacturers are advancing their box and common about $1 per thousand. In the Georgian Bay district log run white pine is held at $10, box at $15 and mill culls at $11. There are still plenty of buyers for hardwood lumber whenever suitable stocks can be found. It is almost impossible to obtain certain sizes of elm, basswood and maple. The manufacturers are showing no disposition to reduce their asking figures, but on the other hand are asking higher prices for desirable stocks. The shingle market is in a healthier condition and dealers who were carrying heavy stocks of British Columbia cedar shingles are gradually getting them worked off.

The weather has been favorable for operations in the woods. In some districts there are about 18 inches of snow, but hauling will not be commenced until after Christmas. It is reported that on account of money stringency and the expense of logging one or two concerns have taken their camps out of the woods.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

There is very little activity in the lumber business throughout the North-West, more attention being given to logging conditions than to the marketing of lumber. In the districts from which the log supply

for the North-West mills is obtained the conditions for logging have been unusually favorable and good progress has been made. In British Columbia, however, several camps have been closed down on account of rainy weather, and it is predicted that this will have the result of advancing the price of logs. Much interest is centred in the proposed Government legislation regulating the cutting of timber. The lumbermen have decided to protest against the proposal to raise the fee on special timber licenses from $100 to $160 per annum.

UNITED STATES.

The present is no doubt a very dull time in the white pine trade. What business there is from mill yards may be said to be confined to box material and the lower grades. There has been a considerable call for lumber suitable for making corn cribs. It is expected that this inactivity will continue at least until well into January, by which time it is believed that dealers will find their stocks so diminished as to necessitate replenishment to a limited degree. There is a better feeling regarding the business outlook than prevailed a few weeks ago, and one or two factors which are very favorable to the lumber business in particular. The wholesale dealers at Buffalo and Tonawanda have held conferences with a view to learning the real conditions, and it is believed that as a result there will be no difficulty in maintaining present prices for white pine. From Duluth comes the statement that practically all the No. 4 and 5 boards to be cut next year at the head of the lakes have been sold or are under option. Coupled with the fact that the unsold stocks at the head of the lakes are not more than 50,000,000 feet, it will be seen that the statement has an important bearing upon the market. The reduced logging operations must also be reckoned with. The hardwood demand is limited to the immediate needs of consumers, but is still of a fair volume. Dry basswood is especially scarce and is likely to be wiped out before the new cut is ready. Elm stocks are also very much reduced. A slightly better demand for lath and shingles is reported. At Buffalo No. 1 white pine lath is selling at $4 and No. 2 at $3.25.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The consumption of lumber in the British market continues small, but there is a firm undertone to prices, which induces the hope that the new year may bring an improvement. Some reports speak very hopefully of Canadian lumber. A West Hartlepool correspondent says: "During the past ten days a number of orders for white pine deals have come to hand, and we understand several large lines have been booked for delivery later on. Stocks of third quality are fairly large, but first and second qualities are not so plentiful. Prices are very firm, and in all probability the present brisk buying can be accounted for by the news that next year's shipments will command higher values than at present prevail." Spruce deals also are in a strong position. It is reported that a cargo of spruce from Dalhousie, N.B., containing 50 per cent. of 7 and 8 inch, has just been sold to Liverpool at £8 2s 6d per standard. This price shows the strength of the market.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Albertina is loading lumber at Bridgewater, N.S., for Rosaria.

It is estimated that 3,000,000 feet of lumber will be manufactured this winter in the vicinity of Coldstream, N.S.

The Canada Wood Specialty Company, of Orillia, Ont., are advertising for 1,000,000 feet of hardwood logs.

W. C. McKay, of Prince Albert, N.W. T., has been given a large contract to supply telephone poles for the Bell Telephone Company.

The steamer Thrift is loading deals at Pugwash, N.S., for the United Kingdom. The steamer Mantinea is loading a deal cargo at West Bay, N.S., for the same destination.

Graham, Horne & Company, of Fort William, Ont., have a logging camp at work at Barring, on the Canadian Northern Railway, getting out logs for the Rat Portage Lumber Company's mill at Winnipeg.

The receipts of lumber at the Tonawandas this season were 438,765,271 feet, as compared with 389,890,410 feet for the corresponding period of 1902, an increase of 48,874,861 feet in favor of the current year.

A two mile timber berth, situated on the east branch of the St. Nicholas river, Kent county, N.B., was sold at auction by the Government last week to T. C. Burns at $30 per mile. The applicant was Adam Stothart.

The cooperage stock market is very strong and a further advance in the price of staves is predicted. Jobbers at Buffalo are now asking $13.50 to $14 for first-class elm staves, 10½ to 11 cents for heading, and $10.50 to $11 for 6-foot coiled hoops.

Peter Clair, who lumbered on the west branch of the Black river, in New Brunswick, has disposed of his season's cut of logs, amounting to about 3,000,000 feet, to the Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton. He is to deliver the logs at the Fredericton booms in the spring.

BROOM HANDLES.

If an enterprising man with supplies of cheap Spruce, Basswood or Poplar care to put in several machines to work broom handles we can take his output. Write in first instance to Empire, care of CANADA LUMBERMAN.

ST. LAWRENCE RIVER LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The trans-Atlantic shipments of lumber from Montreal, Quebec and other St. Lawrence ports for the current season represent an increase of 5,698,345 feet. The following summary shows the quantity shipped by the different exporters:

Shippers.	Feet.
Dobell, Beckett & Co.	102,074,800
W. & J. Sharples	79,669,795
Price Bros. & Co.	56,658,178
Watson & Todd	51,801,668
McArthur Export Co.	28,365,923
J. Burstall & Co.	24,419,350
Robert Cox & Co.	24,162,470
H. R. Goodday & Co.	16,054,343
King Bros.	15,833,139
Charlemagne Lumber Co.	10,289,247
Cox, Long & Co.	8,941,100
McLaurin Bros	7,478,000
Harold Kennedy	6,336,000
E. H. Lemay	1,815,000
Railway, small shippers, etc.	11,782,947
Total	445,681,960
Shipments season 1902.	439,983,615
Net increase, season 1903	5,698,345

THE BARBADOS MARKET.

Under date of November 21st Messrs. S.P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbados market: "The arrivals have been the "Jessie Lena" with 113,000 feet shippers and 34,000 feet second quality white pine; the "James Daly" from Bear River, N. S., with 140,000 feet spruce, 20,000 feet white pine and 15,000 feet hemlock; and the "H. B. Moman" with 46,000 feet shippers and 100,000 feet second quality spruce, 45,000 feet shippers and 58,000 feet second quality white pine, and 38,000 feet shippers and 9,000 feet second quality hemlock. Of the first two named the Daly's cargo was sold to some dealers who were entirely bare at $24.27 for shippers, $21.27 for second quality spruce; $28.53 for shippers, and $24.29 for second quality white pine; and $21.17 and $18.17 for second quality hemlock. The cargo, however, turned out very inferior and a large reduction was made on the inferior lumber. The same parties also bought the white pine brought by the "Jessie Lena" at $27.21 and $22.59 respectively. These arrivals have given everyone some supplies, and the market has weakened somewhat, but we have since placed 100,000 feet shippers and 25,000 feet second quality white pine, for prompt shipment, on a basis of $21.75 and $18.25 c.i.f. We value spruce at about $22 to $23 for first receipts. The "Bravo" arrived with 460,000 Long Gaspe shingles, which have been placed at $5.76; 54,600 Dimension, which brought $3.25 for 3 inch and $9.25 for 8 inch; and about 250,000 Laying Cedar, which have been sold at $2.16. Long and Dimension Cedar shingles are saleable, but Cedar Laying are in heavy supply.

INCREASED STUMPAGE DUES.

The New Brunswick Government announced on December 4th its decision to increase the stumpage charge on timber cut within the province from the present rate of $1.00 a thousand feet board measure to $1.25, and to make a charge for renewal of leases of $8.00 a square mile instead of $4.00. The request to allow tops of trees to be removed without payment of stumpage is refused, but the request to make the stumpage uniform all over the province is granted. The lumbermen asked for a reduced rate for lumber cut on burnt districts and the Government replies that such cases will be dealt with individually on their merits. The new rate of $1.25 will be on spruce, pine, fir, and cedar, and proportionate on other timber. It will apply to the cut of the present season and the increased mileage charge will be enforced on all future renewal licenses. The Government declines to extend all present leases to twenty-five years in consideration of raising the stumpage dues.

MARKET FOR PIT PROPS.

Mr. P. D. Ball, of Birmingham, England, writes to the Toronto Globe as follows: I have been going through the colliery districts in England and Wales, and I find that the collieries have been buying their pit props from Norway, France, Spain and Portugal. I would like you to give this want as much publicity as possible, and ask the various people who are prepared to go into this matter to write me direct. I think that our spruce or small pine should fill this want. Of course, they would have to be tried to find out exactly the strength. The quantity used annually in the different districts would be about 2,000,000 tons, and this ought to be well worth looking into. The sizes would range from 4 feet to 9 feet long and diameter at top from 4½" to 9".

We understand that the creditors of James Harrison, lumber merchant, Burlington, Ont., have now been settled with, by a cash payment of 50 cents on the dollar to all unsecured and payment in full to secured claims, besides paying in addition all legal costs. He has opened up business again at Burlington, where his well equipped planing mill and yards should secure a good trade.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA TIMBER LAWS.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN)

The McBride Government is introducing some measures into the local legislature amongst which are several which will affect local lumber industries. Timber leases, for instance, will be obtained by public competition for a period of twenty-one years and subject to fifty cents a thousand feet royalty and twenty-five cents an acre rental. Where, however, a mill runs in connection therewith for six months in the year, and cuts 1000 feet per day for each and every 400 acres, this is reduced to fifteen cents rental per acre. For purposes of logging, special timber licenses will not be granted for more than 640 acres and for not more than five years at the following rates: One year, $160; two years, $320; three years, $480; four years, $640; and five years, $800. Provision is also made for a royalty of fifty cents a thousand board measurement and twenty-five cents a cord for wood.

Another clause makes provision for a tax on all timber cut in the province except that upon which a royalty is paid. The tax on grade one varies, according to length and diameter up to 24 inches, from $2 to $4. On grade two it varies from $1.50 to $3 a thousand, and on grade 3 from $1 to $2.50. For timber more than 24 inches in diameter and up to 48 inches there is an additional tax varying in the first grade from 20 cents to $1.50, on No. 2 from 15 cents to $1, and on No. 3 from 10 cents to 75 cents.

One clause provides for a rebate of everything over 50 cents a thousand on timber manufactured in the Province. This aims at the States lumbermen who have exploited British Columbia timber.

On poles, piles and curb timbers there is a tax of from 1 cent a foot to 2½ cents, and on piles of over 12 inches in diameter, from $2 to $4 a thousand. If manufactured in the Province this tax is also remitted except a quarter of a cent a foot. On shingle bolts there is likewise to be a tax of $1 a cord, with a rebate of 50 cents if manufactured in the province.

Timber licenses are made transferable and it is further suggested that the Crown shall have a lien on plant such as tow boats, engines, concentrators, etc., used in connection with the taking out of the timber on which a royalty or tax is reserved.

Lumbermen of British Columbia make objection to the proposal to raise the fee on special licenses, because they believe the alteration will seriously affect what is really a source of great returns to the Government, and in fact one of the largest sources of provincial revenues, yielding altogether some $288,000 per annum.

VANCOUVER, November 30th, 1903.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 407,238 ft. spruce deals, value $4,832, 17,289 ft. birch deals, value $1,-810. 65,598 ft. hemlock battens, value $376, 1,184 pcs. sleepers, value $343.

From Sorel, Que.: Str. Ovidia, for Great Britain, 176 standard deals, value $8,954, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co. Str. Hirunda, for Great Britain, 300 stds deals, value $6,689, by Tourville Lumber Mills Co.

From St. John, N.B.: Str. Helsingberg, for Belfast, 157,462 ft. deals and battens, 134,115 ft. scantlings, 34,693 ft. ends. Schr. Jos. Hay, for Bermuda, 100,000 laths, 7,000 ft. boards. Schr. Genevieve, for City Island, 176,774 ft. plank, 50,000 cedar shingles. Schr. Walter Miller, for Weymouth, 106,230 ft. boards, 10,000 ft. clapboards, 700,000 cedar shingles. Schr. A.P. Emerson, for Vineyard Haven, 100,-308 ft. spruce boards, 910,000 laths. Schr. Lake Champlain, for Liverpool, 259 tons birch timber, 1,075,257 ft. pine deals, 104,-373 ft. scantling, 4,855 ft. boards, 185,-524 ft. spruce deals, 6,680 ft. scantling, 127 ft. ends, 12,884 ft. boards. Str. Concordia, for Glasgow, 218,810 ft. spruce boards, 1,122 ft. scantling, 8,884 ft. ends, 171,241 ft. pine deals, 7,617 ft. ends. Str. Orinoca, for Bermuda, 14,819 ft. spruce boards, by A. Cushing & Co.; for St. Kitts, 50,000 shingles, by T. H. Eastabrooks; for Antigua, 20,000 shingles, by John Sealy; for Barbadoes, 165,000 shingles, by Intercolonial Railway; 60,000 shingles, by John Sealy; for Trinidad, 20,000 shingles, by John Sealy.

From Montreal: Str. Sardinian, for Glasgow, 5,517 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Ottoman, for Avonmouth, 14,076 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. Str. Parisian, for Liverpool, 1,-608 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 1,307 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Mount Temple, for London, 68,109 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 27,769 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 28,572 pcs. lumber, by W. & J. Sharples; 4,316 pcs. lunber, by McArthur Export Co.; 7,-201 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co.; 2,-523 pcs. lumber, by Montreal Lumber Co.; 560 bundles maple flooring, by Grand Trunk Railway; 3,739 pcs. spruce deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co. Str. Lord Londonderry, for Cardiff, 1,227 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 2,830 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 6,996 pcs. boards, 19,839 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 715 doors, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Hanseat, for Leith, 3,257 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 5,192 pcs. deals, 660 pcs. ends, by J. Burstall & Co.; 7,711 pcs deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Ontarian, for Glasgow, 1,269 pcs. deals, by D. Cream & Co.; 1,180 bundles maple flooring, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Str. Kildona, for London, 3,337 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 688 pcs. lumber, 385 pcs. pine, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Manchester Importer, for Manchester, 18,157 pcs. boards, 4,615 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 5,558 pcs. boards, 2,737 pcs. deals, by Imperial Lumber Co.; 2,312 pcs. ends, 8,439 pcs. deals and boards, by W. & J. Sharples; 7,605 pcs. boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 13,599 pcs. deals, 1,230 pcs. ends, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 13,315 bundles pickets, by McLean, Kennedy & Co.; 46 pcs. birch timber, by McLaurin Bros.; 2,222 bundles shooks, by Grand Trunk Railway. Str. Lakonia, for Glasgow, 5,597 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 22,396 pcs. deals, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 19,-704 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 7,-710 pcs. boards and ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 3,240 pcs. deals, 2,477 pcs. ends, by J. Burstall & Co.; 3,594 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 184 pcs. deals, by Grand Trunk Railway.

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H. C. and Gilbert Lawrence, of Southampton, N. S., have sold their timber lands, together with mill and lumbering equipment, to Frank Black.

It is reported that Alex. Lumsden, of Ottawa, has just sold to McLachin Bros., of Arnprior, a timber limit on the Kippewa River on which there is a large quantity of standing pine.

Another large deal in Canadian timber is announced. The Danaher & Melendy Company, of Detroit, is said to have acquired 200 square miles of cedar and spruce timber lands in the province of Quebec. The full particulars are not to hand at time of going to press.

The timber limits and mills of the Scottown Mills Company, in liquidation, was sold by auction at the court house, Sherbrooke, Que., on December 1st, to Peter Lyall, of Montreal, for the sum of $81,000. The limits comprise 87 sq uare miles in the townships of Chesham, Emberton, Ditton, and Hampden, and the mills are situated at Scotstown, N. B. It is thought that Mr. Lyall represented the Great Northern Lumber Company.

The Edmund Hall interests in Canada, comprising extensive timber limits, the mill and salt block at Sarnia, the camp headquarters at Nairn Centre, and the fleet of tugs and dredge plant, have been sold to J. J. McFadden, of Sault Ste. Marie, W. D. Lummis, of Toronto, and W. S. Bell, of Sudbury. The purchase price is said to be in the neighborhood of $840,000. It is the intention of the new proprietors to improve the saw mill and conduct the business on a more extensive scale than has been done in the past.

The Engel Lumber Company, of Grand Rapids, Mich., advise us that they have purchased the interest of J. H. Speer, of North Adams, Mich., and of the late D. M. Estey of Owosso, of the Engel-Speer Lumber Company, Grand Rapids, and the business of the same will be continued under the name of the Engel Lumber Company. They have also organized a new partnership concern at Hardgrove consisting of Frank Hardgrove and Date Forbes, of Hardgrove, and George Engel, of Grand Rapids, Mich., for the purpose of buying timber and logs and manufacturing the same. The main office of the new concern will be in Grand Rapids and will be known as the Hardgrove Lumber Company, which company is now erecting a new band mill at Hardgrove, Mich.

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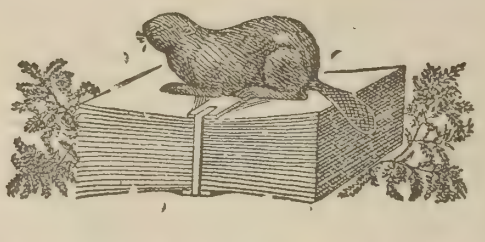

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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 0	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	48 00	1x6 & up	17 50
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No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	25 00	1x13 and up	21 00
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1¼x10 and 12	40 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1½ in	34 00		

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00	46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00	25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	18 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00	26 00
Common and culls	6 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00	21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00	13 00

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4/4"	x 4"/7" x 12/16'	Strips

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" " " "	8" up x 12/16'	Sidings

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CIRCULAR SAW FRAME, CARRIAGE WITH Track 3 Saw Edger, Slab Slasher with 5 Saws, Trimmers, Double Lath Mill, Shingle Mill, Endless Chain and Bullwheel, 4 Water Wheels, Shafting, Pulleys, Gears, Belting, Conveyor Chain, Giant Planer, Hashing Mill, Iron Turning Lathe. JOHN KNIGHT, Douglas, Ont.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Wintry weather has put a further check on the consumption of lumber. It has also caused the early closing of inland navigation and the shutting down of mills. Many mills in the Georgian Bay district have logs in the booms which under different cenditions would have been sawn this year. Altogether the lumber trade is quiet, but on all sides are heard expressions of satisfaction with the business of the year now drawing to a close. The Government timber sale last week proved conclusively that healthy conditions prevail in the lumber industry, and that the hewers of the forest do not anticipate a disastrous reaction in the industrial prosperity of this country. For a month or six weeks lumber is expected to move slowly, but as light stocks are carried by retail dealers and consumers, buying for the spring trade will probably commence early. Although yet too early to estimate the volume of building which will be done next year, it may be said that in Toronto present indications point to a very active season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Most of the mills in the Province of Quebec are now closed down and inventories of stocks of lumber in the yards show a reduction as compared with last year. Some contracting for British deals has been done and the prices obtained were in some cases higher than for similar stock one year ago. There continues to be a good demand for spruce lumber for shipment to the Eastern States. Clapboards are slightly higher, extras being held at $44 and clears at $42, Boston delivery. There is no particular change in New Brunswick cedar shingles, which range from $3.35 to $3.45 for extras.

UNITED STATES.

There is a natural decline in the call for lumber. The East has been buying with some liberality, but in the Northern and Western States the movement is light. The pine market is strong, however, with prospects of a continuation of firmness throughout the winter months. The re-adjustment of prices has apparently been completed. Box and other low grade lumber is about one dollar higher than at the same time last year, while common lumber is selling one dollar less and the price of the best grades is off about two dollars per thousand. In the Lake Superior district a very hopeful feeling prevails. The feature of the situation is the large amount of No. 4 and No. 5 boards that have been sold to be cut next season. No. 4 boards are bringing $12.00 a thousand, as compared with $10.50 last year. Advance sales of No. 5 boards have also been considered at $6.50 to $7.00 per thousand, as compared with $5.00 and $5.50 last year. The stock of low grade pine is almost cleaned up. The supply of shop lumber has been reduced on account of a more active demand recently for that lumber than for other grades. Buffalo reports a very fair trade, most of the orders now placed being for January shipment. There is less activity among the hardwoods and a consequent softening of prices at some points. Quartered oak has suffered to the extent of about $2.00 per thousand, but is still in good demand. Stocks are low and inquiries are sufficient to create the hope of an active trade in the near future. There is no increase in the demand for lath and shingles. Good white pine lath are steady in price but mixed are offered at concessions.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Messrs. Foy, Morgan & Company's Abstract of Stock, Consumption, etc., shows that at the end of November the stock of deals and battens in the public docks at London, England, was 8,898,970 pieces, as compared with 9,339,754 pieces one year ago. The duration of supply at the present rate of consumption is given as 6.53 months, as against 5.96 months a year ago. It will thus be seen that although there is a lighter stock the supply will be sufficient for a longer period, this being due to lessened consumption. In 1902 the monthly consumption was 1,276,959 pieces, while this year it is placed at 1,074,092 pieces. Deliveries from the public yards have fallen off considerably of late and some reports state that the price of pine deals and sidings is weaker. There is no doubt that the high prices have curtailed the consumption. Spruce is ever firmer than pine. There is a healthy market for square and waney pine timber, the bulk of late receipts having been sold before arrival. First-class elm timber sells quickly.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

McLaughlin Bros. are engaged in logging operations at Chipman, N.B.

The steamer Thrift is loading a cargo of deals at Pugwash, N.S., for the west coast of England.

E. Marceau, Superintending Engineer Quebec Canals, wants tenders by December 18th for supply of timber and lumber.

The schooner Baden Powell is loading a cargo of lumber at Halifax, N.S., for the West Indies, shipped by C.F. Longley & Company.

E.F. Farquier is advertising for 100,000 ties to be delivered along the route of the Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool Railway during the present winter.

It is reported that Bradley, Miller & Company, of Bay City, Mich., have bought a large block of lumber cut at Sarnia the past season by the Edmund Hall mill.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa are asking for tenders up to January 6th for a permit to cut timber on Berth No. 1116, in Township 3, Range 9, Province of Manitoba, containing an area of 4 square miles.

D. S. Pratt, of Midland, Ont,, is taking out a good stock of logs this winter. He expects to have 2,000,000 feet of mixed hardwoods, mostly maple and basswood. He is also cutting a stock of 5,000,000 cedar shingles. His mill is now running, so the stock will be ready for the spring trade.

The Harbor Commissioners of Montreal have accepted the following tenders for supply of timber and planks: Hemlock face, Shearer & Brown; round pine and flat pine, J.L.B. Leclair; pine face, Mason, Gordon & Co.; pine coping, Shearer & Brown; pine piles and elm piles, J. L. B. Leclair; elm planks, Shearer & Brown; maple planks, J.L.B. Leclair; pine, hemlock and spruce planks, E. Chausse.

Contracts for the supply of lumber for the city of Toronto have been placed with the following firms: Planks, Reid & Company, $18.79 per M; boards, $17.97; pine scantling, 4x4, $18.79; cedar, 4x4, Arthur Bryce, $18.50; pine or cedar curb, 4 x 10, $19.50; pine lumber, Arthur Bryce, $21 per M; hemlock lumber, Reid & Company, $15.97; pine timber, 12 x 12, Arthur Bryce, twelve feet long, $20; 16 feet long, $20; 20 feet long, $21; 24 feet long, $23; hemlock timber, 12x12, Arthur Bryce, 12 feet long, $16; 16 feet long, $16; 20 feet long, $17; 24 feet long, $18.

TO HOLDERS OF BIRCH LIMITS.

Can you cut birch into Squares,&c. We can also take birch cut on the sweep with a jigger or small band saw. Large quantities required. Write in first instance to "Finance, "c/o CANADA LUMBERMAN.

GREATEST TIMBER SALE ON RECORD.

The sale of timber limits held by the Ontario Government on December 9th was the most successful on record. The receipts were far in excess of any previous sale and much greater than were expected. The attendance of lumbermen was also the largest ever known and the bidding was quite spirited. Altogether 826½ square miles were disposed of, the receipts being $3,687,337.50, or an average price of $4,461.38 per square mile. This compares with the highest previous average of $3,657.18 reached at the sale of 1892. The record for the highest price per mile was also made, when Mr. T. Mackie, M.P., paid at the rate of $31,500 per mile for 3¼ square miles comprising Berth No.5 in the Township of Hammell, Nipissing District. The previous high price was $17,500, which was paid by the Gilmour Company in 1892.

The purchasers of berths in the Nipissing and Algoma districts are allowed to cut the red and white pine only, while in the Rainy River district the purchasers are entitled to cut the pine, spruce, cedar, tamarac, and poplar, except as to Berths G19, G21, G23, G29 and G38, on which red and white pine only can be cut. The stumpage dues on all the pine timber is fixed at $2 per thousand feet.

Several transfers of claims have been made since the sale. These are recognized in the details of the result which follow :

TOWNSHIP OF HUTTON.

Berth 1—8½ sq. miles, $4,500 per mile, A. T. Mackie, Pembroke, total $38,-250. Berth 2 — 8¼ sq. miles, Duncan Graham, Renfrew, $2,000 per mile, $16,-500. Berth 3 —8½ sq. miles, J. C. Spry, Chicago, 5,400 per mile, total $45,900. Berth 4 —8¾ sq. miles, Dr. Spohn, Penetanguishene, $1,500 per mile, total $13,-125.

TOWNSHIP OF CREELMAN.

Berth 1—8½ sq. miles, C. Beck, Penetanguishene, $5,000 per mile, total $42,500. Berth 2 — 8¾ sq. miles. C. Beck, $6000 per mile, total $52,500. Berth 3.—8¾ sq. miles, Wm. Ryan, North Bay, $500 per mile, total $4,375. Berth 4 — 8½ sq. miles, C. Beck, $4,000 per mile, total $34,-000.

TOWNSHIP ON PARKIN.

Berth 1—8¼ sq. miles, D. Inglis Grant, Orillia, $2,900 per mile, total $23,925. Berth 2—8¼ sq. miles, D. Inglis Grant, $3,500 per mile, total $28,875. Berth 3—8¾ sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $350 per mile, total $3,062.50. Berth 4—9½ sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $2,000 per mile, total $19,000.

TOWNSHIP OF AYLMER.

Berth 1—8¾ sq. miles, W. J. Sheppard, $7,000 per mile, total $61,250. Berth 2—8½ sq. miles, W. J. Sheppard, $4,000 per mile, total $34,000. Berth 3—9 sq. miles, W.J. Sheppard, $6,250 per mile, total $56,-250. Berth 4—8¼ sq. miles, C.G. Marlatt, Toronto, $10,250 per mile, total $84,562.50.

TOWNSHIP OF MACKELCAN.

Berth 1—8 sq. miles, C.G. Marlatt, $10,-250 per mile, total $82,000. Berth 2—8½ sq. miles, D. Inglis Grant, $1,100 per mile, total $9,350. Berth 3—8¼ sq. miles, W.J. Sheppard, $4,000 per mile, total $33,000. Berth 4—8 sq. miles, C. Beck, $1,700 per mile, total $13,600.

TOWNSHIP OF MCCARTHY.

Berth 1—7½ sq. miles, W. J. Sheppard, $14,000 per mile, total $105,000. Berth 2—8¾ sq. miles, C. Beck, $7,000 per mile. total $61,250. Berth 3—8¾ sq. miles, C.G. Marlatt, $9,000 per mile, total $78,750. Berth 4—10¾ sq. miles, C. Beck, $10,500 per mile, total $112,875.

TOWNSHIP OF MERRICK.

Berth 1—4 sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $1,200 per mile, total $4,800. Berth 2—4 sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $3,700 per mile, total $14,800. Berth 3—4¼ sq. miles, D. Inglis Grant, $4,100 per mile, total $17,425. Berth 4—4 sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $3,700 per mile, total $14,800. Berth 5—4 sq. miles, C. Beck, $6,000 per mile, total $24,000. Berth 6—4¼ sq. miles, Thomas Mackie, $8,000 per mile, total $34,000. Berth 7—4 sq. miles, T. G. Brigham, Ottawa, $6,100 per mile, total $24,400. Berth 8—4 sq. miles, Thomas Mackie, $10,000 per mile, total $40,000. Berth 9—4¼ sq. miles, Arthur Hill, Saginaw, $7,250 per mile, total $30,-812.50.

TOWNSHIPS OF MULOCH AND FRENCH.

Berth 1—5½ sq. miles, Dr. Spohn, $900 per mile, total $4,950.

TOWNSHIP OF MULOCK.

Berth 2—6½ sq. miles, Dr. Spohn, $1,-500 per mile, total $9,750. Berth 3—3¼ sq. miles, Herbert Brennan, $900 per mile, total $2,925. Berth 4—4 sq. miles, M. Brennan & Sons, $1,100 per mile, total $4,400. Berth 5—4 sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $3,600 per mile, total $14,400. Berth 6—4 sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $4,600 per mile, total $18,400. Berth 7—4¼ sq. miles, Duncan Graham, $4,750 per mile, total $20,187.50.

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TOWNSHIP OF LOCKHART.

Berth 1—5¼ sq. miles, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, $5,600 per mile, total $29,400. Berth 2—3¾ sq. miles, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, $5,300 per mile, total $19,875. Berth 3—3¾ sq. miles, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, $3,700 per mile, total $13,875. Berth 4—4 sq. miles, James Playfair, Midland, $5,250 per mile, total $21,000. Berth 5—3½ sq. miles, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, $8,500 per mile, total $29,750. Berth 6—3¾ sq. miles, W. F. Munro, Pembroke, $5,600 per mile, total $21,000. Berth 7—3¼ sq. miles, J.B. Fraser, Ottawa, $7,250 per mile, total $23,562.50. Berth 8—4 sq. miles, A. McPherson, Longford, $11,750 per mile, total $47,000.

TOWNSHIP OF GARROW.

Berth 1—5½ sq. miles, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, $21,500 per mile, total $118,250. Berth 2—5¾ sq. miles, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, $22,000 per mile, total $126,500. Berth 3—5¼ sq. miles, W. F. Munro, Pembroke, $12,500 per mile, total $65,625. Berth 4—11 sq. miles, L. C. Dancey, $14,500 per mile, total $159,500.

TOWNSHIP OF OSBORNE.

Berth 1—5½ sq. miles, A. McPherson, $6,250 per mile, total $34,375. Berth 2—8 sq. miles, E. S. Brennan, Hamilton, $1,250 per mile, total $10,000. Berth 3—5½ sq. miles, James McCreary, Arnprior, $3,000 per mile, total $16,500. Berth 4—5¾ sq. miles, R. Bunyan, North Bay, $1,300 per mile, total $7,475. Berth 5—5¾ sq. miles, R. Bunyan, $1,200 per mile, total $6,900.

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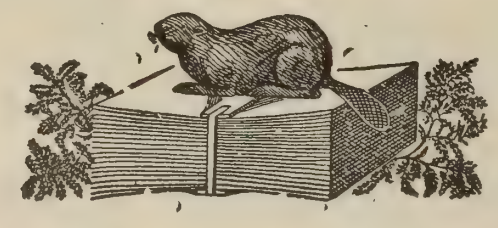

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1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10
No. 2	35	45	1x8
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12
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10-in. dressing and better	30	32	
10-in. common		25	
12-in. dressing and better	40	40	
Common, 1x12		25	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	31	
1x10	23	20	
1x8	23	26	
No. 2 barn, 1x12		24	
1x10	28	27	
1x8	20	24	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	42	
" " 2 inch		45	
Dressing	26	27	
Common		25	

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Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 13

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Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25
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3 in.	70	00	No. 2, 12 in. 26 00
4 in.	75	00	No. 3, 10 in. 20 00
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Dressing 1¼ in.	36	00	1x13 and up 21 00
1¼x10 and 12	40	00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in. 19 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 25 00 27 00
			Com. & good culls 13 00 15 00

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Common and culls	6 00	18 00	Common and culls 16 00 18 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber business could not be otherwise than quiet at this holiday season. Salesmen are off the road and no person is putting forth much effort to book orders. Inventories will receive the greatest share of attention during the next two weeks. From the conflicting reports which are heard regarding prices it is difficult to make a logical deduction. In some quarters it is claimed that certain grades of pine are being offered at a reduction, while manufacturers contend that the market is as firm as ever. If any concessions are being made they are probably confined to isolated cases where the supply of a certain grade is comparatively heavy and the holder is anxious to even up his stock before the severe winter weather sets in. The lower and upper qualities of pine continue to be in the greater favor, the intermediate grades being quite inactive. Hemlock is somewhat neglected on account of the partial cessation of building operations, but some enquiries concerning

stocks for spring delivery are reported. There is no question as to the firmness of hardwoods. The knowledge of a light input of logs this winter has encouraged manufacturers to adhere closely to the prices which they have been asking, and unless the buyer is prepared to pay them a sale seldom results.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce situation is as strong as at last writing, although the demand is quieter. Frames for prompt delivery are selling above the list price, and as yards are carrying small stocks, it is probable that the dull season will be passed without any fall in prices. New York reports a scarcity of spruce and local mill men are receiving many inquiries for stock for shipment to that market. Contracting for the British market has not yet commenced to any extent, as shippers are not disposed to pay the higher prices asked in many instances. The season has been favorable for logging operations and good progress has been made, especially on the north shore of New Brunswick.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Board of Trade returns show that during the first eleven months of this year the import of sawn lumber into the United Kingdom was about 4,000,000 feet less than the corresponding period in 1902. This is a very slight decrease, and in view of the curtailed consumption the stock will likely be found to be more than ample to supply the winter and early spring demand. House building is quiet even for this season of the year. Representatives of Quebec shippers have, it is understood, closed a few small contracts, but business is by no means active. The increased price paid for the Ottawa deal production is the subject of general comment and the opinion seems to be that the better grades of pine deals in the hands of dealers must be advanced to a corresponding extent. On this subject the Liverpool correspondent of the Timber Trades Journal says: "The pine season is over, and it finds us with light stocks, upon which we must congratulate the happy holders. Buyers up the country who have not yet realized what we have already pointed out in these columns will find themselves left. They have not realized the fact that the Canadian pine production does not depend upon this country alone, as many of them seem to believe. They have never realized the enormous wants, not of the Dominion alone, which are ever growing, but the demand from the United States, who are huge buyers of pine deals, etc. The prices of the present day may appear unduly high to the old-fashioned buyer, but he has not awakened to the changed condition, and the sooner he is aroused the better it will be for him."

UNITED STATES.

According to the Construction News permits were taken out in November in twenty-one of the leading cities of the United States for 6,282 buildings, aggregating $24,619,447 in value, against 5,486 buildings costing $19,689,788 for the corresponding months of 1902. This represents a gain of 25 per cent. and is a very satisfactory showing. Based on this report and on an improvement in general business, the lumbermen are taking a more roseate view of the coming year than they were one month ago. The Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association met on December 10th and decided to reaffirm the white pine list of September 14 except in so far as it affects lath. There was a strong sentiment in favor of advancing certain items on the list and it was shown that stocks in the hands of manufacturers are short as compared with 1902. There has been such a demand for box lumber that the sawing of dimension has been neglected and consequently the supply is very light. A Chicago house is reported to have lately sold several lots of box lumber at prices 15 to 20 cents a thousand higher than those which had previously prevailed. The supply of norway pine is also limited, but the demand of late has fallen off. At Tonawanda and Buffalo shaky clear is said to be short and quoted from $35.00 to $50.00, according to quality and width. Hardwood prices are being well maintained. Basswood is more plentiful and the Chicago price ranges from $33.00 to $34.00 for first and second, $23.00 to $24.00 for common, and $15.00 to $15.50 for culls. Log run inch soft elm brings $21.00 to $22.00 and common and better about $26.00 in carload lots.

Lath prices are weak. The Wisconsin manufacturers by a unanimous vote decided to list lath as follows: No. 1 white pine, $3.00; No. 1 mixed, $2.50; No. 2, $2.00. No. 1 is relatively firmer than the other grades and a few orders are reported at $3.10 on a Chicago basis.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Goderich Organ Company, of Goderich, Ont., are in the market for 1,000,000 feet of hardwood lumber.

It is stated that the logs cut this winter in the vicinity of Bonny River, N.B., will be about 8,000,000 feet.

The barque Enterprise has sailed from Bear River, N.S., for Buenos Ayres, with lumber, shipped by Clarke Bros.

The St. Martins Railway, of St. Martins, N.B., has given out a contract for 15,000 ties to be taken out this winter.

The oak, elm and basswood timber on Kettle Point, Ont., amounting to about 500,000 feet, was sold by public auction last week to the Sutherland-Innes Company, of Chatham, for $1,500.

It is reported that the Canadian Pacific Railway have placed a contract with a Washington mill for 2,500,000 feet of lumber.

The Dyment, Butterfield Company, of Barrie, Ont., have purchased a small timber limit and intend operating this winter between Powassan and Trout Creek.

J. Carew, of Lindsay, Ont., who has acquired the Gilmour Company's old limits in Harvey and Cavendish townships, is taking a large stock of logs this winter.

In Michigan millmen are paying farmers the following prices for small lots of logs: Soft elm, $18 a thousand; basswood, $18; rock elm and ash, $12; maple and beech, $10; oak, $10 to $25.

Merrill & Ring, of Duluth, Minn., sold last week several lots of No. 3 and better pine, in all about 8,000,000 feet. Prices are said to have been about the same as have ruled during the fall months.

A. D. Crosbie & Company, of Halifax, N.S., were the purchasers of the cargo of spruce lumber discharged from the barque Albertina which put into Halifax dismasted on a voyage from Anapolis to a South American port.

It is learned that the importations of lumber into Manitoba during the year ended July 1, 1903, were 44,000,000 feet. There were received from British Columbia 92,000,000 feet and from Eastern Ontario 100,000,000 feet.

Navigation statistics for the season just closed show that the lumber passing through the Lachine canal reached an aggregate of 172,485,018 feet, as compared with 144,896,237 feet in 1902, an increase of 27,588,781 feet.

The cooperage trade has settled down to a more steady basis. First-class stack staves are scarce. Flour barrels are still at top prices, 40 and 42½ cents for 6 and 8 hooped. Heading is very strong but hoops are easy. In tight work stock is so scarce that tierces are quoted at $1.75, with pork barrels $1.50.

Current prices of Canadian lumber are quoted by Farnworth & Jardine, London, Eng., as follows:

	£	s	d		£	s	d
QUEBEC WHITE PINE TIMBER.							
Square, per cu. ft.	0	1	8	@	0	2	10
Waney, per cu. ft.	0	2	6	@	0	3	6
St. John, 18 in., per cu ft.	0	2	6	@	0	3	3
Dalhousie, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	3	@	0	1	8
Red Pine, per cu ft.	0	1	7	@	0	1	10
Oak—1st quality, per cu. ft.	0	2	9	@	0	3	4
2nd quality, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	6
Elm, per cu. ft.	0	2	9	@	0	3	6
Ash, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	3
Birch, St. John, per cu. ft.	0	1	5	@	0	1	10
Quebec, per cu. ft.	0	1	5	@	0	2	0
Nova Scotia, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	2	@	0	1	6
Birch Planks, per cu. ft.	0	0	9	@	0	0	10
Spruce Spars, per cu. ft.	0	0	10	@	0	1	0
QUEBEC PINE DEALS.							
1st quality, per std.	22	10	0	@	31	0	0
2nd quality, per std.	17	0	0	@	22	0	0
3rd quality, per std.	11	10	0	@	12	15	0
SPRUCE DEALS.							
St John, etc., per std	7	12	6	@	7	17	6
Nova Scotia, etc., per std.	7	5	0	@	7	12	6
Boards, Spruce, etc, per std.	6	0	10	@	6	5	0
Oars, Ash, per running foot	0	0	3	@	0	0	5

THE NEW BRITISH COLUMBIA LAWS.

The radical changes in the British Columbia timber laws are still the topic of much discussion. The new act meets with favor in some quarters, while in others it is characterized as unfair. A deputation of men interested in logging limits claim that the act does not suit them. They called upon the government with a view of having the license fee reduced, but this opinion is said to be held only by those who are not operating, but who desire to speculate in the limits. The act is aimed at the American mill men pure and simple. The government official who formulated the act for the government stated to the press that his object was to make the American pay for the privilege of cutting logs in Canada and taking them out of the country. A deputation from the Shingle and Lumber Manufacturers' Association called on the Government and after going over the act with the members of the cabinet, it is said, expressed themselves as satisfied with the objects of the bill, which was to prevent speculation and compel those who leased or secured timber under license to operate.

MIRAMICHI LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The shipments of spruce deals, etc., from Miramichi, N.B., for the season of 1903 were as follows:—F. E. Neale, per Frank Harrison & Co., 36 million ft.; J.B. Snowball Co., Limited, 23 million ft.; D. & J. Ritchie & Co., 10 million ft.; E. Hutchison, 9 million ft.; A. F. Bentley, 8 million ft.; W. Malcolm McKay, 6 million ft.; Geo. Burchill & Sons, 4½ million ft.; Damery & McDonald, 3½ million ft.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

[Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.]

The recent big sale of Ontario Government limits was naturally enough discussed at length in Ottawa district timber circles. Opinions on the results differ. One well informed operator said the buyers should be able to realize all they had invested. The high water mark, in his opinion, was placed on lumber values by the prices paid at the sale, a fact which should have a tendency to maintain the prices asked for the manufactured article. A Michigan lumberman who was in the city last week informed the local man that the supply of white pine in Wisconsin and Michigan is for all practical purposes exhausted. The moral drawn from this is that Ottawa district prices should continue high, for the reason that the manufactured stuff will no longer have to bear the competition of the product of the Western States in the English, American and South American markets. Despite the higher freight rates, the stuff from the Western States was wont to cut a big swath when brought into competition with the Ottawa district article in the markets mentioned.

Reverting to the prices going at the Toronto sale, however, it may be stated that some of the local operators are of the opinion that the figures paid were not justified by the quantity and quality of the timber purchased. "Of course it's nothing out of my pocket," said one local lumber baron, "but I really believe some of the purchasers were carried away by the excitement of the moment and would not pay the same money if they had another chance. A lot of us who knew the country thoroughly just sat and looked on."

Reports received in Ottawa from the limits go to show that the work of log-making is progressing fairly well, but the cut will not be as large as in former years. The work of log hauling is behind, however, for the reason that it has been impossible to get the teams in, many of the larger lakes not having frozen over. December's exceptionally cold weather is worrying the lumbermen considerably, as they believe it presages an early break-up in the spring, thus shortening the time for hauling.

The MacLaren Company's shingle mill at Buckingham, which closed down a couple of months ago, has started up again and will probably run all winter. There is an active demand for shingles.

Careful inquiry seems to establish the fact that all the deals at the Ottawa district mills have not yet been sold. It is likely, however, that they will all be disposed of at the ten per cent. advance at which the earlier sales were made.

The movement of manufactured lumber from Ottawa is slack at present and prices show no change. With the new year, however, business is expected to pick up.

OTTAWA, December 19th, 1903.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells' last monthly timber circular contains the following reference to Canadian lumber :

While business during the month has not shown special activity, still there have been quite a number of important lines of goods disposed of at prices which on the whole may be said to be well maintained. If there is weakness anywhere it is perhaps more evident in first quality pine deals and sidings, recent transactions indicating some such tendency, and it has come as a surprise to the trade, the news that 10 per cent. over last year's prices has already been paid for next season's delivery. Nowadays, Canadian pine has more opposition to face in the shape of kauri, Californian redwood, poplar, &c., and whether prices can be forced up much higher than they are at present is a moot point; certainly another advance will still further restrict the consumption in this market. The import of spruce during the past month or two has been considerable, and stocks in hand are now heavy, but prices are wonderfully well maintained notwithstanding.

WHITE OR YELLOW PINE.—The imports during the month totalled 2150 loads, comprising 1700 loads waney and 450 loads square white pine, the bulk of which was on contract and sold before arrival to the shipbuilders. The demand has been quiet, and there have been no sales of any importance. Stocks of first quality are low, but second class is more plentiful, and slow to move.

RED PINE—There has been an import of 74 loads, and the deliveries have been on the usual small scale. The stock is moderate and sufficient for all requirements.

OAK—The import consists of 300 loads from Quebec and about 200 loads from the Southern States. The demand continues quiet, and the deliveries from the ponds are of a retail character.

ELM—The import amounts to about 200 loads. There have been a number of enquiries during the month, and a few good lines have been placed at fair prices. While the stock in the aggregate is heavy the stock of really good 900-feet wood is low.

QUEBEC BIRCH—The import for November has been about 250 loads, most of which went into store owing to the very slack demand ruling at present. The stock on hand is quite ample for prospective requirements for some time to come. the furniture trade unfortunately showing no signs of revival.

In Lower Port birch there is very little doing and quotations are merely nominal around about 17d. for 15-inch average. The stock on hand is considerable.

ASH—The import continues on a small scale, and it is well that this is so, as the demand is of the most languid description imaginable. There are logs in store which have been there for not less than three years, and they must entail a heavy loss to the importer when finally disposed of. In American round ash, the stock is large and more than sufficient for the small demand existing.

DEALS, &C.—A dull feeling has characterized business during the month, and the deliveries from the public yards have fallen off considerably. Prices of pine deals, though nominally unaltered, have a downward tendency, and sidings, owing to the heavy imports, are easier. Current values are as under : Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24; second pine deals, 11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third pine deals, 11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals, 9 and 11 inch, £11 10s. to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10. First pine sidings, 9 and 10 inch, £24 to £25; 11 to 12 inch, £25 to £26; 13 to 14 inch, £28 to £29. Spruce deals, 9-inch and up, £8 15s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8-inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower Port pine spruce, 7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s.; 9-inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 15s.

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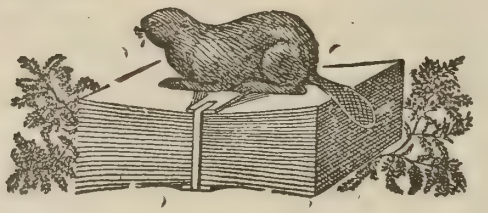

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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¾, 1¼ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
4x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50	17 50
4x10 common	18 50	19 00
4x12 common	21 00	22 00
5x10 common	19 00	20 00
5x12 common	21 00	23 00
8x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
1 inch strips, common	17 50	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
1¼ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 75
X white pine shingles		1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in.		2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00	$34 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	25 00	27 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	26 00	29 00
Ash M. R., 1 to 2	21 00	23 00
Birch M. R. 1 in.	19 00	21 00
" 1½ " 2	22 00	24 00
" squrs. 4x4 " 8x8	25 00	26 00
Basswood Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	25 00	26 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 in. M. R. 1	23 00	24 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½ 60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 00	22 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00	26 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	26 00	28 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	32 00	37 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 21 00	23 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2	" 24 00	26 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 34 00	36 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 37 00	39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 39 00	41 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 44 00	48 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 2 00 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1	" 3 85 00	100 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.		5 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	4 00
Pine, No 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 1" to 16'	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16 00	19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		16 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		17 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 75	3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 20
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25	2 40
XX, 18 inch	1 25	1 5
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 5
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
" " 19 to 21 inch average " "	58	65
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	55	60

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	17	22
15 " "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	60 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	$29 to 30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 25

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 00	No. 2 White Pine	50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24	25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common		25
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	40	40
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		25
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	20
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	26
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12		24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10	23	27
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	24
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	42
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 13

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
4 in.	75 00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	48 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	48 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	24 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	24 00	No. 2, 1 in.	38 00
No. 2, 1 in.	38 00	No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	2 in.	36 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	36 00	Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00	1¼x10 and 12.	34 00
1¼x10 and 12.	34 00	1½ in. and 2 in.	15 00
1½ in. and 2 in.	15 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Box, 1x4	15 00	1x6 & up.	17 50
1x6 & up.	17 50	1x10	18 50
1x10	18 50	1x12	20 00
1x12	20 00	1x13 and up	21 00
1x13 and up	21 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00	Strips	23 00
Strips	23 00	Com. and culls	18 00
Com. and culls	18 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00	46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00	25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00	26 00
Common and culls	6 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00	21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	13 00	3 00

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WANTED

To Correspond with Manufacturers of Hardwood Lumber. with a view of purchasing 1904 Cut.

We also want few cars of Ash and Basswood for immediate shipment.

HURDMAN & ELMITT,
Ottawa, Ont.

FOR SALE.

30 H. P. STATIONARY ENGINE AND Boiler in first class running order, also Combined Lath Mill and Bolter, daily capacity 50 M. Apply Box 93 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

Timber For Sale

3000 White Pine Logs near Cartier Station, C.P.R. main line, with first class piling ground, suitable for Portable Mill. About 5000 White Pine Logs in Booms at mouth of Spanish River, and about 3000 Acres of good Timber, very nearly all White Pine. PINE LUMBER COMPANY Cartier, Ont.

FOR SALE

Timber Berth in Parry Sound District. Area 13 square miles. Estimate eighteen million feet Hemlock, eight million feet Birch, eight million feet Oak, Basswood, Elm and Cedar. Fifteen thousand cords Hemlock Bark, large quantity of Spruce Pulpwood, some scattering Pine. Four miles to barge landing on Lake Nipissing. Apply Box 88, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WANTED—TWO CAR LOADS OF 1" OR 1½" Beech, log run. UNITED FACTORIES, LIMITED, Newmarket, Ont.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO CARS 1¼" DRY Maple, Beech or Birch for factory flooring. LAKING, PATTERSON & CO., Hamilton, Ont.

FROM 20 TO 50 MILLION OF WHITE PINE for Sale in Algoma For particulars address Box 65 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—CEDAR POSTS AND 2" AND 3" Tamarac for next winter's delivery. Dry hardwood lumber for immediate shipment. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton, Ont.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WE WANT A GOOD MAN WITH A GOOD Mill, about 20 M capacity or more, with Lath Mill, to contract for three or more seasons' sawing in New Ontario, good mill site provided. Address "Mill Site," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

STEAM SAW AND PLANING MILL, GOOD opening for live man. Mills adjoining railway yard. Address Box 22 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—MACHINERY FOR A STEAM Power Saw Mill, Single Circular or Single Band, Steam Feed, with Lath Mill complete. Must be up-to-date in every particular, either new or almost new. Give full description with price. Address "Complete," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

BERTH NO. 3 SITUATED ON THE SOUTH-WEST corner of the township of Creelman, comprising lots number 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in the first, second and third concessions; good location, Vermillion river running through centre. For terms and particulars apply to W. RYAN, North Bay.

MACHINERY FOR SALE

1 Large 4 Sided Sticker; 1 10" Buzz Planer; 2 Improved Mortisers; 1 24" Surface Planer; 1 Cowan Matcher; 1 Band Saw; 1 Shaper; 1 Turning Lathe; 1 Jig Saw Machine; 1 Tenon Machine for doors and windows; 1 Tenon Machine for blinds; 1 Mortiser for blinds; 1 Staple Driver for blinds; 2 Saw Tables. A. H. CUMMINGS & SON, Coaticook, Que.

FOR SALE

White Pine Good Dressing:

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6'/11' Shorts
" " " " x 4"/7" x 12/18' Strips
" " " " x 8" up x 12/18' Sidings

Common White Pine :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 8" up x 12/18' Sidings

White Pine Mill Run, Box Out :

4/4" x 8" x 12/16' Stock

White Pine Shipping Cull :

4/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 4"/7" x 12/16' Strips

White Pine No. 1 Mill Culls :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
" " " " 4/7" 12/16' Strips
" " " " 8" up x 12/16' Sidings

Write for particulars and quotations

A. F. BURY AUSTIN,
Wholesale Lumber & Timber Merchant,
Montreal.

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH PARties having Pine and Hemlock Timber Land for sale or exchange. One hundred to five hundred acres. Address Box 76 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

POSITION WANTED

AS LUMBER INSPECTOR AND BUYER. Long experience, and can give satisfactory testimonials and security if required. Address Box 184, Seaforth, Ont.

WANTED

A GOOD SECOND-HAND ALLIGATOR. Apply, stating length, age, etc., to RIORDON PAPER MILLS, Limited, Wood Supply Department, Hawkesbury, Ont.

WANTED—10 CAR LOADS OF COMMON and Better White Winter Cut Basswood, cut 1½" from the saw or good plump 1" when dry; will take it 3" wide and up, 3 ft. long and up; can ship in car lots from any part of Ontario or Quebec. Address Box 84, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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COMPETENT LUMBER SALESMAN WHO is posted on the territory in Eastern Ontario, to sell Southern and Northern Hardwood, also Hemlock, Pine and B.C. Shingles. Give age, experience, salary expected. Address "Travelling Men," care of CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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7,000 ACRES OF TIMBER LAND IN East Kootenay, B. C.; white pine, cedar and tamarac. For reports, map and further particulars, address MCDERMID & MCHARDY, Mining and Real Estate Investments, Nelson, B. C.

FOR SALE

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TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION feet of good sound healthy timber. About 10 million white pine, 80 million cedar; balance hemlock. For particulars apply to P. J. GALLAGHER, Rossbery, B. C.

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CIRCULAR SAW FRAME, CARRIAGE WITH Track. 3 Saw Edger, Slab Slasher with 5 Saws, Trimmers, Double Lath Mill, Shingle Mill, Endless Chain and Bullwheel. 4 Water Wheels, Shafting, Pulleys, Gears, Belting, Conveyor Chain, Giant Planer, Hashing Mill, Iron Turning Lathe. JOHN KNIGHT, Douglas, Ont.

FOR SALE

And partly piled in my yard in Guelph for quick shipments :

125,000 feet 1 to 2" Quartered White Oak, First and Second.
70,000 feet 1 to 2" Quartered White Oak, Common.
58,000 feet 1 to 2" Quartered Red Oak, First and Second.
45,000 1 to 2" Quartered Red Oak, Common.
350,000 feet 1 to 2" Plain Red Oak.
600,000 feet 1 to 3" Cypress, First and Second, Select and Common.
300,000 1" Cottonwood Boxboard, 13 to 17".
200,000 feet 1" Gum Boxboard, 13 to 17".
Whitewood Squares, also Boards.
8 Cars 1" Hard Maple, Mill Run. Dead Culls out.
2 Cars 2" Hard Maple, Mill Run, Dead Culls out.
5 Cars 2" Birch, Common and Better.
3 Cars 3" Birch, First and Second.
Also all dimensions of Hemlock.
All this stock is mostly dry or in good shipping condition.
Write for particulars to

ROBERT STEWART,
Guelph, Ont.

FOR SALE—TEN SETS OF HEAVY LOG and one set of Tank Sleighs, almost new. Lumber would be taken in payment. A. H EBERT, Wiarton, Ont.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

WANTED—HARDWOOD LUMBER: HARD and Soft Maple, Birch, Soft Elm. Basswood and Brown Ash, for next spring delivery: log run or graded. AUGER & SON, Quebec.

WANTED

Large number of Round Piles, for dock work, in Spruce, Pine, Tamarac or Hemlock, 45 feet long, not less than 16 inches at butt end, and 10 inches at top. Address, RANDOLPH MACDONALD, Contractor, Three Rivers, Que.

AGENCY WANTED

We want exclusive sale of Hardwood Flooring and Spruce Sheathing (in car lots) and Doors for some Quebec or Ontario firm who are not now represented in the Maritime Provinces. Write prices and commissions. Box 113, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The close of the year finds Ontario lumber in a strong position. Notwithstanding the activity in manufacturing, millmen have been able to dispose of a very large percentage of their cut and are carrying light stocks in their yards. Box lumber, mill culls and dead culls in pine have passed out of manufacturers' hands almost entirely, and it would be difficult to find a large block of any of these grades. The supply of dressing and better, which has sold more slowly during the fall months, is somewhat larger but not above an average stock. An Ottawa valley manufacturer reports that he has sold all his lumber and anticipates higher prices during the coming year. Conditions in the hardwood trade are equally favorable. Earlier in the season it was feared that there might be a large stock of hardwood logs taken out, but later reports show that a conservative policy is being pursued. We look for hardwood prices to continue firm and perhaps advance during the coming spring unless unusually favorable weather should encourage increased logging operations.

The present demand is confined largely to the lower grades of pine lumber and to such hardwoods as are required by implement, furniture, and other consuming factories. There is very little doing in shingles and lath, and prices, if anything, are inclined to be a little easier.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Prices of spruce lumber keep firm, not because of the demand, which is only moderate, but owing to the light supply. It is said that some manufacturers are

curtailing their operations in the woods this winter owing to the expense of logging, and it is predicted that the quantity of logs for next season's sawing will fall short of that of the past season. The weather so far has been favorable for logging, and, especially in New Brunswick, good progress has been made. Forecasts of wintering stocks of spruce deals indicate a reduction as compared with one year ago. There is very little life to the shingle market, extra cedars still ranging from $3.35 to $3.45 on Boston rate of freight.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

From the standpoint of the manufacturer the lumber business of Manitoba and the Territories is not in a very satisfactory condition. Large quantities of low grade stock continue to be shipped in from the mills across the border and sold at cut-rate prices. As the present consumption is not large, this leaves but a small trade for the Canadian mill men. With the turn of the year more activity is expected and prices are likely to become steadier. Winnipeg is looking forward to another good building season next year. In British Columbia the local and export demand is keeping up remarkably well, but eastern shipments are dull. The new timber regulations are commanding a great deal of attention and some modification seems likely.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber trade of the past week has corresponded very closely with what was expected. There has been some buying of small lots, but in no respect has the demand been active. Winter building in the Eastern States is calling for considerable stock, and it is stated that a very light supply is being carried by retail dealers. Attention is now centred upon the balancing up of the year's business and upon the volume of lumber carried by manufacturers and dealers. There is a comparatively heavy stock of shop lumber in the Lake Superior district, but manufacturers are disposed to hold until the prices asked can be realized. No. 1 shop is held at the mills at $40, No. 2 at $31, and No. 3 at $18. The scarcity of box lumber is general, no district reporting a large supply. In the Upper Wisconsin and Minneapolis districts the amount of piece stuff on hand is considered short of the probable spring demand. Norway pine is in light stock and held at firm prices. The general feeling in pine circles is that a steady volume of business at good prices will characterize the coming year. A large consumption of low grade boards is expected, in anticipation of which a number of orders have already been placed. Birch, soft elm and basswood lead among the hardwoods. Thick maple is wanted at Buffalo. In some markets ash is also scarce. The call for hemlock dimension and boards is naturally quiet, but the market is firm and the outlook for the coming year considered bright.

GREAT BRITAIN.

In the British market orders for lumber have dropped to the lowest point of the year. This is due chiefly to the advent of the holidays, and until after the turn of the year business will continue very quiet. Some buying of Canadian pine and spruce is reported, as dealers and consumers are beginning to realize that prices of lumber in stock are low when compared with the prices asked by shippers for next season's supply. Prospects for next year are brighter than they were three months ago. While stocks generally are of an average volume, there is a scarcity of the better grades. A cargo of spruce from Dalhousie, N.B., recently reached Liverpool and was immediately purchased by James Halsall & Son. The price realized has not transpired. The supply of pine deals is concentrated in the hands of a few firms, who are said to have already made their engagements for next season at high prices. This would seem to guarantee the maintenance of present values for some time to come.

White Sea shippers are said to be asking £11 for third quality Archangel redwood deals. Agents have endeavored to close contracts on this basis, but it is reported that few transactions have taken place. Considerable sales to France and Belgium are announced.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Fully 6,000 men are at work this season in the woods in the Rainy River district.

James Hoey is getting out about 800,000 feet of logs at Prince of Wales, in St. John county, N. B.

Rhodes, Curry & Company, of Amherst, N. S., intend to take out 5,000,000 feet of lumber on their Sheet Harbor property.

The Albion Lumber Company, of Moser River, N, S., expect to take out in the vicinity of 4,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

The United Lumber Company, Halifax, N.S., are taking out about 8,000,000 feet of logs for their Jordan River mills. About 10,000,000 feet will be cut on the St. Mary's property, lately purchased by Alfred Dickie, Lower Stewiacke, N. S.

The John Arbuthnot Company, of Winnipeg, has concluded negotiations for the purchase of the balance of last season's cut of lumber now in A. R. McLennan's yard at Wabigoon, Ont., and the whole of next year's cut of the same firm. The present stock is about 1,250,000 feet, and the 1904 cut will be 4,000,000 feet. Two million feet of logs are already in the water, left over from last season, and two camps are in operation on Long Lake.

There is not as much lumber in stock at Buffalo to begin winter with as there was a year ago, but the trade all round is getting used to shortages, and there is much less difficulty from that direction than there used to be. Common grades of white pine are scarcer than they should be, on account of the great run made by the box factories. The middle grades are somewhat uncertain in price but the holder of them is gaining confidence and will no longer sell them at buyers' prices, as some have done during the fall. High-grade pine is quiet, but firm.

Eastern shingles are about steady at Boston on a basis of $3.35 to $3.45 for extras. The stock of shingles offering is very light at all points, but the feeling is so strong that the market in the spring will open at a higher level that the leading handlers are not inclined to accept any business for February or March delivery at a lower basis than $3.50. Most of the small mills have cleaned up their entire holdings, and will have nothing to offer from now on except winter sawed stock.

During the season of navigation to December 1, there was entered at the custom house at Bay City, Mich., 104,354,596 feet of lumber, and at Saginaw 29,463,183 feet, making a total of 133,817,779 feet, and the 4,000,000 which came in since the first of the month makes the receipts about 138,000,000 feet, compared with 160,000,000 feet last year. There was shipped out during the season by lake only about 3,000,000 feet, compared with 858,000,000 feet during the season of navigation of 1882, showing the wonderful transformation in the lumber business of the Saginaw Valley in a score of years.

Under date of December 5th Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbados market: "The only arrival has been the steamer "Viking," from Tusket Wedge, N.S., with about 40,000 feet of white pine and 156,000 feet of second quality spruce. Nothing has yet been done with the former, but the latter had been contracted for at $20. Most of it, however, consists of 3 and 4 inch boards, which have been rejected and re-sold at $15, any usual second quality being taken at the original price. We have 125,000 feet of white pine coming, and with the 200,000 feet second quality which is also expected, the wants of dealers are fairly provided for, and we rather expect that next arrivals will meet lower prices. No arrival of shingles has taken place since last report. Stocks of Laying Cedar are ample, but Long and Dimension Gaspe are saleable."

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TRADE OPENINGS.

The following was among the inquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 18th December, 1903.

An Irish dairy society desires to get into touch with parties in Canada who can supply them with small cut-up boards, suitable for nailing into butter boxes.

The name of the firm may be obtained from the publishers of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.

NEW BRUNSWICK STUMPAGE DUES.

The New Brunswick Government has given notice that pursuant to the new regulations made regarding crown timber lands, the following amounts are hereafter to be collected for stumpage:

On spruce, pine, fir, hacmatac, and cedar logs, per thousand superficial feet	$1 25
Hardwood timber, up to an average of 14 inches square, per ton	1 10
Hardwood timber, above 14 inches, aditional inch, per ton	0 10
Hardwood logs, per M superficial feet	0 80
Pine timber, up to 14 inches, square, per ton	1 25
Pine timber, additional per inch, per ton	0 25
Hacmatac timber, per ton	0 65
Spruce timber, per ton	0 65
Cedar logs, per M superficial feet	1 25
Or per M on the shingles sawed from same, the first three grades each	0 16
Shaved shingles, per M	0 25
Railway ties, ordinary length, each	0 02½
Boom poles, each	0 02
Brackets, each	0 01
Spruce or pine spars, for ships' masts, etc., per lineal foot	0 01
Spruce or pine piling, per lineal foot	0 00¼
Hemlock per M superficial feet, full scale	0 40
Hemlock bark, per cord	0 80
White birch logs, for spool wood, per M superficial feet	0 80

And for all other description of lumber, such as knees, foot hooks, cordwood, etc., etc., fifteen per cent. of the market value thereof at the mill, place of shipment or place of consumption in the province.

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The following export shipments of lumber from British Columbia were made during the first eleven months of this year:

From	For	Cargo—Ft.
Hastings	Plymouth	817,317
Hastings	Natal	1,165,095
Chemainus	Calcutta	1,761,907
Chemainus	Valparaiso	798,701
Hastings	Sydney	15,624
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	78,769
Hastings	Yokohama	16,100
Hastings	Shanghai	964,964
Hastings	Callao and Iquiqui	1,368,922
Chemainus	South Africa	1,950,802
Hastings	Hongkong	175,129
Hastings	Hongkong	10,003
Hastings	U. K.	1,597,776
Chemainus	Liverpool	1,899,365
Hastings	Nagasaki	754,653
Hastings	London	1,215,036
Chemainus	Liverpool	2,110,781
Chemainus	Port Elizabeth	1,551,223
Hastings	Shanghai	902,782
Chemainus	Antofagasto	714,791
Hastings	Japan	35,872
Hastings	Callao	1,493,350
Hastings	Natal	1,640,764
Hastings	Osaka	1,025,036
Chemainus	London	1,736,891
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,902,693
Comox	Santa Rosalia	220,000
Hastings	Hong Kong	4,761
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	28,923
Hastings	Yokohama	866,414
Hastings	Iquique	1,088,357
Chemainus	Antofagasta	591,514
Chemainus	Antofagasta	769,216
Hastings	China and Japan	125 029
Hastings	Kobe	18,323
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	28,179
Hastings	Kobe	19,250
Hastings	Greenock	1,445,168
Chemainus	Cape Town	2,123,064
Chemainus	Sydney	1,521,961
Hastings	Kobe	21,647
Hastings	Hongkong	107,305
Hastings	Cape Town	733,850
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	14,595
Hastings	Newcastle, U. K.	905,541
Hastings	Melbourne	1,331,226
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,130,990
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	40,650
Hastings	Kobe & Hongkong	102,962
Hastings	Sydney	969,658
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,202,530
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,003,370
Victoria	Santa Rosalia	178,081
Hastings	Kobe	4,606
Hastings	Devonport	174,148
Hastings	Cape Town	1,746,192
Chemainus	Cardiff	938,690
Chemainus	Shanghai	1,431,606
Hastings	Pt. Natal	1,648,235
Victoria	Santa Rosalia	177,187
Hastings	Japan and China	39,727
Hastings	Callao	1,424,231
Chemainus	U. K.	1,812,887
Hastings	East London	892,066
Victoria	Santa Rosalia	185,246
Hastings	Sydney, N.S.W.	1,316,706
Hastings	Hong Kong	105,179
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	49,306
Hastings	Japan and China	117,447
Chemainus	West Coast S. Am.	Loading
Chemainus	South Africa	Loading
Chemainus	South Africa	Loading
Hastings	Philadelphia	Loading
Hastings	U. K.	Loading

THE HARDWOOD SITUATION.

Some of the wholesale and retail yard men in Chicago say that they are having a brisk inquiry for stock, largely in small lots, as the average consumer does not care to purchase more than sufficient to keep him running from day to day. Large consumers are not buying much, excepting some of those outside of the city who are contracting quite a quantity of stock for delivery in January and February. As a rule, however, buying on any large scale has been postponed until after the first of the year and the wholesale trade is not handling more than can be comfortably supplied from the moderate stocks at hand.

One of the most encouraging features of the situation, says the American Lumberman, is that inquiries are increasing in number for delivery early next year. Several firms in this market have recently remarked on this feature of the situation, which they say promises a contiuously active market after the middle of January. One dealer states that his inquiry for deliveries early in the coming year are about as plentiful as he ever had.

Prices have not shown much of a tendency to sag despite the falling off in demand. Quarter sawed white oak has shown a slight weakness and yet few holders are sacrificing it, as they realize that this is not the season of the year for consumption and are content to hold until the demand naturally rises, which will no doubt take place shortly after the first of the year. Quarter sawed red oak is holding firm. Plain white oak and red oak are both steady and inquiries for future delivery on the increase.

Basswood displays some weakness, but this is no doubt merely owing to the temporary lack of demand. Former consumers of basswood have had their attention largely called to other woods of late and this has caused an apparent plentiful supply of basswood, which really is not the case, as there is scarcely any variety of lumber that is in less supply. Rock elm has lately come to the front and the demand continues unabated, with light supply to draw from. White ash continues a much wanted article in all markets and both mills and assembling points are said to be out of stock.

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FIRES.

The planing mill of D. Atchison & Company, at Hamilton, Ont., was almost totally destroyed by fire last week. The loss is about $20,000, largely covered by insurance.

The dry kiln of the Canada Cabinet Company at Gananoque, Ont., was destroyed by fire on December 26th, at a loss of $8,000. Considerable lumber was also burned.

The Dyment, Butterfield Company, of Barrie, Ont., advise us that the statement in last issue that they had purchased and intended operating a small timber limit near Powassan is not true, as no such purchase has taken place.

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The probabilities are that the cut of the coming year will decrease about twenty-five per cent. Mills go into the winter with small stocks on hand, and with less unsold lumber than they have had in years. On docks in Duluth there are only 110,000,000 feet of all classes of lumber and of this more than half is sold. Interior mills of the district have, perhaps, 250,000,000 feet on sticks in their yards, a great share of which will go forward during the winter.

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William Armstrong, of Fork River, N. W. T., has purchased a timber limit from Shaw Bros. at Crooked River, 60 miles west of Erwood, on the Canadian Northern Railway.

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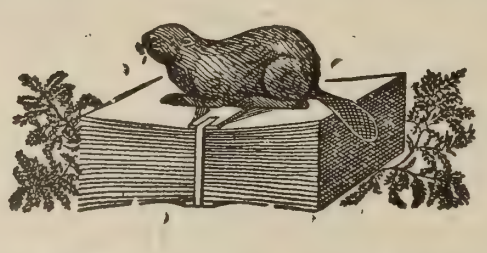

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	80 00	4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	70 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	70 00
2 in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	60 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	60 00
2 in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	$29 to 30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No 1 White Pine	3 00	No. 2 White Pine	50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24	25
2½ in.	83	85	1¼ inch " 13" & up.		35
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common		25
1 to 2 in.	70	72	12-in. dressing and better	40	40
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12		25
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	20
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	26
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12		24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	47	50	1x10	23	27
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	24
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	42
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch		45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 13

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce

5 53
2 23
2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	48 00	No. 2, 1 x 6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	24 00	No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	38 00	No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	36 00	Dressing 1¼ in.	19 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ x 10 and 12	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼ x 10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00	46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00	25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00	26 00
Common and cull's	6 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00	21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00	13 00

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White Pine Good Dressing :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4"	x 4" up x 6'/11'	Shorts
" " " "	x 4"/7" x 12/18'	Strips
" " " "	x 8" up x 12/18'	Sidings

Common White Pine :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11'	Shorts
4/4" x 8" up x 12/18'	Sidings

White Pine Mill Run, Box Out :

4/4" x 8" x 12/16' Stock

White Pine Shipping Cull :

4/4" x 4" up x 6/11'	Shorts
4/4" x 4"/7" x 12/16'	Strips

White Pine No. 1 Mill Culls :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4"	x 4" up x 6/11'	Shorts
" " " "	4/7" 12/16'	Strips
" " " "	8" up x 12/16'	Sidings

Write for particulars and quotations

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125,000 feet 1 to 2" Quartered White Oak, First and Second.
70,000 feet 1 to 2" Quartered White Oak, Common.
58,000 feet 1 to 2" Quartered Red Oak, First and Second.
45,000 1 to 2" Quartered Red Oak, Common.
350,000 feet 1 to 2" Plain Red Oak.
600,000 feet 1 to 3" Cypress, First and Second, Select and Common.
300,000 1" Cottonwood Boxboard, 13 to 17".
200,000 feet 1" Gum Boxboard, 13 to 17".
Whitewood Squares, also Boards.
8 Cars 1" Hard Maple, Mill Run Dead Culls out.
2 Cars 2" Hard Maple, Mill Run, Dead Culls out.
5 Cars 2" Birch, Common and Better.
3 Cars 3" Birch, First and Second.
Also all dimensions of Hemlock.

All this stock is mostly dry or in good shipping condition.

Write for particulars to

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WANTED—A QUANTITY OF INCH BASSwood. Apply "W. & S", care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—20 H.P. PORTABLE BOILER and Engine, price $700; also Saw Frame and Carriage, price $200. Address Box 95, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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STOCK WANTED.

ABOUT 3 CARS MILL RUN 1" SPRUCE, 2 cars common and better 1" Birch, 2 cars common and better 1" Maple, February shipment. Apply B. B. W., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

$3,000 WILL BUY A MUSKOKA SAW and Shingle Mill, Tramways, 6 Dwellings Barns, Blacksmith Shop, etc. Saw mill 100 horse power, capacity 25 to 30 M per 10 hours. Good locality for cutting hardwood and hemlock. We could supply a stock of logs for next season; also have some standing timber for sale cheap. Plenty of timber in the vicinity. Address Box 86, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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Large number of Round Piles, for dock work, in Spruce, Pine, Tamarac or Hemlock, 45 feet long, not less than 16 inches at butt end, and 10 inches at top. Address, RANDOLPH MACDONALD, Contractor, Three Rivers, Que.

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OUR ANNUAL REVIEW.

The publishers of this journal have sent out a large number of circulars to lumber manufacturers throughout the Dominion soliciting certain information regarding the lumber trade of 1903. This information is desired for the purpose of assisting us in compiling our annual review, and it is not the intention to associate the name of the manufacturer with the information given, but rather to use it as a basis for a general article, as in former years. Some manufacturers have not as yet returned the circular sent them, and as it is necessary that we should have their assistance in order to arrive at a thorough understanding of the conditions which prevailed in all localities, we respectfully request all who have not done so to send in the desired information promptly.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The advent of the new year brought no increased activity to the lumber trade. The movement of stock during the past week has been very light and confined to urgent orders. Buyers are making inquiries concerning the prices asked by manufacturers for next season's cut, and some contracts are likely to be closed very shortly. The more conservative persons are disposed to wait until they are better able to judge of the prospects for spring business, but others seem to be of the opinion that a fair season will be experienced and that lumber bought at present prices is good value. The universal report from manufacturers is that lumber stocks are not heavy. The logging season opened favorably, but the deep snow which now prevails in the northern woods is interfering with operations and is likely to result in curtailing the output. It is probable that the cut of hemlock in particular will be short this winter owing to the great depth of snow and the difficulty that was experienced in the early fall in getting men at a reasonable wage.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The statement of wintering stocks at Quebec shows the strong position of spruce deals. The total quantity carried over this winter is approximately 4,300,000 feet, as compared with 8,000,000 feet one year ago. The export from the St. Lawrence slightly exceeded last year's shipments. The stock of pine deals is practically nil, but this is due in part to the fact that Quebec is now an unimportant shipping point for pine lumber. The wintering stock of square pine is 413,469 cubic feet, as compared with 395,962 cubic feet one year ago. The corresponding figures for waney are 406,038 and 261,393 cubic feet. The explanation of this increase is that the stocks carried over one year ago were exceptionally light. With the exception of last season, the stock wintering this year is under that of any previous year. Prices asked for rafts now making show a considerable advance over earlier figures. Red pine, elm, ash and birch are in lighter stock than one year ago, while the wintering stock of oak shows a decided increase, the figures being 491,851 and 192,161 cubic feet. It is evident, therefore, that the advanced prices have stimulated production. A reduction in the quantity manufactured this winter seems probable. In New Brunswick and Nova Scotia prices of spruce lumber are reported to be a little easier. There has been a drop in the price of spruce logs from $13, the high point reached a few months ago, to $11, the current quotation. It is believed, however, that values will gradually increase, which is much to be desired, as about 30,000,000 feet of last season's cut of logs, which were bought at high prices, are hung up above Grand Falls, on the St. John river.

UNITED STATES.

The close of the year finds the lumber trade of the United States in a satisfactory condition. Lumbermen are much encouraged by the fact that although towards the end of the year the demand fell off considerably, the stock of unsold lumber is light, perhaps below the average. In the Saginaw valley stocks of white pine are about 15 per cent. less than one year ago. A few contracts have been made with manufacturers for stock for next season's delivery and some large transactions are said to be pending. The price list committee of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association will meet this week, when it is probable that an advance will be made in the price of dimension.

The lists of the new white pine association formed at Buffalo show only 13 per cent. of box lumber. This is a very low stock and before the new cut is ready it will be necessary to substitute other kinds of lumber for boxes to a very large extent. This will have a strengthening effect upon the general market. Mill culls and scoots are also in very light supply in Buffalo. A dealer recently sold a quantity of scoots at $12.00. The most liberal supply is of No. 2 and No. 3 barn. There is a better demand for No. 3 cuts, and norway is moving with some freedom. The consumption of hardwood lumber has been checked by the holiday period and less complaint is made of the scarcity than was the case one month ago. There is more birch in sight than there was a year ago, notwithstanding that the demand has been quite strong. Hemlock is quiet, but there is no disposition to cut prices. The trade is of the opinion that the production this winter will be light. In Pennsylvania, for instance, the production this year is estimated at 500,000,000 feet, as compared with 800,000,000 feet in 1903.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Advices from Great Britain reflect the uncertainty which prevails in business circles. The different views expressed regarding a fiscal policy are not conducive to confidence, and the best that is hoped for is that trade conditions may become no worse. Agents of lumber exporters are making their usual rounds and are suceeding in placing some stock, but it is small in quantity as compared with one year ago. There is some satisfaction in knowing that pine and spruce deals are looked upon as likely to continue firm in price on account of the prospective light export from this country. A moderate quantity of waney pine timber is going into consumption, but the demand for square pine is light. Dealers anticipate a fair demand for ash, birch and elm, as the quantity carried by dealers is not large.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Charles O. Black, of Oxford, N. S., will take out 4,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

During the past year Buffalo shipped 178,000,000 feet of lumber by lake, or 30,000,000 feet less than 1902.

Mason & Gordon, of Montreal, have 50 men at work taking out square timber on their limits near North Bay, Ont.

The ship Wilhelmine has just loaded 1,400,000 feet of lumber at Chemainus, B. C., for Cape Town, South Africa.

It is estimated that a little over 300,000,000 feet of lumber has been shipped from Saginaw Valley points by rail during the past year.

E.I. White & Son, of Sand River, N.S., expect to cut during the coming season 3,000,000 feet of lumber, 3,000,000 lath, and 10,000 pcs. spruce piles.

The Turner Lumber Company, of Midland, Ont., have fourteen camps in operation this season. Their log input will probably be as great as last year.

In the North Tonawanda market pine uppers are selling at from $84 to $95, according to width and quality, while 4-inch selects are quoted at $92 by some dealers.

The Canadian Section of the Imperial Institute, London, England, has received an inquiry from a manufacturing company of Cardiff, who wish to be placed in communication with Canadian manufacturers of box shooks.

A lumberman who recently visited the Georgian Bay district states that there is no lumber for sale in that district, the cut of the year having been sold out. He says that he never knew lumber to be sold up so closely.

It is reported that a steamer has been chartered to load part cargo of lumber at Chemainus, B. C., for Calcutta, during February. The steamer Khyder is loading at same port for Australia and the steamer Hydra will load for Chili.

The Hanbury Manufacturing Company, of Brandon, Man., expect to cut 7,000,000 feet of lumber during the coming season. They have a mill at Cranbrook, B. C., operated under the name of the North Star Lumber Company, where they will cut 8,000,000 feet the coming year.

Messrs. J. H. Moore and C. P. Roe, who were in Toronto recently on their return from the lumber camps of the Georgian Bay district and Algoma, say that the shortage in the output is very marked in some instances. The cut of the Georgian Bay Lumber Company alone will be reduced from 80,000,000 feet, the output of last season, to 60,000,000 feet.

Notice is given in the British Columbia Gazette that tenders will be received by the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, up to noon, Wednesday, January 20th, from any person desirous of obtaining a lease under section 42 of the Land Act of a timber limit situated on Vancouver Island, known as lots 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124 and 125, Rupert district, containing in the aggregate 21,956 acres.

Messrs. Claremonte, Man & Company in their last report say regarding the Barbados market: "There have been four arrivals of white pine and spruce during the fortnight. The last sale of white pine for a cargo on the spot was at $25.75 per thousand for merchantable and $20.75 for second quality; spruce, $22 for merchantable and $18 for second quality. Last sales of Gaspe long cedar shingles were at $5.57; Cedar Laying, $2.05 to $2.07½."

E. T. Carrington, of Bay City, and Mr. Arnold, of Albany, have purchased the interest of their partners in the Spanish River Lumber Company, comprising some stock in the Spanish River Boom Company, some 50,000,000 feet of pine, and a large quantity of hardwood and cedar in the Spanish River country. The firm stocks a saw mill formerly owned by the company, but which was sold to Bay City parties two years ago.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 24—This is a very dull time of the year in the lumber trade. The British Columbia Gazette shows but a half dozen applications for licenses to cut timber, and the loggers who have returned from the coast are spending their Christmas holidays in town.

Now that the full text of the new timber regulations have been thoroughly understood, there is a general dissatisfaction on both sides. Those who expressed satisfaction a week ago have been entirely converted, and nine out of every ten timbermen believe that the government has made a mistake in trying to please the few rather than the many. They have increased the revenue of small holders who could not afford it, and allowed the monied men who hold timber under no restrictions, having acquired it in the early days, to come into unfair competition with those who have to finance their deal from first to last with the banks.

The news from up country is to the effect that there is great activity in the lumber business. These sections are near the ever-growing Northwest Canada.

Theodore Ludgate, a well known mill man, has completed a magnificent mill, as large as any mill on the cost, near Chamainus on Vancouver Island. In that vicinity alone there is an army of 1,000 men at work logging. This applies to different sections in the Kootenay, so that in spite of the statement that there is no money in the logging business, there seems to be no let up to the establishment of new mills throughout the province.

SAVANNE MILLS SOLD.

The entire holdings of the Savanne Lumber Company at Savanne, Northwestern Ontario, including mills, bush outfit and limits, were sold by public auction at Savanne a few days ago, and the property knocked down to Patrick Hogan, the sum paid being $14,000. The mills are situated on the C.P.R., about two miles west of Savanne station, where they have been operated for seven or eight years. This site is to be abandoned and the mill removed to a point near Kashebowie, on the Canadian Northern Railway, in which neighborhood the company's limits are located. Mr. Hogan was resident manager for the company.

TO HOLDERS OF BIRCH LIMITS

Can you cut birch into Squares, &c. We can also take birch cut on the sweep with a jigger or small band saw. Large quantities required. Write in first instance to "Finance," c/o CANADA LUMBERMAN.

TELEGRAPH POLES WANTED

We buy all lengths. Write us for prices and you will see that by cutting your Cedar into Poles it will net you more than you can get out of it in any other way.

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THE LUMBER SITUATION.

Mr. Jesse D. Crary contributes to the New York Lumber Trade Journal a very able review of the lumber situation, from which we extract the following :

Another important item in the lumber world is spruce timber. It is higher to-day than ever before, and we look for no lower prices. The stock is in the hands of a very few operators. A dozen firms perhaps own three-quarters of all the standing spruce in Maine, an equal number control the bulk of the timber in New Brunswick, while the spruce timber of West Virginia is in the hands of a few operators, and these owners are able to maintain a conservative policy. The demand for spruce for pulp makes them absolutely independent, and the financial standing of those concerned makes a conservative policy possible and probable. For instance, we know of one firm in Maine that owns 250,000 acres that could easily cut 25,000,000 feet a year, that will be satisfied to cut 10,000,000 feet. I anticipate no material decline in the price of spruce timber during the year 1904.

Several weeks ago there was manifested a slight weakness in the upper grades of white pine, but that weakness to-day has disappeared and there is no evidence of any other weakness. The price of the season's cut of deal has been materially advanced, but even at the advanced price it probably nets the operator no more than it did before, and perhaps even less, because of the increased expense of operating. There is no reason to anticipate any lower prices in white pine.

Half a dozen operators control practically all the hemlock that comes to the New York market, and from all the information I can gain the present price is being maintained, with no prospect of a break. The present basis of $17 will not be lower this season, in the opinion of those most interested. In fact, holders of hemlock state with confidence that they have the situation fully in hand.

There is not a weak spot in the hardwood situation, and no reason to believe that present prices will not be maintained. In fact, in some respects advances would not be at all improbable. There is absolutely no surplus stock of anything in hardwoods. In some lines there is an actual shortage. There will probably be some scattering lots of hardwoods which will be offered at prices which might be called "off," but not so with the bulk of the stock. The probabilities are that poplar will range from $50 a thousand feet. Quartered oak will probably advance, as there is a great scarcity of this particular wood. Plain oak will hold its own. Ash will probably hold its own. In fact, it may be safely said as a general proposition that the hardwood market is all right and will stay all right.

THE NEW BRUNSWICK LOG PRODUCTION.

The cut of logs on the Miramichi in the province of New Brunswick this season is estimated at 100,000,000 feet, but the winter so far has been favorable and this estimate may be exceeded. Last year the cut on the same river was 125,000,000 feet. The cause of the reduction in this winter's cut is, first, the sluggishness of the British market ; second, the present high rate of wages ; third, the difficulty of securing woodsmen ; fourth, the advanced cost of provisions and other camp requisites ; fifth, the long distance to haul logs, which is annually increasing, and sixth, the smaller sized logs which operators are taking out. It is pointed out that much of the territory in New Brunswick has been cut over once and that the present growth is younger trees, and correspondingly smaller.

The stock wintering on the Miramichi in logs is about 5,000,000 feet more than last year, and the sawn stock 10,000,000 feet greater, and even at the reduced winter cut, next season's shipments will probaby be as large as this season's.

The increased cost of logs last year, even with so much lower wages and expenses than prevails this year, made holders of saw and pulp logs very conservative as regards selling prices. If this continues next season, the price of lumber will be maintained, and many manufacturers are looking for an advance.

THE DEMAND FOR BOX LUMBER.

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This condition of the box business ought to be highly satisfactory to the lumber trade in general. By following the trend of the box industry a very accurate estimate can be made on lumber conditions in general. When the box business is good lumber business is good. So long as manufacturers produce enormous quantities of goods and put them in cases so long will the country in general be in a condition of prosperity that will induce building of houses, additional factory facilities and exert a demand for lumber for other purposes that will be large in volume and strong in price.

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HEMLOCK.

The prospects are for higher prices in the hemlock market, and it is generally believed that with the opening of trade in the spring an actual conservative advance will be made. As the new year approaches it is possible to detect a gradual feeling for the better. From the trend of the commercial and financial reports favorable developments in general trade are at hand. The feeling of uncertainty has reached its height, says the Mississippi Valley Lumberman, and confidence in a healthy business condition throughout the country is prevalent. A large consumption of lumber is looked for and in the middle west the building movement is expected to be quite extensive. Dealers in hemlock have bought sparingly of stock for more than six months ; have substituted their stocks rather than buy additional material ; owners of two or more yards have been shipping from one to the other ; meanwhile consumption has been going on, manufacturers have prepared to curtail production, and all these causes have resulted in a very small visible supply of hemlock. On this basis the market is in a decidedly promising condition to grow strong.

Spring trade is not expected to come with a rush, as dealers will continue their policy of retrenchment, but this will necessarily pass by with the advance of spring. Dealers will be cautious and conservative but not timid. There is an expanding population pressing for new homes to be reckoned with and trade must necessarily be of good volume.

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No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12		24
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3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
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Common and culls	6 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

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HURDMAN & ELMITT,
Ottawa, Ont.

FOR SALE

About 1144 acres of land in the Township of Melbourne, Richmond County, P Q, Range No. 1, Lots No. 25 and 26; Range No. 2, Lots No. 25, 24, 23 and ¼ lot No. 22.

The property is all under wood of various kinds. There is a well defined band of slate about one hundred feet in width throughout its entire length, and believed to be of the same character and high quality as on the adjoining property operated for many years by the New Rockland Slate Company.

It has also adjoining it an unfailing water supply, which could be made available for power.

This property therefore possesses the threefold combination of an available supply of wood, slate and water, which might be used so as to produce good investment. It is also convenient to railroad station.

The lowest cash price to a prompt buyer for the whole property has been placed at five dollars per acre, which is the price now asked by the Quebec Government for bush lots in remote districts.

Further particulars or plans of the property may be obtained on application to

MR. WILLIAM SMAILL,
Care The Canada Horse Nail Co.,
Montreal, Que.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO CARS 1¼" DRY Maple, Beech or Birch for factory flooring. LAKING, PATTERSON & Co., Hamilton, Ont.

WANTED—CEDAR POSTS AND 2" AND 3" Tamarac for next winter's delivery. Dry hardwood lumber for immediate shipment. R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton, Ont.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WANTED—THREE OR FOUR CARS OF dry kindling wood, at least one car for immediate shipment. Also before 1st March 5 or 6 cars sawdust. Quote best cash price f.o.b. Stratford. A. J. MCPHERSON, P. O. Box 494, Stratford, Ont.

LOGS WANTED.

FIVE TO TEN MILLION FEET WHITE Pine Logs on Georgian Bay. Box No. 143 care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED

50 to 100 h.p. Second-Hand Circular Saw Mill in good condition, all complete. Quote lowest price, f.o.b cars. Apply Box 75, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—LUMBER OR SHINGLE SAWING

FOR ONE OR MORE SEASON'S CUT; CAPAcity 0 to 30 M per day; situated on the south-east of the Georgian Bay. Shipments by rail or water; good harbor for logs. For further particulars Address Box 16 CANADA LUMERMAN.

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

BERTH NO. 3 SITUATED ON THE SOUTHWEST corner of the township of Creelman, comprising lots number 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in the first, second and third concessions; good location, Vermillion river running through centre. For terms and particulars apply to W. RYAN, North Bay.

MACHINERY FOR SALE

1 Large 4 Sided Sticker; 1 10" Buzz Planer; 2 Improved Mortisers; 1 24" Surface Planer; 1 Cowan Matcher; 1 Band Saw; 1 Shaper; 1 Turning Lathe; 1 Jig Saw Machine; 1 Tenon Machine, for doors and windows; 1 Tenon Machine for blinds; 1 Mortiser for blinds; 1 Staple Driver for blinds; 2 Saw Tables. A. H. CUMMINGS & SON, Coaticook, Que.

FOR SALE

White Pine Good Dressing :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4"	x 4" up x 6/11'	Shorts
" " " "	x 4"/7" x 12/18'	Strips
" " " "	x 8" up x 12/18'	Sidings

Common White Pine :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4"	x 4" up x 6/11'	Shorts
4/4"	x 8" up x 12/18'	Sidings

White Pine Mill Run, Box Out :

4/4" x 8" x 12/16' Stock

White Pine Shipping Cull :

4/4"	x 4" up x 6/11'	Shorts
4/4"	x 4"/7" x 12/16'	Strips

White Pine No. 1 Mill Culls :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4"	x 4" up x 6/11'	Shorts
" " " "	4/7" 12/16'	Strips
" " " "	8" up x 12/16'	Sidings

Write for particulars and quotations

A. F. BURY AUSTIN,
Wholesale Lumber & Timber Merchant,
Montreal.

SITUATION WANTED BY FIRST CLASS Band Saw Filer, in large saw mill. Address Box 217 care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH PARties having Pine and Hemlock Timber Land for sale or exchange. One hundred to five hundred acres. Address Box 76 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED

A GOOD SECOND-HAND ALLIGATOR. Apply, stating length, age, etc., to RIORDON PAPER MILLS, Limited, Wood Supply Department, Hawkesbury, Ont.

FOR SALE — 370 ACRES STANDING Timber in Township of Johnson, district of Algoma; well timbered with Maple, Birch, Hemlock and Cedar. Clear title to land. No Government dues to pay on timbers. Address R. D. MORRISON, Dalhousie Mills, Ont.

WANTED—10 CAR LOADS OF COMMON and Better White Winter Cut Basswood, cut 1½" from the saw or good plump 1" when dry; will take it 3" wide and up, 3 ft. long and up; can ship in car lots from any part of Ontario or Quebec. Address Box 84, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

SITUATION WANTED

Hardwood export business; as bookkeeper, correspondence clerk or general office work. Six years' experience Glasgow brokers' office, two and a half London, Eng. Address JOSEPH ELRICK, Trenton, Ont.

Mortgage Sale

Of Valuable Mill, Mill Site, Timber Limits, Farm and Dwellings.

Under the powers contained in certain Mortgages, made by John J. Wilson and Josiah Kean (Wilson & Kean), which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered by Public Auction at their mill premises, Fesserton, County Simcoe, Ont., on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH, 1904, at 2 o'clock p.m., the lands more fully described in said mortgages, but briefly known as follows:

Parcel No. 1.—The J. J. Wilson farm of 65 acres more orfless, part of lot 5, Con. 11, Township of Tay, with comfortable dwelling house and outbuildings thereon.

No. 2.—The mill, mill machinory and mill site of "Wilson & Kean," being part W. ½ lot No. 5, Con. 12, Township of Tay, 5 acres more or less, lying between the Midland Railway and Georgian Bay. This mill site is most conveniently situated as to railway and water-ways for shipping and getting in stock, and is well fitted up and in good running order, with a capacity of 20 M per day. Also complete shingle, lath and hoop outfits in connection (engine 60 h.p. and boiler 80 H. Tube, with Cook furnace). On this parcel there are also two comfortable frame dwelling houses, blacksmith shop, store house, stables, offices, etc., all in good order.

No. 3.—A small strip of land 105 feet x 82 feet adjoining the mill site aforesaid, being part S. ½ of west part lot 5, Con. 12, Tay, with sheds used for piling hoops, shingles, etc.

No. 4.—Timber and trees on lots 23 and 24, Con. 6, Township of North Orillia, held under timber contract expiring 1st April, 1910.

No. 5.—W. ½ lot 22, Con. 5, North Orillia (land and timber), 100 acres more or less.

No. 6.—Lot No. 2, Con. 6, Matchedash, 200 acres more or less (land and timber).

The timber lands are said to be well wooded with mixed timbers and are conveniently situated near North River for driving to the mill and other Georgian Bay points.

The properties will be offered subject to reserve bid, and sold en bloc, or in parcels to suit purchasers.

Terms—10 per cent. of price on day of sale, balance within one month thereafter Further particulars and descriptions will be made known on day of sale, or in the meantime on application to

J. L. ROSS & CO., Mortgagee,
or to
J. C. BROKOVSKI, Solicitor for Mortgagee.

Dated Coldwater, Ont., Jan. 12th, 1904.

WANTED—A QUANTITY OF INCH BASSwood. Apply "W. & S.", care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—20 H.P. PORTABLE BOILER and Engine, price $700; also Saw Frame and Carriage, price $200. Address Box 95, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—TEN SETS OF HEAVY LOG and one set of Tank Sleighs, almost new Lumber would be taken in payment. A. H. EBERT, Wiarton, Ont.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST CLASS bench hand in factory, understand plans well; reference furnished. Address Box 200, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—ABOUT ONE MILLION FEET of Hemlock logs, assorted lengths, on shore or in booms Georgian Bay. Quote price and particulars to Box 163 Midland, Ont.

FOR SALE

1 first-class Pine Tank, practically new, 14,000 gallon capacity; 1 Windmill with iron stand, latest pattern. C. PICKARD, Sackville, N.B.

STOCK WANTED.

ABOUT 3 CARS MILL RUN 1" SPRUCE, 2 cars common and better 1" Birch, 2 cars common and better 1" Maple, February shipment. Apply B. B. W., care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

$3,000 WILL BUY A MUSKOKA SAW and Shingle Mill, Tramways, 6 Dwellings Barns, Blacksmith Shop, etc. Saw mill 100 horse power, capacity 25 to 20 M per 10 hours. Good locality for cutting hardwood and hemlock. We could supply a stock of logs for next season; also have some standing timber for sale cheap. Plenty of timber in the vicinity. Address Box 86, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED

Large number of Round Piles, for dock work, in Spruce, Pine, Tamarac or Hemlock, 45 feet long, not less than 16 inches at butt end, and 10 inches at top. Address, RANDOLPH MACDONALD, Contractor, Three Rivers, Que.

FOR SALE

FACTORY FLOORING

KILN DRIED BIRCH, ABOUT 60 M. Box 442 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION feet of good sound healthy timber. About 10 million white pine, 80 million cedar; balance hemlock. For particulars apply to P. J. GALLAGHER, Rossbery, B. C.

Mill Machinery For Sale

CIRCULAR SAW FRAME, CARRIAGE WITH Track. 3 Saw Edger, Slab Slasher with 5 Saws, Trimmers, Double Lath Mill, Shingle Mill, Endless Chain and Bullwheel, 4 Water Wheels, Shafting, Pulleys, Gears, Belting, Conveyor Chain, Giant Planer, Hashing Mill, Iron Turning Lathe. JOHN KNIGHT, Douglas, Ont.

The Arthur Hill Company, Limited, of Saginaw, Mich., has disposed of all its property at private sale and is no longer in business. This company purchased about 200,000,000 feet of timber in the Georgian Bay district several years ago, which was cut and manufactured at Midland, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Orders for lumber have been a little more plentiful during the past week, but shipments have been retarded by scarcity of cars. Several manufacturers have a large number of orders waiting to be shipped out, which will reduce the stock of unsold lumber materially. Of a comparatively light stock in mill yards, there is less box and mill culls than other grades. The outlook for spring trade is considered satisfactory. The pine manufacturers are in some doubt as to the extent to which the demand will be curtailed through the presidential election in the United States, but apart from this factor there are no present nor prospective unfavorable conditions. It is expected that the home consumption will absorb almost the entire production of hardwood lumber, which as a result will be little affected by the conditions which may exist across the border. There seems to be a determination to endeavor to obtain an advance of one dollar per thousand feet for hemlock as compared with the prices which ruled in 1903. Logging has been very expensive and excessive depth of snow is resulting in a very light input of logs. In some sections of the Georgian Bay district there are four feet of snow on the level.

Information comes from Ottawa that Messrs. Sharples & Company have purchased the deal output of the mills of W. C. Edwards & Company and the Hawkesbury Lumber Company. The prices, as in previous sales, are said to represent an advance of 10 per cent. over those realized for the production of last year. In the Wiarton district as high as $12 per thousand is being paid for maple logs. These circumstances point to a firm lumber market.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The customary dullness which generally marks this season in the lumber trade is quite pronounced in respect to spruce. No sales of deals for the British market are as yet reported, buyers being very cautious about entering into contracts until the course of events in Great Britain becomes more certain. Stocks carried by the mills, however, are lighter than one year ago; in some parts of Nova Scotia the yards are completely sold out. The log cut this winter is likely to be smaller than last season. On the Restigouche and Miramichi rivers the decrease is estimated at 20 per cent. Cedar will be very short in supply owing to the uncertainty of the United States market. Cedar shingles are barely steady, prices ranging from $3.35 to $3.45 for extras and $2.85 to $2.95 for clears, Boston delivery.

UNITED STATES.

Interest in white pine circles has centred upon the action of the price list committee of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association, which met last week to revise the list. In some quarters it was predicted that an advance would be made on several lines, including dimension timbers. However, a conservative policy was pursued and such advances as were decided upon were offset by reductions on other grades. The list as it now stands represents current selling prices. The advances were on No. 1 boards and products, 13 inch and wider, $2 per thousand feet; 12 inch and wider, $1; No. 1, 8-inch, 18 and 20 feet long, $1 50; No. 2, 8-inch, 18 and 20 feet, $1.50; small timbers, 12, 14 and 16 feet, 50 cents. Reductions were made on inch selects, C norway and thick selects, also flooring and siding. Mixed and No. 2 lath were reduced 25 cents. A canvass of the situation showed that stocks of lumber on hand are practically the same in amount as at this time last year, but there is a scarcity of low grade boards. The curtailment in the log crop this winter will be about 20 per cent. and the majority of the large plants which operated night and day expect to run days only during the coming season. The present outlook is that there will be a large amount of building during the year, and many manufactures and dealers believe that prices of lumber are likely to advance. Several important sales of white pine to be cut as soon as the mills resume operations are reported. A decline of about $2 per thousand in the price of oak lumber is about the only change in the hardwood situation. There is a fair demand for elm, basswood and birch. Dealers are now accumulating stocks as fast as possible in anticipation of a brisk demand from consumers early in the spring. In the Saginaw valley a large supply of maple is reported.

GREAT BRITAIN.

In Great Britain the new year has not opened auspiciously for the lumber trade. The uncertainty regarding the fiscal policy and the fear of war in the East are two factors not calculated to inspire confidence. On the other hand the stocks of lumber at the leading ports are not excessively large and in many cases are represented largely by the lower grades. These are frequently sold under the hammer and consequently the prices realized are apt to convey a wrong impression as to the current market prices for regular shipments. Spruce and pine deals are in the hands of firms who are financially able to hold for an indefinite period, which fact has had much to do with the exceptional strength of these classes of lumber during the past few months. Ireland is taking considerable quantities of 9 inch spruce deals. White pine deals of best quality sold lost year as high as £40 per standard. There has been a slight falling off from this figure, but prices are still high. As soon as the political situation becomes more settled there will no doubt be a revival in trade, in which lumber is likely to share to the full extent.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Extensive logging operations are being carried on in the vicinity of Musquash, N. B.

The Standard Lumber Company, of Buffulo, reports a good trade in maple and plain red oak.

Log run maple is quoted in the Saginaw valley at $17.50; ash, $22; birch, $19 to $22; elm, $21 to $24; basswood, $25 to $27.

Sixty acres of timber lands in the parish of St. Mary, Kent county, N.B., were last week purchased from the Government by the M. McLachlin Company at $129 per square mile.

The logs comprising part of the Higgins estate, Vancouver, B.C., were recently sold by auction to the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, who had already advanced money on them.

Men for the woods are becoming more plentiful and in consequence wages are coming down. Bushmen who a few months ago could command $32 per month can now be engaged for $28.

The Department of Railways and Canals at Ottawa will receive tenders up to February 20th for the supply of British Columbia Douglas fir timber required for the Rideau canal this year.

Duncan Graham and G. B. Ferguson, of Renfrew, Ont., who purchased 25 square miles of timber limits at the recent timber sale in Toronto, have started a camp near North Bay and are taking out square timber.

C. K. Eddy & Sons, of Bay City, Mich., who own approximately 500,000,000 feet of pine timber in the Georgian Bay district, are not cutting any logs this winter, believing that the timber is a good asset to hold.

Slack cooperage stock prices are said to be slightly easier, although there is still a scarcity of No. 1 staves. Flour barrels are quoted at Buffalo at 50 cents for 6-hooped and 52½ cents for 8-hooped. Jobbers quote No. 1 dry elm, flour barrel staves at $13 and No. 2 at $9.50; No. 1 basswood heading, 10¼ cents; No. 2, 6 cents; coiled hoops, $9.25 for 5½ foot and $9.75 for 6 foot.

Calls for all kinds of hardwoods are increasing and the business shows a small gain over previous weeks, says the Mississippi Valley Lumberman. There has not been much disposition to take hold, and now that the holidays are over and the factories have a moderate number of orders on hand, they are inclined to take a little stock and start up factories. There is no pressure of any kind of stock on the market and the reverse condition prevails in most varieties.

WHITE PINE PRICE LIST.

The new price list on white pine adopted by the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association took effect January 6th, 1904. The prices are f.o.b. Minneapolis, based on the new standard grades. For joists, scantling, common boards, etc., the prices are :

JOISTS, SCANTLING AND TIMBER, ROUGH.—2x4, 6 ft., $11; 8 ft., $14; 10 ft., $15; 12, 14 and 16 ft., $15; 18 and 20 ft., $17; 2x6, 6 ft. $13.50; 8 ft., $14; 10, 12, 14 and 16 ft., $15; 18 and 20 ft., $17; 2x8, 6 ft., $13-50; 8 ft., $14; 10 to 16 ft., $15; 18 and 20 ft. $17; 2x10, 6 ft., $13.50; 8 ft., $14; 10 to 16 ft., $15.50; 18 and 20 ft., $17.50; 2x12, 6 ft., $14.50; 8 ft., $15; 10 ft., $18; 12 and 14 ft., $17.50; 16 ft., $17; 18 and 20 ft., $18.50; 2x14, 10 ft., $19; 12 to 16 ft., $17.50; 18 and 20 ft., $20; 3x8 and 3x10, 10 ft. $18; 12 to 16 ft., $16; 18 and 20 ft., $18.50; 3x12, 10 ft., $18.50; 12 to 16 ft., $17.50; 18 and 20 ft., $19; 4x4 to 8x8, 10 ft., $18; 12 to 16 ft., $16.50; 18 and 20 ft., $18.50. For No. 2 dimension deduct $1.50 and for No. 3 dimension deduct $3.

COMMON BOARDS, ROUGH.—No. 1, 13 inch and wider, 12 to 16 ft., $25; 18 and 20 ft., $26; 12 inch, 10 ft., $25.50; 12 to 16 ft., $24; 18 and 20 ft., $26.50; 10 inch, 10 ft., $21.50; 12 ft., $20.50; 14 to 16 ft., $19.50; 18 and 20 ft., $22.50; 8 inch, 10 ft., $17.50; 12 and 14 ft., $19.50; 16 ft., $20; 18 and 20 ft., $21. No. 2, 13 inch and wider, 12 to 16 ft., $19; 12 inch, 10 ft., $20.50; 12 and 14 ft., $20; 16 ft., $19; 18 and 20 ft., $22.50; 10 inch, 10 and 12 ft., $18; 14 and 16 ft., $17; 18 and and 20 ft., $9.50; 8 inch, 10 ft., $17.50; 14 and 16 ft., $16.50; 18 and 20 ft., $18. No. 3, 12 inch, 10 and 12 ft., $17.50; 14 and 16 ft. $16.50; 18 and 20 ft., $18; 10 inch, 10 to 16 ft., $15; 18 and 20 ft. $15.50; 8 inch, 10 ft., $14; 12 to 20 ft., $15; 4 inch and wider, 10 ft., $13.50; 12 to 20 ft., $14.50. No. 4, 4 inch and wider, 6 to 20 ft., $11.50. No. 3 and 4 mixed width boards may contain not to exceed 10 per cent. of 4 inch and 20 per cent. of 6 inch. No 4 inch boards may contain not to exceed 25 per cent. of 6, 8 and 10 feet. For all white pine No. 1 and 2 boards, all widths and lengths, add $1 to above prices.

ONE INCH FINISHING, 8 1S or 2S.—First, second and third clear, 12 inch, 10 ft. and longer, $58.50; 10 inch, $51.50; 8 inch, $50.50; A select, 12 inch, $55.50; 10 and 8 inch, $50.50; B select, 12 inch, $50.50; 10 and 8 inch, $45.50; C select, 12 inch, $45.50; 10 and 8 inch, $39.50; D select, 12 inch and wider, $34.50; 10 and 8 inch, $29; D box, 13 inch and wider, $38.50; D stock, 12 inch, $31.50; 10 and 8 inch, $27.50; C and better Norway, 8 inch and wider, $25; Shop common, $21.

FOUR AND SIX INCH FLOORING.—C flooring, 8 and 10 ft., $36; 12 to 20 ft., $24; D flooring, 8 and 10 ft., $26; 12 and 14 ft., $29; 16 ft., $30; 18 and 20 ft., $29. Farmers Clear, 12 and 14 ft., $29; 16 ft., $30. Norway C and better, 12 and 14 ft., $25; 16 ft., $25.50; 18 and 20 ft., $25.

FOUR AND 6 INCH SIDING.—B and better, 6 to 20 ft., $27; C, $23; D, $15.50; E, $12; C and better Norway, $14.

LATH.—No. 1 white pine, $3.50; mixed, $2.75; No. 2, $2.25; ⅝ fence lath, 4 ft., $6.

BROOM HANDLES

If an enterprising man with supplies of cheap Spruce, Basswood or Poplar care to put in several machines to work broom handles we can take his output. Write in first instance to Empire, care of CANADA LUMBERMAN.

The special attention of any of our readers who may be on the lookout for timber properties is directed to the advertisement in this issue of mortgage sale of valuable mill, site, timber limits, etc., at Fesserton, Simcoe County, Ont. We understand that there is on this small limit a considerable quantity of valuable timber. The property is situated convenient to the North River so that supplies of timber might be brought down from points on the Georgian Bay.

TELEGRAPH POLES
WANTED
We buy all lengths. Write us for prices and you will see that by cutting your Cedar into Poles it will net you more than you can get out of it in any other way.
J. B. FARWELL & SON
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FOY, MORGAN & CO.,
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WANTED: Basswood, Birch, Hard Maple, Rock and Soft Elm Lumber
Office and Yard—571 Dorchester Street, MONTREAL, P Q.
Telephone Main 368.
Correspondence Solicited

WHITE CEDAR PRICES.

The Northwestern Cedarmen's Association, which met in Chicago on January 5th, adopted the following prices on white cedar products. The prices are f. o. b. Hermansville, Mich.

POST AND POLES, MIXED CARS.

Diameter.	Inches.	Length.	Price.
3	R	7	7½ cts.
4	"	7	11 "
5	"	7	13½ "
6	"	7	15 "
7	"	7	17 "
8	"	7	25 "
5	½	7	8 "
6	"	7	9 "
7	"	7	10 "
7-9	½	7	7½ "
4	R	8	15 "
5	"	8	17 "
6	"	8	19 "
7	"	8	22 "
8	"	8	35 "
4	"	10	21 "
5	"	10	28 "
6	"	10	30 "
7	"	10	35 "
8	"	10	58 "
4	"	12	25 "
5	R	12	33 "
6	"	12	36 "
7	"	12	41 "
4	"	14	30 "
5	"	14	38 "
6	"	14	41 "
7	"	14	48 "
4	"	16	40 "
5	"	16	45 "
6	"	16	50 "
7	"	16	58 "
4	"	18	55 "
5	"	18	62 "
6	"	18	72 "
7	"	18	85 "
4	"	20	65 "
5	"	20	80 "
6	"	20	90 "
7	"	20	$1.05 "
4	"	25	80 "
5	"	25	1.00 "
5	"	30	1.50 "

PILING.

	Price per foot.
8 to 9 inch top, 12 to 20 feet	10 cents
9 to 11 " 12 to 20 "	11 "
8 to 9 " 22 to 30 "	11 "
9 to 11 " 22 to 30 "	12 "
8 to 9 " 32 to 40 "	13 "
Extra *A* white cedar shingles	$2.50
Standard *A* white cedar shingles	2.10

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

VANCOUVER, January 6th, 1904.—The owners of timber lands Crown-granted prior to 1887 are about the only men engaged in the logging industry who are altogether satisfied with existing conditions. This is due to the fact that the Government, in its recent amendment to the Land Act, neglected to bring the timber on their holdings within the application of its graduated tax and rebate scale. As a consequence the owners of such lands are still free to export their logs, cedar or fir, to the United States upon the payment of the royalty of 50 cents per thousand feet, as provided for by section 54 of the Act. It is generally believed that the Government intended, when it drafted its bill of the amendment to the Land Act, to embrace within its application timber lands Crown-granted prior to 1887, but by some mistake such was not done. The export of timber cut from such lands can now only be prevented by an amendment to the present Act.

For the first time since the amendment to the Land Act became law, a boom of logs cut on the E. & N. Railway lands on Vancouver Island paid royalty to-day prior to transportation to Puget Sound. The royalty was paid according to Schedule No. 1 of the amendment and ranged from $1 per thousand feet to $1.50 per thousand feet, according to the diameter of the logs in the boom. Payment was made by a logger named Cook, who is operating on a section of the E. & N. grant. The boom measured approximately 600,000 feet. The seller and exporter of the boom explained that he was merely trying the exportation as an experiment to demonstrate to his own satisfaction whether or not any profit, under the terms of the amended act, could be made through selling logs on the Sound.

The British Columbia Logging & Lumber Compay, operating at the northern end of Vancouver Island, has determined to cease operations. The manager, Mr. E. W. Wilson, says that the action the company proposes to take is forced upon them by the new schedule of taxation of timber. They have invested about $75,000 in timber on Vancouver Island, which cost an average of $1 a thousand feet board measure standing. Logging the timber cost them from $3.50 to $4.50 more, and towing the logs 75 cents. The total cost thus came to about $5.75 per thousand. "We might, of course," said Mr. Wilson, "build a mill here, but what guarantee have we that we shall not be taxed out of existence if we do. It would not have been so bad if they had given us time to turn round, but they did not even do that. The law went into operation immediately, and I have just paid taxes on logs we had already cut before the measure was fairly before the House. Logs in Vancouver and in the Sound are at present worth from $4 to $6 per M. Now, as we understand the bill just passed, we will be taxed from $1 to $5 per M., according to grade and size of timber. Any person can readily see that it is an utter impossibility to carry on a logging busineess at those rates. We have now two logging camps in operation employing from 70 to 80 men, and we pay these men from $3 to $4.75 per day, and many of them are ranchers from whom we bought timber, thus giving them in addition steady employment at better wages than they ever had before. We employ only white labor. We intended opening two more camps in the spring, and then erecting a saw mill, but with this unjust tax bill before us we have only one alternative left, that is, to cease operations, close our camps and leave our standing timber untill such time as a new law is enacted."

The Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, on the other hand, state that there is a scarcity of logs in British Columbia. Mr. J. J. Palmer, manager of the mills at Chemainus, in a recent interview said: "I am in the market for 10,000,000 feet of merchantable fir, and I will pay $6.50 per thousand feet, cash, for fir logs delivered at the Chemainus mills." This company announce that they have been unable to procure a sufficient supply of logs in British Columbia, and as a result are importing logs from Puget Sound. A boom of 700,000 feet is now on its way to Chemainus from Port Ludlow, and another tug will follow with a boom of about 600,000 feet.

The firm of H. H. Poole & Company has been incorporated at Buffalo, to deal in lumber. The capital stock is $50,000.

WANTED

Pine Cutting common and better, 6½ inches long and up, 4 in. and wider, 1½ in. thick and thicker. State quantity and price for yearly supply from saw mills or factories.

FUEL LUMBER CO.
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2x12 common	21 00 22 00
3x1C common	19 00 20 00
2x12 common	21 00 23 00
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1 inch siding mill run	16 00 17 50
½ inch strips, common	17 50 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00 22 00
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Cull scantling	12 00
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1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 75
X white pine shingles	1 10
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.. / XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	2 50
XX " 5 to 2 in...	2 71

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Ash, white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00 $34 00
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Birch M. R., 1 in.	19 00 21 00
" 1½ " 2	22 00 24 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	25 00 26 00
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Basswood, 1½ to 2 m. r. 1	26 28 0
1¼	23 00 24 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds 1½	60 00 70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	65 00 75 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 "	1½ 00 22 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	22 00 24 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00 26 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	26 00 28 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	34 00 37 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 21 00 23 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	24 00 26 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 34 00 36 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	37 00 39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½ 39 00 41 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	44 00 48 00
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1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00 55 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00 35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00 38 00
2 in.	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00 30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00 20 00
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" 6' to 11'x10"	17 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50 20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1x10 No. 2 "	
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 75 3 00
No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
Red Pine mil run	2 00 2 25
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 10 3 20
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 25 2 40
xx, 18 inch	1 25 1 5
Cedar Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 30 3 5
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2
18 inch	1 65 2

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	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	47	53
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	58	63
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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	32
In shipping order, " " "	28	34

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	17	22
15 " "	24	28
17 " "	27	29
18 " "	30	32

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	80 00
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	75 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	57 00
2in.	58 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	70 00
4 in.	70 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00
2in.	50 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	60 00
4 in.	60 00

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1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	$29 to 30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 50
8 in.	19 00
1x6.	19 00
1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

White Pine	3 00
No. 2 White Pine	50
Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	1¼ inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	1¼ Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	10-in. common 25
1 to 2 in	70	72	12-in. dressing and better 40 40
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Common, 1x12 25
1 to 2 in	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10 25 30
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23 26
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10 23 27
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8 20 24
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 42
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 13

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	$4 50 $4 75	Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50 3 75	Hemlock	2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75	Spruce	2 25

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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	75 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	56 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	70 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	48 00	1x6 & up	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	24 00	1x10	18 50
No. 2, 1 in.	38 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	1x13 and up	21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	36 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼x10 and 12	34 00		
1½ in.			

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in. 44 00 46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips 23 00 25 00
			Com. and culls 18 00 20 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls 16 00 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 25 00 27 00
			Com. & good culls 13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 24 00 26 00
Common and culls	16 00	18 00	Common and culls 16 00 18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft 20 00 21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls 12 00 13 00

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4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 8" up x 12/18' Sidings

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4/4" x 8" x 12/16' Stock

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4/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
4/4" x 4"/7" x 12/16' Strips

White Pine No. 1 Mill Culls :

4/4", 5/4", 6/4", 8/4" x 4" up x 6/11' Shorts
" " " " 4/7" 12/16' Strips
" " " " 8" up x 12/16' Sidings

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The present lumber demand is on a winter basis, and the deep snow is interfering with the execution of such orders as are placed. Judging by the number of inquiries received by manufacturers there is reason to believe that an active trade will develop at an early date. No doubt some of these inquiries are made with a view to ascertaining the disposition of mill men towards prices. There is unanimity on one point, namely, that pine stocks will not be offered at prices lower than prevailed during the past year. A few mill cuts are already under option, and Saginaw and Bay City dealers have closed contracts for a quantity of stock. It is expected that within the next month a large proportion of the Georgian Bay cut will be contracted for. The Ottawa valley production of British deals has, with the exception of the output of one mill, been disposed of, the buyers being Messrs. Watson & Todd, J. Burstall & Company, Robert Cox & Company and W. & J. Sharples. Considerable waney timber to be taken out this winter has also been placed with the Montreal and Quebec shippers at an advauce of from 10 to 15 per cent. over last year's prices.

The hardwood market is gathering strength and is in good shape. Business is expected to pick up sharply during the next month or six weeks. The output of logs is being curtailed by the great depth of snow and there is every reason to expect that it will be possible to market all the stock to be cut this year at prices equal to or above those now ruling.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The cold weather has retarded the movement of lumber to the Eastern States. The large spruce mills shipping by water are closed for the season and this has given some activity to rail shipments. Although the demand is generally quiet

prices are firm and there is some inquiry in anticipation of the spring trade and some disposition to supply probable needs. New Brunswick cedar shingles are reported to be sligh ly weaker, with considerable quantities of extras offered at $3.40 for Boston delivery. Spruce laths are firmly held at $3.40 for 1⅝ inch and $3.20 for 1½ inch.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Retail dealers are placing a few orders for lumber in anticipation of spring demand but trade is by no means active. It is not expected that business will improve very much before the middle of February. In British Columbia both lumber and shingles are quiet, but a good season is anticipated. In spite of the wet weather building operations in Vancouver and Victoria are active and a number of large buildings are being arranged for. Very few logs are being put in the water, and labor in the camps is freely offering. Wages are now on about a par with those paid on the American side of the line, as there has been a further reduction this month of from 25 to 50 cents per day.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market of the United States has assumed a more promising aspect. There is some inquiry on the part of both retail and wholesale dealers, and as a considerable amount of building is in progress, and the amount promises to increase in volume as the spring approaches, a moderate demand for lumber seems assured. Dealers in the Eastern States are looking for an active trade and almost unanimously agree that prices are likely to be maintained. There has already been a slight improvement in the upper grades, as will be seen by reference to our Buffalo list. There should be no difficulty in maintaining the price of box lumber, as grades suitable for box making are almost entirely out of the market and the demand for boxes is as great as ever. In Albany 10-inch box is selling at $20 and 12-inch at $21. The statistics regarding the northern pine cut and stocks show that the stock of white pine on hand at the close of 1903 was 148,167,000 feet less than at the close of 1902 and 423,704,000 feet less than at the close of 1901. The production was less than in the previous year, but it appears that stocks on hand have diminished to a greater extent than has the production. In the face of these statistics there seems to be little ground on which to base the hope of lower prices.

An increase in the movement of hardwoods is reported from several points. Before the new cut is ready for the market present stocks promise to be wiped out, making lower prices almost an impossibility. Nearly all consuming factories are operating to their full capacity, and a good demand for furniture and other goods for which hardwood furnishes the raw material is expected. Soft elm is strong and scarce and birch and basswood find ready sale. Ash is reported to be a little irregu'ar, but it will no doubt improve upon the approach of spring.

GREAT BRITAIN.

All classes of lumber have been moving slowly in Great Britain of late. A few sales for next season's import have taken place at prices said to represent a compromise between buyers and sellers. It is generally considered, however, that there is not much possibility of a material decline in prices. During the past year the import of lumber was greater than in the previous year, yet notwithstanding the frequent complaints of limited consumption, stocks on hand at the close of the year were not above the average. The better qualities of pine deals are in light stock and commanding full prices. The lower grades, on the other hand, are not inquired for to any extent, and in some districts prices are said to be a shade easier. New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce deals have arrived by the liners in larger quantities than is usual, but lumber has been readily taken. It is reported that a cargo of St. John spruce had been sold to Belfast parties at £8 13s 6d per standard c.i.f. Belfast. It is also stated that on account of the high prices asked for spruce deals some buyers have been looking elsewhere, and as a result 10,000 standards of Galatz deals have been sold to British firms for 1904 delivery. By some it is claimed that this move on the part of importers will have an effect on spruce prices. Only a moderate business is doing in waney pine, the present high prices tending to restrict consumption. Oak is going into consumption at an average rate and the stock of rock elm has been reduced to a low point.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Logs from the Madawaska timber limits are arriving at J. R. Booth's mill at Ottawa at the rate of 100 carloads per day.

The saw mill at Sidney, B.C., which resumed operations recently, has just made a shipment of 100,000 feet of lumber to Hong Kong.

The French Creek Lumber Company, of Vancouver, B.C., recently shipped logs to the United States on which they paid a dollar a thousand royalty.

It is reported that Dobell, Becket & Company have purchased from J. R. Booth, of Ottawa, the waney timber taken off his Madawaska limits this winter.

The W. H. Sawyer Lumber Company, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., recently shipped 750,000 feet of high grade pine, surfaced on four sides, to South Africa.

The Ladysmith Lumber Company, of Ladysmith, B.C., cut during the season of 1903, 6,100,000 feet of lumber, 5,000,000 laths and 5,000,000 shingles, all of which were sold.

Two Duluth firms are said to have sold not less than 75,000,000 feet of white pine lumber for the coming season's delivery, while others have sold lesser amounts and the total business already done at Duluth probably exceeds 150,000,000 feet. This is on a cut that is now estimated at not over 300,000,000 feet.

All cooperage stock is still scarce unless it be hoops, which are comparatively low and weak in price, Buffalo quotations running from $9.25 to $9.75 for 5½ and 6-foot, which is lower than the price has been for years. Elm flour barrel staves are up to $13.50 and basswood heading 10½ cents for first-class.

W. S. Cook, of Vancouver, B. C., is a loser to the extent of some $3,000 by the breaking of a boom of logs he had stored along the shore of Hardwick Island, on Johnstone Straits. The boom contained 300,000 feet of logs and was stored awaiting the arrival of a tug to tow it down to the mill at Vancouver. Herbert Gilley, of New Westminster, B. C., recently suffered a similar loss. A boom of logs sold to the Monarch Lumber Company, of Blaine, Wash., met with a strong wind and when the boom reached Blaine it contained only 70 out of the 350 logs which it originally comprised.

The output of the several saw mills on the Saginaw river in Michigan in 1903 was approximately 97,000,000 feet. During the season there was brought into the river from other manufacturing districts by boat 138,000,000 feet as compared with 160,000,000 feet the previous year. How the lumber industry in Michigan has declined may be judged from the fact that in 1851 the saw mills on the river manufactured 24,000,000,000 feet of lumber.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa is asking for tenders for licenses to cut timber on Dominion lands, as follows: Up to Wednesday, January 27th, for Berth No. 1122 and comprising 110 square miles to be selected within seven different tracts in the district of Alberta; up to February 3rd, for Berth No. 1130, comprising sections 1, 2 and 3 in Township 4, Range 12, east of the first Meridian, containing 3 square miles; Berth No. 1129, comprising sections 4 and 9, Township 3, Range 11, 2 square miles; Berth No. 1128, comprising sections 22, 23 and 27, Township 4, Range 10, 3 square miles, all east of the first Meridian, Province of Manitoba; up to February 10th for Berth No. 1126 on east side of Lake Winnipeg, and comprising 2 square miles, to be selected in not more than two blocks.

Alfred Dobell & Company, Liverpool, Eng,, quote the following prices for Canadian lumber:

	£	s	d		£	s	d
QUEBEC WHITE PINE TIMBER.							
Square, per cu. ft.	0	1	9	@	0	2	9
Waney, per cu. ft.	0	2	8	@	0	3	6
St. John, 18 in., per cu. ft.	0	2	3	@	0	3	3
Lower Ports, per cu. ft.	0	1	1	@	0	1	6
Red Pine, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	1	10
Oak—1st quality, per cu. ft.	0	2	9	@	0	3	3
2nd quality, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	6
Ash, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	3
Elm, per cu. ft.	0	2	9	@	0	3	3
Hickory, per cu. ft.	0	2	0	@	0	2	6
Birch, Quebec, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	3
St. John, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	0
Birch Planks, per cu. ft.	0	0	9	@	0	0	11
Spruce Spars, per cu. ft.	0	0	10	@	0	1	0
QUEBEC PINE DEALS.							
1st quality, per std.	25	0	0	@	30	0	0
2nd quality, per std.	17	10	0	@	21	0	0
3rd quality, per std.	12	0	0	@	15	0	0
St. John, N.B., Spruce, per std.	7	5	0	@	7	15	0
Lower Ports Spruce, per std.	7	0	0	@	7	10	0
SPRUCE BOARDS	6	0	0	@	7	0	0
LATHWOOD, per fathom	3	12	6	@	4	0	0

Clairmonte, Man & Company report as follows regarding the Barbados lumber market: "There have been six arrivals with white pine and spruce during the fortnight and our market is fully stocked, but prices have been fairly maintained. Last sale of white pine for a cargo on the spot was at $25 per thousand for merchantable and $20 for second quality; spruce $21.17 for merchantable and $17.17 for second quality. Last sales of Gaspe Long Cedar shingles were at $5.57 and Cedar Laying at $2.05 to $2.07½. There have been no late sales of Spruce Laying. Arrivals have been "Dixon Rice," from Weymouth, N.S., with 188,000 feet spruce, sold at $21.10; 15,000 feet second quality, sold at $17.10; 6,000 feet white pine, $25.10; 4,000 ft. second quality, $20.10; 16,000 feet hemlock, $18.10; "Lolita," from Liverpool, N. S., 90,000 feet white pine, $25; 40,000 feet second quality, $20; 38,000 feet spruce, $20.50; 20,000 feet second quality, $16.50. "Helen Shaffner," from Mahone Bay, N. S., 187,000 feet hemlock, sold at $18 for first and $14 for second quality; 53,000 feet white pine, $25. Schooner "W. R. Alston" from Halifax, N. S., 110,000 feet white pine, sold to arrive at $27 for first and $22 for second quality. "Edouard," from Halifax, 161,000 feet white pine and spruce for Antigua."

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

At the present time, owing to the protracted cold weather and heavy snow storms, the consumption of shingles is very light. It is well known that at this season of the year there is never much business and this particular season is if anything more quiet than usual. We understand that a good many of the manufacturers still have on hand a proportion of their 1903 cut. The winter mills are now in operation and will be in a position to make some shipments before long. These facts will make it possible for the retail trade to replenish their stocks at fairly advantageous prices.

We understand that the stocks in retailers' hands are about normal. Prospects for building operations in New England the coming spring are fairly good and we are inclined to believe that the market this winter will follow the usual course, that is to say, that prices will be somewhat easier for some little period to come. This will be followed by a hardening in values towards spring. The present quotations are as follows, f.o.b. cars, Boston rate of freight: Extras, $3.35 to $3.45; clears, $2.85 to $2.95; 2nd clears, $2.25 to $2.40; clear whites, $2.15 to $2.25.

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LONDON TIMBER REPORT.

The following particulars of the London timber market are extracted from Foy, Morgan & Company's annual circular :

PINE.—The prices asked in January for the spring shipments seemed at first recklessly extravagant to the London dealers, and it is not surprising therefore that for two months or more forward business was at a standstill. In March, however, some 1st and 2nd quality were sold, buyers having by that time decided that they must again accept in good faith shippers' statments of the reduction in the supply of good quality pine. The import has been larger than last year, but the surplus consists almost entirely of 3rd and 4th quality of pine, on which there has consequently been a serious drop in values, although the higher qualities still hold their own. Business has been of a retail character, and the consumption smaller than during any of the previous five years. Canadian shippers are now paying for 1904 production some 10 per cent. advance on last season's prices, the equivalent of which will certainly be stoutly resisted by the importers on this side.

SPRUCE.—Selling for the new season commenced in February, when some considerable contracts of Quebec spruce were closed on the basis of £10 and £9 15s. for 2nds, and £9 5s. for 3rds 3x9 c.i.f. With regard to battens, 3x7 3rds were placed at £7 15s. and £7 12s. 6d. c.i.f., but most shippers asked 10s. more for 8-in. The best stocks of unsorted lower port spruce next found a fairly ready sale at £8 5s. and £8 7s. 6d., for average 9 in., while 3x7 and 8 alone, of which there was evidence of a considerable surplus in shippers' stock notes, were pressed on the large markets as low as £7 c.i.f. In March several new stocks of Galatz white being pressed for sale at £8 10s. to £8 15s. for 3 x 9 and 3 x 11, all spruce business experienced a very decided set-back —the more especially as spot prices had meanwhile not shown an adequate response to the higher cost of the new supplies. The second quarter of the year, which witnessed the collapse of Riga White prices, was a critical period also for the spruce market, but shippers, having only small stocks to deal with, and knowing the high cost to replace in consequence of the competition from the States, refused to drop prices. Meanwhile the long-continued drought in Canada helped the situation materially by still further diminishing the expected supplies. The import has consequently been unusually small, and the season ends with small stocks on this side and prices re-established after the nominal decline in the summer. At the shipping ports the wintering stocks are reported to be smaller than they have been for many years.

RED PINE.—A large part of the previous autumn's importation of deal sizes was carried over and sold at auction during the early months of the year. The prices realized for parcels of really good quality showed at first considerable improvement, but as soon as the inferior shipments began to be catalogued, the market dropped heavily. Buyers are naturally suspicious about this wood as regards sap, so that parcels showing any discoloration are often very difficult to sell. The shipments made this summer, however, came forward in good bright condition, and were to a large extent disposed of privately. Red pine has only a limited vogue except as a substitute for Baltic redwood, so that while sizes which are scarce will often fetch as much as Baltic fir, one may see those which are plentiful selling at the same time at a heavy discount. The experiment made in 1902 in shipping this wood to the Cape proved a success, so that considerable new orders were placed this spring, starting in February, at £10 5s. for 3x9, and £8 for 3x7 and 8 f.o.b. Montreal. This trade was greatly facilitated by the inauguration of a line of Inter-colonial steamers, which catered for the parcel trade at a freight of 75s. These sales checked business in the regular Swedish deals with the Cape for several months, and largely caused the drop in prices referred to above.

LUMBER PRODUCTION AND STOCKS.

Interesting statistics concerning the lumber production and stocks on hand are contained in the last issue of the American Lumberman. The statistics refer to the States of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The total cut of pine lumber in these states during 1903 was 4,791,852,000 feet, as compared with 5,294,395,000 feet in 1902, 5,336,448,000 feet in 1901, and 5,485,261,000 feet in 1900. The maximum figure was reached in 1890, when the cut was 8,597,623,000 feet, and since that time the cut has gradually declined. The stocks of northern pine on hand at the close of 1903 were 1,964,552,000 feet, compared to 2,112,719,000 feet in 1902, 2,388,266,000 feet in 1901, and 2,839,705,000 feet in 1900. Stocks on hand at the close of last year were 857,153,000 feet less than at the close of 1900, while during the same period the production declined 693,709,000 feet.

The shingle production has been irregular and the totals do not show that degree of decline that pertains to the output of lumber. The production in 1903 was 2,342,202,000, in 1902 2,685,757,000, in 1901 2,471,627,000, and in 1900 2,400,679,000. The stocks on hand at the close of last year make a heavy showing as compared with 1902, the figures for the two years being 627,072,000 and 397,815,000. This surplus is accounted for by the dull market that prevailed late last season, together with increased competition from red cedars.

The hemlock output of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota in 1903 was 11,334,444,000 feet, against 1,277,814,000 feet in 1902, 1,264,943,000 feet in 1901, and 1,166,288,000 feet in 1900. There has been a steady gain in the total production of hemlock since 1899. The stocks on hand at close of last year were 515,935,000 feet, which compares with 441,634,000 feet in 1902, 574,406,000 feet in 1901, and 622,312,000 feet in 1900.

Reports from 122 wholesale dealers show that at the end of last year they were carrying 938,034,000 feet, while one year earlier 90 dealers were carrying in their yards 936,483,000 feet. For this year the average amount of northern pine held by each yard would be 7,688,803 feet, against 10,405,374 feet last year.

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The great feature in the London market, say Denny, Mott & Dickson, has been the increase in the price of waney pine and rock elm. The scant supplies of these woods in Quebec were cleared to Europe without effort at unprecedentedly high prices; and, although such high cost has checked the use of these woods on this side and increasingly caused Oregon pine to be used as a substitute for white pine decks, &c., a fairly satisfactory substitute for rock elm has not yet been found. The fact of an abnormally small wintered stock at Quebec of these woods is causing the Quebec shippers to still further increase prices; and, in face of this information, it is for consumers here to learn to do without these woods or to pay during next year the extravagant prices demanded. Oak is in good supply, and prices have been, and seem likely to remain, comparatively cheap.

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Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber trade is to a certain extent marking time. This refers especially to large orders, there being some hesitancy about entering into contracts until the season is further advanced and the trend of trade in the United States is more definitely determined. Considering the unfavorable weather conditions, considerable lumber is changing hands. The retail dealers have for some time been carrying light stocks in anticipation of lower prices, but as there is still no evidence that manufacturers will weaken in their asking prices, they are now disposed to replenish their stocks to some extent so as to take care of early spring orders. This buying is assisting to keep the market firm. While United States trade is quiet and shipments have been retarded by the heavy snow storms, there is sufficient buying for home consumption to give a firm tone to the market. Hemlock perhaps leads in point of strength. Some sales of stock to be manufactured during the coming season have been made at $11.50 per thousand, as compared with $11 for the same class of lumber last year. The hardwood demand has not yet commenced to expand, but greater activity is confidently expected very shortly and a good season seems assured. Interior hardwood finish will no doubt be a ready seller, as building operations throughout the province promise to be on a large scale. Shingles are showing a little more strength, although there has been no improvement in prices.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market has undergone no important change since last writing. There is as yet no pronounced activity, although buying by retail dealers is on a slightly increased scale. It is reported at Quebec that some square timber has been contracted for at an advanced price,

but definite information is not obtainable. There is no doubt but that the tendency of square and waney timber prices is upwards. So far as immediate business is concerned, white cedar shingles are quiet. There is a considerable stock offering at from $3.35 to $3.40 for extras on Boston rate of freight, but it is significant to note that manufacturers and wholesalers are unwilling to accept orders for future delivery at any figure below $3.50. The shingle market is feeling the benefit of the arrangement for the control of the British Columbia output, as during the past year competition from that source was quite severe.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber trade of the United States during the past week has been of moderate volume, though no very important sales are reported. Manufacturers are not urging sales and are unwilling to make any concessions in prices. Buying has not yet begun in earnest, but reports from the Lake Superior district state that dealers are feeling the market and that there is evidence of more activity in the near future. A number of lumber associations have recently held their annual meetings, and where the question of prices was discussed the feeling was strongly in favour of the maintenance of present prices. The Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association advanced ten inch No. 3 and No. 4 pine, all widths, 50 cents, and 4 inch No. 3 $1. No. 1 and 2, 6 inch, all lengths, were reduced 50 cents. The Southern Lumber Manufacturers' Association made a number of slight advances over the October list. Third clear finish was advanced $1 a thousand, shiplap and common lumber 50 cents, and grooved roofing, surfaced one side, $3. No. 1 mixed 4-foot lath were placed at $3 to points where a freight rate of 23 cents is in effect. No changes were made by the North-Western Hemlock Association, the price list of August 28, 1903, being reaffirmed.

Hardwood prices are being well maintained, and while business is a little quiet at the present time the outlook is positively bright. There are no surplus stocks on hand, and as most of the consuming factories are now in operation, with prospects of continued activity for some months to come, there is reason to expect a heavy consumption of hardwood lumber. There may be a lack of demand from the car shops and railroads as compared to that of last year, but this will not be a serious matter. The demand for black ash exceeds the supply, and elm and basswood are as scarce as ever.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Buyers of lumber in Great Britain have for some time been predicting lower prices, but comparison shows that no important decline has as yet taken place. Certain it is that consumption is not all that could be desired, and that consumers are pursuing a very conservative policy with respect to purchases, but it is not unusual to find an apparently gloomy view taken at this season of the year, when many persons are anxious to contract for their lumber requirements on the most advantageous terms possible. We hear very favorable reports regarding waney and square pine, of which the stock on hand is very light. It is pointed out that during the past seven years the Clyde stocks of white pine timber have fallen from 19,400 loads to 7,300 loads. Best quality pine deals are held very firmly, prices ranging between $30 and $34 per St. Petersburg standard of 1,980 feet. The same may he said of spruce deals, of which the consumption, comparatively speaking, is quite large. The lower cost makes spruce lumber much favored for many purposes, and this will be more pronounced as the price of pine advances.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The St. Croix Lumber Co., of Hartville, N.S., expect to cut about 5,000,000 feet of lumber this year.

The St. Anthony Lumber Company, of Whitney, Ont., are putting in about 40,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

Gilman Bros. & Burden, of Pokiok, N.B., are conducting lumbering operations on the Oromocto River this winter, and expect to cut upwards of one million feet.

Shepard, Farmer & Company, of Boston, are reported to have contracted for the entire output of nine leading shingle mills of the Pacific Coast, including some British Columbia mills.

About a million feet of norway and white pine logs and several hundred cedar poles, which had been cut by trespassers, were offered for sale by auction at Crookston, Minnesota, on January 16th. The successful purchasers were Sprague & Hyland, of Winnepeg, Man.

J. P. Mosher, who is operating the rotary mill on the Knight property at Musquash, N.B., expects to manufacture about 1,500,000 feet of lumber this winter. In the spring two rotaries will be put in operation at the water mill, where about 7,000,000 feet of logs will be sawn.

The Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa is asking for tenders up to February 19th, for the dead and fallen tamarac, jack pine, and birch timber on the Indian Reserve, No. 15 M, known as the Wild Land Reserve, which must be cut and removed within five years from date of acceptance of tender.

The lumber cut of the H. Witbeck Company, of Marinette, Wis., for the coming year, was last week sold to the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago. The price paid for the cut is said to have been about the same as last year. The transaction represents about 20,000,000 feet, of which 11,000,000 feet is white pine, 2,000,000 feet norway and 7,000,000 feet hemlock.

From Edmiston & Mitchell's Glasgow timber circular: The import of birch from Montreal and Quebec amounts to 2,350 loads of logs and 1,260 loads of planks, compared with 1,230 loads of logs and 1,940 loads of planks last year, while from the lower ports there arrived about 2,000 loads of logs and 3,000 loads of planks, against 2,200 loads last year. As has been the case for the past few years, the demand has been of the most languid kind, and except in the case of large prime logs, suitable for boarding purposes (which were never too plentiful and consequently brought full values), prices proved far from satisfactory to importers. These ranged in the case of Quebec timber from 1s. for small inferior logs, up to 2s. 2d. for first-class 19-inch average, while for lower port logs current values have been from 14d. to 17d. per foot. Planks also proved dull of sale, and prices were for the most part round 1s. per foot. The stock on hand of both logs and planks consists chiefly of low port.

BUFFALO NOTES.

BUFFALO, Jan. 23, 1904.—The trade continues slow as is usual in winter.

The Buffalo hardwood merchants continue to find increasing difficulty in the securing of Canadian hardwoods, this being due, they say, to the large increase in the home demand and the consequent raising of prices. That they recognize the hopelessness of the situation is seen in the fact that to-day it is not possible to find more than one or two firms with representative buyers in Ontario, whereas three years ago that province was simply overrun with them.

The box manufactures here are gradually turning their eyes towards Canada, the growing scarcity of box lumber at the head of the lakes, their formerly source of supply, being most marked.

A new concern, H. M. Poole & Company, has been formed here for conducting a lumber business, with capital of $50,000. The directors, Henry M. Poole, Guy J. Buell, Gilbert L. Hume, Whitney G. Case and Moses Shires, are all experienced lumbermen and propose doing a large trade in hemlock.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber is quiet at Boston, the co'd and stormy weather of late having discouraged inquiry for the spring trade. The supply, however, is small, and prices are firm: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $17.50; all other random, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up, $18.50; 5½ in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18.50 to $20; out spruce boards, $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

Hemlock lumber is easy at quotations: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 ft. stock, $14.50 for good eastern; Pennsylvania No. 1, $18.50 to $19.50; No. 2, $15 to $16.50.

Western pine lumber is steady and unchanged: Uppers, 1 to 2 in., $84 to $87; 2½ to 3 in., $92 to $97; 4-in. $96 to $100; selects, 1-in., $76; 1¼ to 1¾ in., $76 to $78; 2-in., $78; 2½ to 3 in., $84; 4-in., $86; fine common, 1-in., $67; 1¼ to 1½ in., $69; 2-in., $72; 2½ to 3 in. $80; 4-in., $82; barn boards, $23 to $33; coffin boards, $28 to $32.

Hardwoods are generally easier, though sales are still being made within the range of quotations: Quartered oak, $85 to $92; plain oak, $42 to $45; common and rejects, $20 to $25; red oak, plain, $43; whitewood, $53 to $55; sap, $43 to $48; common, $39 to $45; brown ash, $41 to $44; white ash, $42 to $46; maple, $33 to $37; end dried white maple, $46; birch, $27 to $30; birch, 75 per cent. red, $45 to $50; northern elm, $29 to $31.

Clapboards are quiet: Extra, $42 to $44; clear, $41; second clear, $39; extra No. 1, $28 to $30.

Laths are firm: One and five-eighths in., $3.40; 1½-in., $3.25.

Shingles are steady and unchanged: Extra cedar, $3.35 to $3.45; clear, $2.90 to $3; second clear, $2.25 to $2.40; extra, No. 1 $1.50 to $1.70; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.40 to $3.50; 18-in. five butts to 2 in., $3.70 to $3.90; five butts to 2¼ in., $4.10 to $4.30.

BIRD'S EYE MAPLE.

Concerning maple lumber Messrs. Churchill and Sim, of London, England, say: "This wood seems now to be quite out of fashion for picture frames, and its use for cabinet work is so small that a few logs each year suffice for all purposes. The consumption of plain hardwood for flooring purposes is steadily increasing, and this promises to be a large trade; logs were not wanted and only a few were sent; of planks the stock is still too heavy."

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER CONDITIONS.

After two years of successful association work the export mills of the Pacific Coast have been obliged to abandon the cargo combination, and thus for the present the Pacific Coast Lumber Exporters' Association terminates its existence. The reason for this is found in the fact that one member of the association, Pope & Talbot, of San Francisco, refused to enter an agreement for another year, and their refusal released all other mills and put the foreign cargo market in the category of an open market. Mr. R. H. Alexander, manager of the Hastings saw mill branch, was one of a deputation who interviewed Pope & Talbot to endeavour to induce them to continue in the association, but efforts in that direction were unsuccessful. One of the reasons advanced for their action is that they considered that, as pioneers in the foreign trade, they were enly encouraging and assisting other and more recent exporters to secure a share of the trade. It is claimed that in the two years during which the foreign trade has been handled by agreement, the business has been more profitable than in previous years.

The domestic lumber business of British Columbia is looking up a little. Mills which for some time past have been running on short time are now working full time, and some good-sized orders have been booked by some of the mills for both lumber and shingles. It is reported that Woods & Spicer and the Hastings Shingle Manufacturing Company have contracted to supply a large quantity of shingles to a Boston firm.

The demand for logs is still quiet, but as the supply is light, prices are a shade stiffer. Fir logs are quoted at from $5 to $7.50 per thousand delivered at the mill, and cedar at from $5.50 to $8.50, according to quality.

Mr. R. H. Alexander, secretary of the British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Company, of Vancouver, B.C., has sent a communication to the Pacific Coast Lumber Trade Journal giving his opinion on the lumber outlook. Mr. Alexander characterizes the past year as a season of unprofitable business, the fault of the producers themselves, and argues as follows :

"The causes for this unfortunate state of affairs, in my opinion, are almost entirely confined to two ; in fact almost to one, as the first produces the second, and these are, firstly, overproduction, and secondly, fierce (one might term it almost insane) competition between the different producers for business to market their over-production.

"As far as I can ascertain from the information at hand, the different branches of the trade have not fallen off in volume during the last year, and the price of our product has not been forced down by competition with cheaper lumber from other sources.

"In two branches, the foreign and the coastwise, owing to the decline in freights, lumber could be furnished at the end of the year at a lower delivered cost to the customer than at the beginning of 1903, and still net the producer a better price. The price while remunerative to the producer, did not check consumption, as the volume of trade in 1903 was greater than in 1902. Consumers were able to use our product at these prices, and would have continued to do so had not we poor fools of producers killed the goose which laid the golden eggs for us, with a surfeit of food, with the result that instead of making a legitimate profit for ourselves, and at the same time benefiting business conditions generally in a host of ways, we are now making a present of all this to the consumer. The fact is that though many in the trade could remember the conditions which existed for upwards of ten years prior to 1902, a great many more did not have that experience, and a saw mill on the Pacific Coast appeared a veritable bonanza ; hence mills have been built by the score, and many of those already in the business, finding they were doing well, could not rest satisfied without a larger share, and either enlarged their mills or started grinding out lumber by night as well as by day, or even did both. The production became far in excess of any possible demand, and not being able to find a legtimate outlet for their product, the absurd old game began of stealing business from one another by cutting prices. This no doubt would answer for oneself, if left to play the game alone, but anyone who flatters himself that his doings in this respect remain unnoticed, reminds me of the story of the ostrich that fancies because its head is hidden in the sand, the rest of it is also invisible. At the most but a temporary advantage can be gained. "A" steals an order or a customer which naturally would be "B's". "B" to make up for this loss of business retaliates by a greater cut in price to regain it or steal some of "C's" and so it works in a circle until all find themselves with really less business than they had before, and at a price which yields them no profit, for a weakening of prices, instead of stimulating trade, has generally the opposite effect, as buyers become nervous; each is afraid his neighbor may be able to purchase more cheaply than himself, and all therefore are inclined to wait until prices touch the bottom ; that is, until the producer can go no lower.

The sooner we recognize that the trouble lies with the producing end of the trade, and apply measures of self-cure, the sooner will conditions improve. It appears to me that common sense should teach us that the only real cure for overproduction is to lessen it ; so, as a first step, abolish by agreement the practise of night work and be satisfied with the amount of business you can supply by working days only. It is not human-nature for "B" to sit idle all day and see "A" running both night and day, without trying to obtain some share of the business "A" is enjoying. It is quite possible "A" may be an old-established firm and could reply, "my position in the trade and the clientage I hold give me trade that requires my running night and day ; let "B" go and establish his own trade instead of demanding some of mine." All very well, but can you, friend "A", hold that clientage except you meet the prices made by "B," "C," and "D"? The whole experience of the trade is that you cannot. Four apples will not furnish a whole apple each to five parties, each hungry for apple, and there is certain to be trouble till number five, who may have just appeared on the scene, gets a share that satisfies him ; therefore "live and let live" should be the motto; better to let one-fifth go and make a profit on four-fifths than to make no profit at all. At the same time the last comer should recognize that he has had nothing to do with growing the apples, and that it is not policy for him to demand too big a bite in case the other four make up their minds to throw away their apples rather than share them."

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Parcel No. 1.—The J. J. Wilson farm of 65 acres more or less, part of lot 5, Con. 11, Township of Tay, with comfortable dwelling house and outbuildings thereon.

No. 2.—The mill, mill machinory and mill site of "Wilson & Kean," being part W. ½ lot No. 5, Con. 12, Township of Tay, 5 acres more or less, lying between the Midland Railway and Georgian Bay. This mill site is most conveniently situated as to railway and water-ways for shipping and getting in stock, and is well fitted up and in good running order, with a capacity of 20 M per day. Also complete shingle, lath and hoop outfits in connection (engine 60 h.p. and boiler 80 H. Tube, with Cook furnace). On this parcel there are also two comfortable frame dwelling houses, blacksmith shop, store house, stables, offices, etc., all in good order.

No. 3.—A small strip of land 105 feet x 82 feet adjoining the mill site aforesaid, being part S. ½ of west part lot 5, Con. 12, Tay, with sheds used for piling hoops, shingles, etc.

No. 4.—Timber and trees on lots 23 and 24, Con 6, Township of North Orillia, held under timber contract expiring 1st April, 1910.

No. 5.—W. ½ lot 22, Con. 5, North Orillia (land and timber), 100 acres more or less.

No. 6.—Lot No. 2, Con. 6, Matchedash, 200 acres more or less (land and timber).

The timber lands are said to be well wooded with mixed timbers and are conveniently situated near North River for driving to the mill and other Georgian Bay points.

The properties will be offered subject to reserve bid, and sold en bloc, or in parcels to suit purchasers.

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Dated Coldwater, Ont., Jan. 12th, 1904.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITION.

ONTARIO.

The lumber business, is practically at a stand-still. Outdoor work has been rendered difficult by the severe weather and heavy snow storms, and the latter have made it almost impossible to make shipments. The trade generally are now more concerned about prices that are to be asked for new stock than anything else. It is admitted that the outlook is favorable for a heavy local consumption of lumber as soon as spring opens, the demand for buildings of all kinds being still great. In Toronto the increased building operations have not yet provided an adequate supply of houses, and similar conditions exist in many other places. Granting, therefore, that there will be an average consumption of lumber, it becomes a moot question what course prices will take. A

few persons predict a decline in values; others, and perhaps the majority, contend that present prices will oe maintained, and by the more optimistic it is predicted that there will be a sharp advance when the season gets in full swing. A strong argument in favor of higher prices is found in the fact that the winter has been unfavorable for work in the woods. Operators have been forced to stop skidding logs on account of the deep snow, and the estimated cut, which was somewhat lighter than the preceding year, promises to be further curtailed from 15 to 25 per cent. by the cause referred to. All kinds of lumber will be affected, but particularly hemlock and hardwoods, which are confined almost entirely to the snow belt. The fact that dealers and consumers are anxious to contract for stock at current prices is an evidence that the probability of a serious log shortage is appreciated.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The only feature to the eastern lumber market is an advance in the price of square and waney timber. Contracts recently closed show an advance of 5 cents per cubic foot over the prices obtained last year. The maximum figures for square pine, 40 to 45 feet, delivered at Quebec, is 55 cents, and for Ottawa waney 65 cents per 18-inch average and 69 cents for 21-inch. Birch timber is also about 2 cents per cubic foot higher and there has been a slight appreciation in red pine. New Brunswick spruce deals wintering at St. John are reported to be slightly weaker. The larger manufacturers, however, are holding their asking prices steady, as they claim that they cannot sell at a lower figure without incurring loss. New Brunswick cedar shingles still range from $3.30 to $3.40 for extras on Boston freight rates.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber trade is more quiet than usual at this season of the year. Dealers are not carrying large stocks, but are disposed to delay placing orders until later in the season. Indications point to another very active building season in Winnipeg, as already plans are under way for a number of important structures. At provincial points also there is likely to be considerable activity and a large consumption of lumber. Some apprehension has been created by the breaking up of the Pacific Coast Lumber Exporters' Association by which the cargo trade of the Pacific coast was controlled. It is said that already one of the British Columbia companies engaged in that trade has reduced the wages of its employees on account of a decline in lumber prices. Many of the logging camps are closed down as a result of deep snow.

UNITED STATES.

At this time there is very little lumber moving in the United States. Any disposition to buy has been thwarted by the severe weather, and until there is a decided change little activity is looked for. In the face of these conditions, prices rule very firm. The middle grades of pine are less firm than the rest of the list, but there is no marked weakness in anything. It is said that in the Lake Superior district the lower grades are bought up so closely that the market is almost bare of stock. Recent quotations on No. 5 boards from manufacturers are $7.50 and $8. There continues to be a steady demand for box lumber, and some concerns who have been short and have been unable to obtain stock owing to the heavy snow storms are in an awkward position. Some contracting for the new cut has been done and there seems to be a disposition on the part of consumers to place orders whenever they are offeredthe sl ightest inducement, as they recognize the probability of a lumber shortage on account of unfavorable logging weather. Hardwoods are not moving very actively, but the position is strong. At many points the supply of dry stock is practically exhausted and sales that are now made are of lumber yet to be cut or that is being manufactured. There is some demand from dealers for maple, soft elm, birch and basswood. The Hardwood Manufacturers' Association last week adopted a new list which makes an advance in the prices of cherry, walnut, hickory, thick ash, and one or two other kinds of lumber. The hardwood lumber business of the United States is now thoroughly organized and this should do much towards maintaining prices.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Lumber buyers in Great Britain are pursuing a waiting attitude. The question of war or peace between two powerful nations is still in the balance, and if the negotitiations now pending should be followed by hostilities, the effect upon the timber trade would not be beneficial. There is also the uncertainty regarding the fiscal policy. The most that can be expected under these conditions is that lumber prices will remain steady. The most important development during the past fortnight is a decline of ten shillings a standard in the price of Swedish redwood. This has caused buyers to be still more cautious and it is difficult to close contracts. Pine deals have been received at Liverpool and London in considerable quantities from Portland and Boston, evidently the low rate of ocean freight being an inducement to ship by rail to these points. As a rule the shipments have been upon arrival and consequently values remain firm, with perhaps a slight upward tendency. Spruce deals are going into consumption at a moderate rate, and notwithstanding the low prices realized at late auction sales values generally are firm.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

O. J. O'Brien, who is lumbering at Noel, N. S., expects to cut 500,000 feet of deals during the coming season.

The trans-Atlantic shipments from the port of Tusket, N. S., in 1903 were 4,000-000 feet, the shippers being Dickie & McGrath.

S. O. Church & Bro., of Sand Point, Ont., have seven camps in operation taking out cooperage stock timber, six in Ontario and one in Quebec.

Hugh Rutherford, of St. Helens, Ont., recently sold to Mr. Mitchell, of Lucknow, 180 trees for $1,800—another evidence of the value of standing timber.

J. McTeigue, of Port Arthur, Ont., is asking for tenders for the supply of 1,500 standard railway ties, including green cedar, tamarac and jack pine.

Fifteen million feet of lumber owned by White, Ryder & Frost were destroyed by fire at Tonawanda, N. Y., last week. It is said that the loss is upwards of $300,000, but that the lumber was fully insured.

A Toronto firm is reported to have purchased 15,000,000 feet of lumber from the Edward Hines Lumber Company to be cut this season by the Hayward mill at Duluth, Minn. The stock is intended for export.

About 8,000,000 feet of No. 3 and No. 4 boards was last week sold to Buffalo parties, partly at Duluth and partly at Cloquet, Minn. It is said that $12 was paid for No. 3 and $6.50 for the No. 4.

Lumbering operations are being carried on quite extensively in the vicinity of Midgic, N. B., this winter. The operators are Arthur George, of Upper Sackville, Isaac Kay, of Centre Village, and Charles Hicks and J. & C. Hickman, of Midgic.

It is estimated that the log cut on the Penobscot waters this winter will exceed that of last season, amounting probably to 225,000,000 feet. On the St. John river waters in Maine, which include the Aroostook river, the aggregate cut will be 64,000,000 feet.

Lumbering operations around New Liskeard, in the Temiskaming district, were very active this winter. The Rideau Lumber Company, J. R. Booth and E. B. Eddy, of Ottawa, are all operating there, while J. B. Klock, of Klock's Mills, and Gillies Bros., of Braeside, are taking out square timber. It is estimated that these lumbermen will purchase from the settlers fully $200,000 worth of saw logs and pulp wood this winter.

The Department of Interior, Ottawa, is asking for tenders up to February 24th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1133, township 7, and on Berth No. 1134 situate on Bloodvein river, both in the Province of Manitoba. The former contains 24 square miles and the latter two square miles. The Department will also receive tenders up to March 22nd for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1138 in the vicinity of Fox Plain, District of Sasketchewan, containing thirty square miles to be selected in not more than six blocks within a prescribed area.

Newman Silverthorne, Somerville, Ont., last week sold to A. S. Lamb and William Harris, of Meadowvale, the standing timber on about 150 acres of land situated at Somerville, in the township of Etobicoke, ten miles west of Toronto. It is probably the largest body of standing timber near Toronto and consists of maple, basswood, beech, elm, hickory, oak, birch, ash and a small quantity of hemlock. The purchasers are to remove the timber within a period of four years and are to be allowed to cut all trees over 15 inches in diameter 3 feet from the ground. It is stipulated that the timber must be manufactured on the ground While the details of the transaction are not announced, it is understood that the purchasers agreed to pay about $8 per thousand feet for the timber as it stands. If this price is correct it indicates the enhanced value of a hardwood forest.

Under date of January 16th, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company comment on the Bardados lumber market as follows: "There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce since our last report, but dealers' yards are fully stocked, and if further receipts take place in the immediate future we anticipate lower prices. Of the lots mentioned in our last the spruce by the "Lolita A" was rejected and resold at $18.05 round. The white pine by The "H. Shafner" was also rejected and sold at $17 round. The only arrival of shingles is a small lot of 54,000 Long Gaspe by the "Dahome," which were sold at $6.01. This description and Dimension Cedar are both wanted, but Laying Cedar are in fair supply.

ST. JOHN AND AROOSTOOK LOG PRODUCTION.

Following is the estimate of the log cut on the St. John and Aroostook river waters for the present season:

THE ST. JOHN WATERS.

	Feet.
W. H. Cunliffe's Son, Allagash waters	12,000,000
St. John Lumber Co., St. Francis waters	6,000,000
St. John Lumber Co., Allagash waters	5,000,000
Stadig & Quincy Lumber Co., St. Francis waters	5,000,000
Neil McLean, Little Black waters	1,000,000
Chas. E. Jones, Little Black waters	2,000,000
John Sweeney, St. John main river	2,000,000
John A. Morrison, St. John main river	3,000,000
Andre Cushing & Co., St. John main river	7,000,000
	43,000,000

THE AROOSTOOK WATERS.

Stetson, Cutler & Co.	7,000,000
C. A. Trafton	5,000,000
Portage Lake Mill Co., Fish river	3,000,000
Weeks Bros.	3,000,000
Fort Kent Mill Co., Fish river	3,000,000
	43,000,000
	21,500,000
Total	64,500,000

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

[Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN]

It is now an assured fact that the log cut in the Ottawa district will show a marked reduction on that of the season of 1902-1903. On account of the deep snow, log cutting has had to be suspended from three weeks to a month earlier than was expected at the beginning of the season as judged by the records of previous years. Even the work of log hauling has been attended with great difficulty and hundreds of extra horses have had to be engaged. On most of the limits the snow lies from four to five feet in depth.

Business continues slack in and about the lumber yards. As a consequence prices show few changes and hold to the figures that ruled for several months past. Pine shorts have declined a dollar a thousand. Lath is also easier by twenty-five cents, but shingles are firmer, showing a corresponding advance. In hardwoods there is considerable uncertainty and it is difficult to catch a figure. A larger output in the Ottawa district is looked for, but as the demand is constantly increasing, this will make little or no difference on prices.

The latest deal in square timber secured for the McArthur Export Company the cut of the Mason & Gordon Company, of North Bay. The prices mentioned on the street is 58 cents.

Government returns show that the square and waney timber output will be slightly greater this season than last. While there is a marked falling off in the Kippewa district there is an increase in the Georgian Bay and Thunder Bay districts.

Hurdman & Elmitt, of Ottawa, have contracted for the entire cut of 1904 shingles at the mill of the James Maclaren Estate at Buckingham. The same enterprising firm handled this shingle cut last season.

On account of low water caused by the accumulation of anchor ice and snow, it has been found necessary to shut down the big Booth mill. Dynamite is being used to blast out the ice.

The Booth mill is receiving daily large shipments of logs by rail from the Madawaska limits.

OTTAWA, February 1, 1904.

C.P.R. SHIPMENTS.

The shipments via the Canadian Pacific Railway from the state of Washington for the years 1903 and 1902 were as follows:

	Lumber, Cars. 1903	1902	Shingle, Cars 1903	1902.
January	41	60	143	41
February	25	63	63	31
March	57	77	54	56
April	63	72	55	19
May	67	105	102	71
June	93	106	145	90
July	47	142	41	93
August	49	7	53	99
September	57	4	20	79
October	65	74	57	43
November	39	57	63	23
December	29	56	38	51
Total	632	823	834	696

J. A. Lamarche, planing mill, etc., Montreal, has assigned and a meeting of creditors is being held to-day.

John E. Hoffman, planing mill and wagon maker, Dashwood, Ont., is reported to have assigned to Joseph Snell.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following export shipments of lumber from British Columbia were made during the year 1903:

From	For	Cargo—Ft.
Hastings	Plymouth	817,317
Hastings	Natal	1,165,095
Chemainus	Calcutta	1,761,907
Chemainus	Valparaiso	798,701
Hastings	Sydney	15,624
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	78,769
Hastings	Yokohama	16,100
Hastings	Shanghai	964,964
Hastings	Callao and Iquiqui	1,368,922
Chemainus	South Africa	1,950,802
Hastings	Hongkong	175,129
Hastings	Hongkong	10,003
Hastings	U. K.	1,597,776
Chemainus	Liverpool	1,899,365
Hastings	Nagasaki	754,653
Hastings	Loudon	1,215,036
Chemainus	Liverpool	2,110,78
Chemainus	Port Elizabeth	1,551,223
Hastings	Shanghai	902,782
Chemainus	Antofagasto	714,791
Hastings	Japan	35,872
Hastings	Callao	1,493,350
Hastings	Natal	1,640,764
Hastings	Osaka	1,025,036
Chemainus	London	1,736,891
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,902,693
Comox	Santa Rosalia	220,000
Hastings	Hong Kong	4,761
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	28,923
Hastings	Yokohama	866,414
Hastings	Iquique	1,088,357
Chemainus	Antofagasta	591,514
Chemainus	Antofagasta	769,216
Hastings	China and Japan	105 929
Hastings	Kobe	13,323
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	28,179
Hastings	Kobe	19,250
Hastings	Greenock	1,445,168
Chemainus	Cape Town	2,123,064
Chemainus	Sydney	1 521,961
Hastings	Kobe	21,647
Hastings	Hongkong	107,305
Hastings	Cape Town	733,850
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	14,595
Hastings	Newcastle, U. K.	905,541
Hastings	Melbourne	1,331,226
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,130,990
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	40,650
Hastings	Kobe & Hongkong	102,962
Hastings	Sydney	969,653
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,202,530
Chemainus	Cape Town	1,003,570
Victoria	Santa Rosalia	178,081
Hastings	Kobe	4,606
Hastings	Devonport	174,148
Hastings	Cape Town	1,746,192
Chemainus	Cardiff	938,690
Chemainus	Shanghai	1,431,606
Hastings	Pt. Natal	1,648,235
Victoria	Santa Rosalia	177,187
Hastings	Japan and China	39,727
Hastings	Callao	1,424,231
Chemainus	U. K.	1,812,887
Hastings	East London	892,066
Victoria	Santa Rosalia	185,246
Hastings	Sydney, N.S.W.	1,316,706
Hastings	Hong Kong	105,179
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	49,306
Hastings	Japan and China	117,447
Chemainus	West Coast S. Am	1,868,945
Chemainus	South Africa	2,013 405
Chemainus	South Africa	1,400,005
Hastings	Philadelphia	1,018,916
Hastings	Japan and China	57 367
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	23,756
Hastings	U. K.	Loading
Hastings	Sydney, N.S.W.	Loading
Hastings	Callao	Loading

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CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From St. John, N.B.: Str. Lake Erie, for Liverpool, 2,096 bundles flooring, 1,607 pcs. hardwood lumber, 163 elm and hickory logs, 87,120 ft. pine deals, 679,616 ft. spruce deals, 297 tons birch timber. Str. Montcalm, for London, 2,029 bundles flooring, 24,550 ft. pine boards. Str. Alcides, for Glasgow, 1,175 pcs. oak, 189,358 ft. deals. Str. Loyalist, for London, 118,400 ft. spruce deals, 52,822 ft. birch deals.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Gulf of Ancud, for London, England, 1,327 pcs. hemlock sleepers, value $420. Str Ionian, for Liverpool, 188,814 ft. spruce deals, value $1,809. Barque Omero, for Garston, 265,018 ft. spruce deals, value $3,180, 78,083 ft. scantling, value $761, 331,092 feet hemlock deals, value $3,205, 40,165 ft. hemlock battens, value $400. Str. Rhenania, for Liverpool, 313,314 feet spruce deals, value $3,618, 43,111 ft. birch deals, value $484.

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Gordon Hollow Blast Grate Co., Greenville, Mich.
Huther Bros., Rochester N.Y.
Hill & Co., Wm. E., Kalamazoo, Mich.
Knight Mfg. Company, Canton, Ohio.
Lloyd Mfg. Company, Kentville, N. S.
Madison Williams, Port Perry, Ont.
Mowry & Sons, B. R., Gravenhurst, Ont.
Miller Oil & Supply Co., Indianoplis, Ind.
Payette & Co., P., Penetanguishene, Ont.
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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
x4, 6 and 8 common.	16 50	17 50
2x10 common	18 50	19 00
2x12 common	21 00	22 00
3x1c common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	21 00	23 00
4x10 and 12 common.	20 00	22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
1 inch strips, common	17 50	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	
1 inch sid ing mill run	20 00	
¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath.		2 75
X white pine shingles		1 15
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.		2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " to 2 in		2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash white, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00	$34 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1½ in	25 00	27 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	6 00	29 00
Ash M. R., 1 in.	19 00	21 00
" 1½ " 2	22 00	2 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	25 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in		00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 m. r. 1	1¼ 23 00	24 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½ 60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 00	22 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 22 00	24 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00	26 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3 26 00	28 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2 34 00	37 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 21 00	23 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2	" 4 24 00	26 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 34 00	36 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 4 37 00	39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 39 00	41 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 4 44 00	48 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 2 00 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1	" 3 85 00	100 00

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine good strips : 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1½ in. and 1⅝ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No 1 dressing siding per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
ine No. 1 dressing shorts	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 00	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16 00	19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 01
1x10 No. 2 "		
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 50	2 75
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
XX, 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 35
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	60	69
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	60	66

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	20	22
16	25	28
17 "	28	30
18 "	30	34

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	79 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in.	79 00
4 in.	9 00	4 in.	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	28 50
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide.	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	3 25

LATH.

No 1 White Pine	3 25	No. 2 White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 31
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
1 to 2 in	70	72	Box, 1x10-in. 20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12 39 31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 26 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10 23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8 20
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 40
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 40 42
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 15

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78 00	2 in	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00		
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
2 in	61 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in	75 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x6 & up	18 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x10	19 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	1x13 and up	21 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
1½ in.	34 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in. 44 00 46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips 23 00 25 00
			Com. and culls 18 00 20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls 16 00 8 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 25 00 27 00
			Com. & good culls 13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up, 24 00 26 00
Common and culls	16 00	18 00	Common and culls 16 00 18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft 20 00 21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls 12 00 3 00

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Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

WANTED

By the Car load, White and Rim Ash Logs cut into lengths of 4 ft. 6 in. or multiples, 6 in. and up in diameter. To be sound clean timber free from knots. State price per cord.

HURDMAN & ELMITT,
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WANTED—CONTRACT TO CUT 10 TO 12 million feet logs during season 1904, by up-to-date mill on Georgian Bay; lake and rail shipments. Apply Box 97, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

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KILN DRIED BIRCH, ABOUT 60 M. Box 442 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

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The advertiser having under negotiation the purchase of a profitable (going) lumbering property requiring $300,000 capital, of which he can supply one-third, invites correspondence from parties who can furnish part or all the balance. Address BOX 111, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—TO CONTRACT WITH PORTABLE Saw Mill Man to cut and deliver on the shore of Georgian Bay from one to two million feet of lumber a year for next three years. Also wanted to buy a small Steam Barge suitable to carry lumber and to tow saw logs. Apply to GODERICH LUMBER CO., Goderich, Ont.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU wish to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SAWMILL forman to take charge of steam mill; must be thoroughly reliable and understand management of men, inspection and manufacture of dimension timber and shingles. Box 114 care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—10 CAR LOADS OF COMMON and Better White Winter Cut Basswood, cut 1½" from the saw or good plump 1" when dry; will take it 3" wide and up, 3 ft. long and up; can ship in car lots from any part of Ontario or Quebec. Address Box 84, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

Veneers Wanted

Birch Veneers 1/30" thick 8" wide, 2'-0", 2'-6", 3'-0", 3'-6" long, to be packed in crates. Hardwood strips ¾," 2¾" wide, 2'-6", rising every 6 inches to 7'-0", 36 pieces of one size to be tied together in a bundle. BOX 115 care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

One 20 H. P. Fire Box Boiler.
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One 15 H. P. Horizontal Returned Tubular Boiler.

All complete with fittings and tested. Low price for immediate sale. Address ALFRED RUBBRA, Machinery Exchange, 22-24 Victoria Square, Montreal, Quebec.

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

BERTH NO. 3 SITUATED ON THE SOUTH-WEST corner of the township of Creelman, comprising lots number 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in the first, second and third concessions; good location, Vermillion river running through centre. For terms and particulars apply to W. RYAN, North Bay.

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One Improved Mortiser, 1 Mortiser and Borer, 1 Cowan Matcher, with Shimer Heads, 1 twenty-four-inch Surface Planer, 1 Band Saw, 1 Turning Lathe 1 Shaper, 1 Jig Saw Machine, 1 Tenon Machine for Blinds, 1 Blind Staple Driver, 2 Splitting Saw Tables. A. H. CUMMINGS & SON, Coaticook, Que.

FOR SALE

Large Tract of Timber

In Central Ontario

THE PROPERTY OF

THE CANADIAN LAND AND IMMIGRATION CO., OF HALIBURTON, (LIMITED).

This company has a large tract of well timbered land about 125 miles northeast of Toronto. There are large quantities of Cedar, Hemlock, Spruce, Balsam, Basswood, Cherry, Birch, Maple, also considerable Pine, Elm and Ash on this tract. It is well served by two railroads. The company are prepared to sell this timber in blocks ranging from 2,000 to 10,000 acres, or more if desired.

There are several good mill sites on the property. This would be a good opportunity for parties who are at present cut out and looking for a new location.

Maps and plans and further particulars can be had by applying to

W. H. LOCKHART GORDON,
Managing Director.
157 Bay Street, Toronto

FOR SALE—PINE AND CEDAR SHINGLES 16 and 18 inch. T. J. HARWOOD, Mattawa, Ont.

WANTED—A COMPETENT HARDWOOD Culler and Shipper, references required. Box 105 care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—TEN SETS OF HEAVY LOG and one set of Tank Sleighs, almost new lumber would be taken in payment. A. P. EBERT, Wiarton, Ont.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

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WANTED—60 TO 80 M. FT. 1" CLEAR Spruce, any width over four inches. Shipment during 1904. Quote prices delivered Montreal and St. John. Address "Spruce," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED

A GOOD SECOND-HAND ALLIGATOR. Apply, stating length, age, etc., to RIORDON PAPER MILLS, Limited, Wood Supply Department, Hawkesbury, Ont.

A1 MILLWRIGHT AND ENGINEER wants situation to build or take charge of modern box or saw mill; highest reference. Address Box 99, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—100,000 FEET HEMLOCK, 30,000 feet sawn, half one inch, other half two inch. Balance in logs to be sawn as per instructions. Address, "LUMBER" P.O. Box 6, Victoriaville, P. Q.

WANTED—POSITION AS MANAGER IN Lumber Mill. Advertiser presently holds similar position in a leading Scottish saw mill employing 150 men; has intimate knowledge of Canadian spruce and pine, is young, conscientious and energetic. For further particulars apply Box 117, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

One Cowan Improved Door Sash and Blind Clamp
One second hand Power Mortising Machine
One second hand 8" 4-side Moulding Machine.

ALFRED RUBBRA,
Machinery Exchange, 22-24 Victoria Square, Montreal.

FOR SALE

A few pieces (about 200) of square and waney timber near Deux Rivieres, C.P.R. main line; well made and of a good quality, trimmed ready for shipment, can be loaded in spring. Also a large quantity of cedar for telegraph or telephone poles from 20 ft. up to 60 ft. in length, and about 2000 logs and dimension of red and white pine, spruce and balsam put on the Ottawa River.

CURRY & THRASHER,
Deux Rivieres, Ont.

For Sale

Fifty thousand Cedar Ties, 6" face and up
One million feet Square Cedar
One million feet Square Hemlock
Half million feet Square Pine
Five hundred Tamarac Piles 36 ft. long, 10" top
Five million XXX Cedar Shingles
One million No. 2 " "
To be shipped during the season of 1904 by rail or water. Apply to

MAITLAND, RIXON & CO.,
Owen Sound, Ont.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MAN TO TAKE charge of door and sash factory. Apply Box 227, Campbellton, N B.

WANTED — FOREMAN, MODERN BAND saw mill in live town on Georgian Bay. State age, experience and salary. Address Box 118, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MAN WITH some capital to take charge of the saw mill and lumbering of a hardwood manufacturing concern. Box 57, care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS SAW FILER, for circular saws, one who can hammer saws preferred. Apply, with references and salary expected, to JAMES H. SANDERSON, Lumber Manufacturer, Prince Albert, Sask., N.W.T.

FOR SALE

We want offers for 20 to 30 M. feet of Cherry cut to order. Box 116, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

About 2 cars White Oak Plank 2", 3" and 4" thick, from 6" to 12" wide and 6' up to 16' and over long, mill run; also some Red Oak. BENJANIN SHERLE & SON, Sherkston, Ont.

CIRCULAR SAW HAMMERING

taught right in your mill by mail. No previous experience necessary. Sent prepaid on trial. Send for Canada references, who are cutting frozen timber with my gauge and instructions. J. H. MILNER, Lumberton, Miss.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Considering the unusually cold and stormy weather, the movement of lumber has been entirely satisfactory. The number of orders which salesmen have been able to book has been a surprise and is taken as strong evidence that consumers do not anticipate lower prices. Stocks in the yards are low, and it will be necessary to replenish them in order to handle the spring trade. There is an emphasized demand for box lumber and slightly more inquiry for mill culls and the lower end of pine than for the middle and upper grades. The number of inquiries for hardwoods is increasing. The consuming factories are meeting manufacturers, prices and the tone of the market is very strong. A brisk demand is expected from this time on. Interference to logging operations through the deep snow has placed the control of prices largely in the hands of the producers. The latter are a unit in holding out for prices which will give a fair margin over the cost of production. Shingle prices in the Ottawa Valley are firmer.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The course of the spruce market is still somewhat uncertain. Manufacturers are asking high prices but shippers are reluctant about buying, as their agents in Great Britain have not so far been very successful in closing contracts at remunerative prices. It is certain that lower prices will not be accepted without very

strong opposition, as logging this winter has been expensive. It is estimated that the log cut on the Upper St. John river will be about 115,000,000 feet, which is slightly less than the cut of last year. Late sales of square and waney timber have confirmed the advanced prices referred to in a previous issue. One authority quotes the following prices for waney timber for the Quebec market, average 24/25 feet lineal: 16-inch girth, 64 cents per cubic foot; 16½-inch, 65 cents; 17-inch, 66 cents; 17½-inch, 67 cents; 18-inch, 68 cents; 18½-inch, 69 cents; 19-inch, 70 cents. Of course, in order to realize such prices the timber must grade 80 to 85 per cent. first-class.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The demand for lumber in the west is still light, but there is plenty of business in sight. The permits issued since the first of the year for new buildings in Winnipeg presage another very active building season, with a consequent heavy demand for lumber. The British Columbia saw mills have sufficient orders to keep stocks from accumulating in large quantity and the outlook for the spring trade is considered bright. Negotiations are under way with the object of preventing, if possible, some of the ruinous competition for which the United States manufacturers have been responsible. The plan is to obtain a concession on freight rates from the Canadian Pacific Railway, this to be followed by a readjustment and slight lowering of lumber prices. Conferences are being held in Winnipeg this week with the object of perfecting the scheme.

Washington manufacturers have made an advance of 10 cents per thousand on shingles, which have been exceptionally low in price for some time past, and it is reported that similar action will be taken by the manufacturers of British Columbia in respect to that portion of the product marketed in the Eastern States.

UNITED STATES.

Severe weather has occasioned inactivity in the lumber market and the prospect of a continuation of existing conditions is not regarded with favor by those who have large stocks ready for the spring trade. However, the outlook has brightened during the past week. A few buyers have visited the Lake Superior district and closed contracts for stocks on hand and to be manufactured. That dry docks are well nigh exhausted is proven by the fact that at Duluth there is only one stock of pine lumber still unsold. Every box board has been picked up, and material which two or three years ago would be classed as refuse and burned now finds a ready market for box-making purposes. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers are looking forward to an active demand as soon as spring open, as yard stocks in the Eastern States are known to be very low. The disastrous fire in Baltimore will also create a very heavy demand for building material for the reconstruction of the burned district. Pine prices are steadier than they have been, consumers apparently appreciating the shortage of stock to a greater extent than they did earlier in the winter.

Hardwood prices in Michigan this winter are higher than ever before. Log run basswood is bringing $25 per thousand, soft elm $22, birch $21, and maple $15. While some buyers are pursuing a conservative policy, others are satisfied that prices are at rock bottom and that nothing is likely to be gained by waiting. The winter in the north has not been favorable for getting out hardwood logs, but in the south good progress has been made, and there is likely to be a large production of southern hardwoods this year. Orders for shingles are more numerous and the market is firmer. A heavy spring movement is anticipated.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British market still displays much hesitancy. Importers do not look with favor upon the high prices that are asked for new stock. They are not disposed to close contracts at shippers' figures, and consequently the contracting season has been very backward. It is predicted that it will be the end of February before there is any buying to speak of. The commencement of hostilities between Russia and Japan has increased the prevailing uncertainty. The effect of the war, even if confined to the two nations now involved will be to create a heavy demand for money and increase the difficulty of securing accommodation for building and business purposes generally.

Holders of pine and spruce deals will probably profit by the increased prices being asked for 1904 stocks. There is a light supply of regular sizes, any accumulation being confined to oddments, which are at no time in very good demand. Consumers are still refusing to buy square and waney timber excepting where it must be used. Rock elm and oak are now so high in price that substitutes are being sought after, and this may curtail the consumption during the coming season.

THE WHITE PINE PRODUCTION.

The statistics covering the year 1903 show very clearly that the white pine production is gradually diminishing. Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota comprise the white pine centre of the United States. The total cut of these three States reached the high water mark in 1890, when the cut was 8,597,623,000 feet. The following year witnessed a slight decline, and in 1892 there was again an increase to 8,594,000,000 feet. In 1895 the cut was 7,000,000,000 feet, but this amount has not since been reached, and there has been a steady decline to 4,791,000,000 feet last year, the lowest point reached since 1878. Nothing could more conclusively show that the northern pine supply of the United States has declined beyond the possibility of any approach to the output of even six or seven years ago.

With the decadence of the Michigan timber supply operators turned their attention to Ontario, where all energies have been concentrated towards a large production. Notwithstanding this fact, as well as the prosperous condition of the lumber trade, the total production of the Ottawa Valley and Georgian Bay districts last year was little greater than in the previous year. The Georgian Bay district shows an increase of 60,000,000 feet, but this is offset to a large extent by a reduction of 46,000,000 feet in the Ottawa Valley cut.

Equally interesting are the statistics in respect to stocks on hand at the mills. Of the Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan production the stock on hand at the close of last year was 1,964,000,000 feet, the lightest in the hands of manufacturers since 1887. It is 148,000,000 feet less than 1902, 420,000,000 feet less than in 1901, 875,000,000 feet less than 1900, 764,000,000 feet less than in 1899, 1,550,000,000 feet less than in 1898, 2,051,000,000 feet less than in 1897, 2,089,000,000 feet less than in 1896, and 2,216,000,000 feet less than in 1895.

No complete statistics are obtainable in reference to the quantity of stock in the hands of manufacturers in Ontario, but after careful inquiry it may be said that almost the entire production of 1903 has passed out of first hands. There is absolutely no box lumber unsold at the mills, and very little of other grades.

It is not only at the mills that there is a shortage in the pine supply. Statistics compiled by the new White Pine Association of Buffalo and Tonawanda show there are 144,000,000 feet of white pine in the Tonawanda market and 53,000,000 feet in the Buffalo market, with one or two yards unreported. This quantity is a great deal less than the stocks of former years. There is, it is said, an absolute shortage in many individual items some of which are currently in large demand.

The question to be considered is the production of logs this winter. In the Northern States every indication points to a material reduction. Many of the big concerns who have being putting in from one to two hundred million feet for years have not contracted for more than half that amount. In Ontario there was at the commencement of the logging season a determination on the part of operators to curtail their output from 15 to 25 per cent. as compared with last season. Early work in the woods was hampered by the difficulty of procuring sufficient labor, and a little later on, when labor became more plentiful, there was a very heavy fall of snow, which has since rendered work in the woods most difficult and expensive. In nearly all the white pine territory the snow is from three to five feet deep, making it almost impossible to haul the hogs. The result is that the output of logs will fall considerably short of the estimated quantity. Some estimates place the shortage as compared with last season at from 30 to 40 per cent.

A market shortage of logs would, therefore, seem to be a certainty, and the effect upon lumber prices cannot be otherwise than strengthening. Such logs as reach the mills will represent a high cost to the manufacturer, rendering it absolutely necessary that he should obtain a high price for his lumber in order to prevent loss. Should the demand for lumber this season be as great in 1903 prices of white pine are certain to continue firm, with a strong probability of an advance.

S. Peters, planing mill, etc., Quebec, is announced to have assigned.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

The Bearinger Syndicate, of Saginaw, Mich, have just completed the purchase of the timber property of W.S. Montgomery, of Dalhousie, N. B. The property consists of timber limits, saw mill and logging equipment and the price is said to be in the vicinity of $100,000.

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STOCKS AND PRICES.

Shingles are a little stronger in the Saginaw River district, and 18-inch white cedar are quoted 10 cents higher.

C. E. & W. E. Kelsey, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., have recently received large stocks of white pine from Ontario.

Seven tenders have been submitted for building the proposed dry dock at St. John, N. B., for the Imperial Dry Dock Company.

Kastner & Porter, of Wiarton., Ont., are about to build a wharf at Honora Bay, Manitoulin Islands, which will require considerable timber.

L. K. Jones, Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, desires tenders by the 16th inst. for the supply of timber required for the Sault Ste Marie canal during the current year.

F. H. Dickenson, of Hamilton, has secured the contract for fencing the right of way for the Toronto & Niagara Power Company's transmission line from Niagara Falls to Lambton Mills, a distance of seventy-five miles. The work will require about 60,000 cedar posts.

There is still considerable shortage of No. 2 elm staves at Buffalo, and the cut in the woods will be light on account of the deep snow. Slack stave prices range from $9.50 to $13.50 according to grade, heading 6 to 10½ cents, and coiled hoops $9.25 to $9.75.

The Tower Lumber Company, of Duluth, Minn., last week sold to the Soper Lumber Company, of Chicago, about 15,000,000 feet of white and norway pine. The Merrill-Ring Lumber Company, of the same city, have closed out the last of their dry stock, 6,500,000 feet of log run, to White, Gratwick & Company, of Tonawanda.

E. H. Lemay, of Montreal, has purchased the 1904 cut of white pine of the well-known firm of McLachlin Bros., Arnprior, Ont., which will amount to about 40,000,000 feet. Much of this stock will be distributed through W. M. Crombie & Company, of New York, selling agents for E. H. Lemay.

The Barbados lumber market is thus reviewed by Clairmonte, Man & Company in their last report: "There have been no arrivals with white pine and spruce during the fortnight. Our market is fully stocked, but prices have been fairly maintained. The last sale of white pine for a cargo on the spot was at $25 per thousand for merchantable and $20 for second quality; spruce, $21.17 for second quality. Last sales of Gaspe Long Cedar shingles were at $6.01; Cedar Laying, $2.05½. There have been no late sales of Spruce Laying."

The twelve lumber firms on the Saginaw river engaged in lumber manufacturing cut 97,000,000 feet last year. Two firms manufactured white pine exclusively, and the other firms with a single exception manufactured mixed lumber. W. D. Young & Company manufactured hardwoods exclusively, cutting 18,000,000 feet, and having 12,000,000 feet on hand at the close of the year.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, February 1, 1904.—Lumber for export is lower in price as a result of the dissolution of the Pacific Coast Lumber Exporters' Association. The manufacturers in Washington have reduced the price about $3.00 per thousand feet, and in consequence wages of mill hands have been lowered. The Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, of Chemainus, have reduced the wages of their employees ten per cent. It is not improbable that the manufacturers doing a local trade will follow the example of the export mills and reduce operating expenses.

A representative of A. B. Holloway, a lumber manufacturer of Lacrosse, Wis., has been in Vancouver this week looking over the ground. He was greatly impressed with the possibilities of the lumber industry and will report favorably to the eastern capitalists whom he represented.

It is reported that a local contractor is bringing in a shipment of window and door sashes from Tacoma, Wash. It is said the sashes will be laid down here at an average of 40 cents each cheaper, duty and freight paid, than the same can be bought in Vancouver.

During the month of January the applications for timber lands entered at the office of R. J. Skinner, Provincial Timber Inspector, have been greatly in excess of those made during the corresponding period of last year. Thirty-one applications were made during the week ending January 21. Taking into consideration that each applicant for timber lands pays over $10 for advertising the same in the Provincial Gazette, and at the expiration of thirty days pays a fee of $140 for a license, (an increase of $40 over the fee payable last year), it is not believed by the Government officials that the applications of the amendments of the Land Act is working harm to the logging industry.

Two saw mills for the cutting of cedar are in course of erection by Americans on the mainland coast. One is being built by Garfield & Schaffer on Sechelt Inlet, and the other by the Gower Point Timber & Logging Company on Keats Island, Howe Sound. The latter will have a capacity of about 15,000 feet per day. It is reported that several other small saw mills will be built in the Howe Sound cedar belts this spring. The American millmen have evidently found that they can cut their cedar in British Columbia, export it to Puget Sound points, paying duty and transportation charges, and still have a larger margin of profit than if they bought Washington cedar and manufactured it at home. The duty on rough cedar entering the United States is $2 per thousand feet.

Mr. Merrill, a wealthy lumberman of Wisconsin, is said to have decided to build a large saw mill in British Columbia. Mr. Merrill owns 40,000 acres of choice timber limits in this province which he bought in 1881 at $1 an acre. They are located on Valdez Island, Thurlow Island, Desolation Sound, Humphrey's Channel and Johnston's Straits. These lands have increased enormously in value, as is shown by the fact that two months ago Mr. Merrill was offered $50 an acre for a certain portion of his holdings.

A deal involving the transfer of the timber lands and the saw-milling interests of J. C. Keith to a syndicate of Scottish and English capitalists, in return for an amount stated to be $300,000, is reported to be in process of negotiation. Mr. Ceith is reputed one of the largest individual holders of British Columbia timber lands resident in Vancouver. He is also a large stockholder in the Urquhart Mills, Limited, a corporation owning a mill on False Creek, the cut of which averages 50,000 feet of lumber per day. His land holdings in North Vancouver are also extensive. It is understood that negotiations for the purchase of Mr. Keith's holdings have been in progress for some time, and that there is every prospect of them being carried to a successful conclusion.

One of the most important deals that has taken place in the last few months was consummated a few days ago, when the Provincial Government accepted the tender of McLean Brothers, of Vancouver, for 27,000 acres of timber lands on Klaanch river, Vancouver Island. The limits are composed of fir and cedar and are situated in what is known as the Rupert District. The lease is for twenty years. It is probably the largest block of timber in one place that could have been secured from the Government. Under the terms of the lease a large mill will be erected, and it is the intention of McLean Brothers to manufacture lumber for sale in the local markets, and probably for foreign shipment.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Bear River, N.S.: Schooner Neva, for West Indies, cargo lumber, by Clarke Bros.

From Weymouth, N.S.: Barque J. W. Bowers, for Buenos Ayres, cargo lumber, by G. D. Campbell & Co.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Pro Patria, for St. Pierre, 21 530 ft. spruce deals, value $323. Str. Ulunda, for Liverpool, 304,906 ft. spruce deals, value $3,618, 915 pcs. sleepers, value $280.

From St. John, N.B.: Str. Sicilian, for Liverpool, 861,235 ft. deals, 14,907 ft. scantling, 95,983 ft. ends, 7,564 bundles box shooks. Str. Gulf of Venice, for Cape Town, South Africa, 231 bundles rough lumber. Str. Manchester Trader, for Manchester, 305,039 ft. deals and battens, 26,988 ft. scantling, 7,277 ft. ends. Str. Monford, for Liverpool, 416,807 ft. deals.

SHIPPING MATTERS.

The barque J. H. Bowers, loaded with lumber from Weymouth, N.S., for Buenos Ayres, went ashore on Weymouth river on February 1st.

The following charters are reported: Str. Angar, Halifax, N.S., to w.c. England, deals, 34s, March loading; strs. Pontiac and Micmac, Bay of Fundy ports to w.c. England; deals, 35s, April and May loading.

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Spruce lumber at Boston remains in a very quiet position and dealers do not look for any improvement until warmer weather comes. Both demand and supply are light and prices are steady : 10 and 12 in. dimensions, $21; 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $17.50; all other random, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up, $18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, $17; matched boards, $18.50 to $20; out spruce boards $13 to $14; bundle furring, $17.

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17 " "	28	30
18 " "	30	34

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	79 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00
4 in.	9 00
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1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	79 00
4 in.	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
2in	59 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
4 in.	78 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00
2in	50 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
4 in.	68 00

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1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	28 50
8 in.	19 00
IX6	19 00
IX4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	2 25

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No 1 White Pine	3 25
No. 2 White Pine	3 00
Hemlock	2 50

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Uppers, 3 in. up	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
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1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	75	77	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
1 to 2 in	70	72	Box, 1x10-in. 20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 26 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	47	50	1x10 23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8 20
Stained saps	30	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in. 35 40
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 40 42
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

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Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 15

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Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold strips 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 00
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	15 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	50 00	1x6 & up	18 50
1¼ and 1½ in	24 00	1x10	19 00
No. 2, 1 in.	38 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	1x13 and up	21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	36 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1½x10 and 12	34 00		
1½ in.			

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch, 1¼ to 2 in	34 00 40 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00 46 00
	36 00 42 00	Strips	23 00 25 00
		Com. and culls	18 00 20 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00 34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00 8 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00 39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00 27 00
		Com. & good culls	13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00 29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00 26 00
Common and culls	16 00 18 00	Common and culls	16 00 18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00 22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00 21 00
Common and culls	14 00 15 00	Common and culls	12 00 13 00

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It is estimated that the liabilities of Simon Peters, contractor and lumber dealer, Quebec, who recently became involved, will be nearly $70,000.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Little effort is being made in the direction of shipping lumber, as the weather and deep snow has rendered it impossible to accomplish satisfactory results. There is considerable lumber awaiting shipment, and an active spring trade seems to be assured. The longer the severe weather continues the greater will be the rush for stock when the spring opens. Manufacturers report many enquiries for the lower grades and shop lumber in pine, and prices of these grades are very firm. A Western Ontario manufacturer recently sold a million feet of four inch sound common plank at $19, which is regarded as a very fair figure. No. 2 common is reported to be a shade easier, although list quotations are unchanged. Hemlock prices are holding up, sales of two-inch, 10 to 16 feet in length, being reported at $12 and $12.50 at the mill.

The now accepted shortage in the production of hardwood logs is strengthening lumber prices. It is not unusual to meet a manufacturer who is asking from $1 to $2 per thousand more for his lumber than he received last season. Birch is meeting with favor, and as the supply of dry stock is not large, prices are largely in the hands of the producer. For XXXX pine shingles $2.60 at the mill is being asked. Cedar shingles are held at the same figure.

UNITED STATES.

Conditions are not favorable to a heavy movement of lumber, the severity of the weather having stopped nearly all building work in the Eastern States. The outlook is good, however, as the yards are lightly stocked and dealers have been holding back orders for some time past. In the lower grades there is, comparatively speaking, considerable activity, and a report from Tonawanda states that barn and box boards are being bought up so closely that there is a possibility of a substantial advance in prices before the new cut is ready for the market. Box lumber sells as quickly as it is offered. The upper grades of pine are not expected to advance, as they are now relatively high. It will be observed, however, that our Buffalo list this week shows an advance on uppers. The Southwestern States are enjoying exceptional prosperity, and it is expected that this will bring about a hardening in prices of southern pine, which in turn will influence the northern product. Altogether, the conditions are by no means unfavorable for the pine trade, and if present anticipations are realized a good season will be experienced.

Good progress has been made in getting out hardwood logs and a full production of lumber this year is likely. The market is in a position to take an average production without causing a break in prices during the next four months at least, after which time it is impossible to predict the course of events with any degree of certainty. Values at the present time are holding well. Maple is held at $9, $15 and $22 for culls, common and firsts and seconds, respectively, at the mills. White ash is in good request, the price for inch at Buffalo being $40.

GREAT BRITAIN.

In Great Britain buying of lumber is still being conducted with extreme caution. There seems to be considerable uncertainty in the minds of many dealers as to the future course of prices, some contending that if there should be unfavorable developments prices would decline sharply. The ruling high prices are no doubt restricting the consumption, but the Canadian stock is being gradually reduced and will be on a reasonable basis when navigation opens in the spring. First quality pine deals continue to be regarded as good property, but only a quiet demand exists at present for the lower grades. Spruce prices are less firm than they were one month ago, probably due to the quantity of stock sold by auction and for which unsatisfactory figures have been obtained. Waney and square pine are in moderate demand at unchanged quotations.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

In the Riding Mountain district of Manitoba spruce lumber is selling at $12 per thousand at the mills.

Tenders are invited up to February 25th for lumber required by the Road Department of Montreal during the present year.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, N.B., expect to cut 5,000,000 feet of logs in the vicinity of Black River, Que., this year.

The barque Stranger is about to load lumber at Weymouth, N. S., for Buenos Ayres, the shippers being G. D. Campbell & Company.

The St. George Wagon Company, of St. George, Ont., recently purchased 150,000 feet of white oak lumber from S. B. Lawrason and 50,000 feet from S. G. Kitchen.

Wright & Davis, of Duluth, Minn., have bought about 50,000,000 feet of standing timber along the south side of Pigeon river for about $4 a thousand feet. It is understood to be a purchase for investment.

The Minnesota Log and Timber Company, of Duluth, Minn., last week sold to the R. T. Jones Lumber Company, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., 5,000,000 feet of No. 3 and better stock, which is now being cut.

About 15,000,000 feet of hemlock piece stuff has been sold by Menominee river firms for spring delivery to Chicago and the east. The hardwood cut of the Menominee river mills this season will amount to 15,000,000 feet, practically all of which has been sold.

Messrs. Ross & Taylor, of Exeter, Ont., have recently placed their order with a Toronto firm for fifteen carloads of hemlock lumber and several carloads of pine lumber, shingles and lath. They have also ordered eight carloads from the Pacific Coast. Building operations in the Exeter district, they state, promise to be quite brisk during the coming season.

Under date of January 30th Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "There has been one arrival with white piue during the fortnight, viz., schooner Agatha with 62,000 feet, which were sold on private terms for St. Vincent. Our market is well stocked with white pine and spruce but prices have been fairly maintained. Last sale of white pine for a cargo on the spot was at $25 per thousand for merchantable, and $20 for second quality; spruce, $21.17 for merchantable and $17.17 for second quality. Last sale of Gaspe Long Cedar shingles were at $6.01; Cedar Laying, $2.05 to $2.07½."

Millers, fruit exporters, and others continue to be hampered in their business by a scarcity of barrels. Since the stormy weather set in the backwoods stave factories have been compelled to close by reason of the difficulty in having timber brought to them through the deep snow. Thus scarcely any shipments of staves have been brought forward this year, and as a result several barrel factories in Toronto and elsewhere have not been running at their full capacity. Manufacturers say that those makers who usually were able to keep a surplus stock of 2,000 to 3,000 barrels on hand are now cleaned out. The prices of barrels are unchanged since the advance made last fall.

TIMBER BERTHS FOR SALE.

An opportunity to obtain some valuable timber limits will be afforded on Wednesday, April 20th, when Mr. Peter Ryan will offer for sale by public auction at the Board of Trade Rooms, Toronto, the Townships of Kitchener, Roberts, No. 107 and No. 167, each township containing 36 square miles, also Birch Island (Indian) containing 11 square miles, all in the Lake Huron district. The sale will no doubt attract a large attendance of lumbermen, as the result of the last Government sale proved that the demand for timber limits was never more pronounced than at the present time.

STOCKS OF WHITE PINE.

The Bureau of Grades of the Mississippi Valley and the Wisconsin Valley Lumbermen's Association has compiled a stock sheet of the pine lumber in the hands of the manufacturers in the two districts, January 1, 1904, and a comparison with the stock on hand on similar dates of 1903 and 1902. As is well known, trade during the latter part of last year showed a considerable falling off, both in the Mississippi valley and the Wisconsin valley, and hence it is not surprising, says the Mississippi Valley Lumberman, that on the first of the current year stocks were somewhat larger than they were a year ago. The total increase, however, is comparatively small for the two districts combined, while the Wisconsin valley district shows a decrease from both the previous years.

In the Mississippi valley the greatest increase over last year is in the stock of dimensions on hand. This shows an increase over the figures of 1903 of about 55,000,000 feet. Thick finish and shop lumber show a slight increase over the figures of the last year and a considerable increase over the stock on hand January 1, 1902. In inch lumber there is a considerable increase in the upper grades, especially in inch shop D and better boards and strips. The increase over last year is more than 50,000,000 feet and the total on hand January 1 is three times as great as it was the first of January, 1902. The stock of other upper grades, including No. 1, 2 and 3 boards, was larger than for either of the previous years. In the lower grades, there is a falling off as compared with both 1903 and 1902. The totals for inch lumber show more than 100,000,000 feet excess over 1902 and more than 200,000,000 feet over the previous year. The total of all stock in the Mississippi valley is about 75,000,000 feet greater than on the first of January last year, and about sixty-five million feet greater than on the first of January, 1902. The stock of shingles on hand was very much greater than on the first of either of the previous years, while the stock of lath shows a decrease over last year and an increase over 1902.

In the Wisconsin valley the stock of dimension on hand the first of the year was about 32,000,000 feet greater than on the first of January last year and more than twice the stock on hand the previous January. Thick finish and shop lumber show a decrease from last year and an in-

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crease over the previous year. The stock of inch lumber in the Wisconsin valley, including everything down to mill run, shows a decrease from the corresponding period of last year with the single exception of C and better norway boards and strips and a slight increase in inch shop. The total of all lumber on hand in the Wisconsin valley on the first of January was about 33,000,000 feet less than for the corresponding period of the year 1903 and about 46,000,000 feet less than for the same date of 1902. The stock of shingles and lath in the Wisconsin valley was considerably larger than on the first of either of the preceding years. The summary of the two districts shows an increase of 41,000,000 fet ov er January 1, 1903, or a little less than 3 per cent. The stock of lath shows a net decrease of 94,000,000, while the stock of shingles was 82,000,000 greater than for the same period of the previous year.

LIVERPOOL TIMBER SUPPLY.

The stock of timber, deals, etc., in Liverpool, Birkenhead, Garston, Saltport and Runcorn on the 31st January, 1903 and 1904, with the consumption during the month of January, is given by Messrs. Alr Dobell & Company as follows :

	Stock.		Consumption During January.	
	1903	1904	1903	1904
Quebec Square Pine.....Ft.	54,000	115,000		
Quebec Waney Pine..... "	68,000	128,000	43,000	10,000
New Brunswick Pine..... "	Nil.	2,000	Nil.	Nil.
Other Ports..... "	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
Red Pine..... "	3,000	4,000	Nil.	Nil.
Pitch Pine, Hewn..... "	192,000	91,000	12,000	24,000
Pitch Pine, Sawn..... "	704,000	783,000	556,000	423,000
Pitch Pine, Planks..... "	347,000	287,000	104,000	59,000
Oregon Pine..... "	171,000	531,000	10,000	12,000
Sequoia..... "	52,000	203,000	13,000	15,000
Danzig, etc., Fir..... "	57,000	55,000	28,000	3,000
Swedish and Norway Fir..... "	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
Oak, Canadian and U. S. ..... "	107,000	194,000	18,000	10,000
Oak Planks..... "	125,000	184,000	138,000	104,000
Oak, Baltic..... "	12,000	10,000	1,000	1,000
Elm..... "	43,000	11,000	7,000	1,000
Birch..... "	151,000	102,000	137,000	56,000
Ash..... "	36,000	20,000	16,000	12,000
East India Teak..... "	94,000	133,000	30,000	26,000
Greenheart..... "	127,000	111,000	4,000	4,000
N. B. &c., Spruce Deals.....Std.	14,800	13,910	6,030	6,350
" Pine " ..... "				
Quebec Deals..... "	13,830	14,660	1,490	2,610
Baltic Red Deals..... "	3,930	3,680	300	820
" Boards..... "				
Norway, &c., Flooring Boards ..... "	1,840	3,780	1,050	1,060
Galatz Whitewood..... "	....	530	....	630

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Parisian, for Liverpool, 187,210 ft. spruce deals, value $2,210; 147,944 ft. hemlock deals, value $1,604. Str. Evangeline, for London, 4,149 ft. birch squares, value $65.

From St. John, N.B.: Str. Kastalia, for Glasgow, 238,933 ft. deals, 21,939 ft. scantling, 2,721 ft. ends, 206,602 ft. birch plank, 36,231 ft. birch ends, 6,252 ft. birch squares, 37 cherry logs, 136 pieces pine timber. Str. Lake Michigan, for London, 1,004 pieces elm lumber, 1,000 doors, 6,831 ft. deals, 1,369 bundles birch lumber, 244 bundles flooring boards, 268,143 ft. spruce deals, 4,718 ft. ends, 33,109 ft. birch deals, 17,682 ft. birch ends, 2,700 pieces door mouldings, 539 bundles maple flooring.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, February 9th, 1904.—British Columbia lumbermen are much interested in the recent meeting held in Winnipeg with the object of deciding upon some definite plans for the conduct of the lumber business of the west. The deputation from the province included Mr. M. Proctor, of the Fernie Lumber Co. ; Mr. P. Lund, of the Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Co., Wardner ; Mr. M. B. King, of the King Mercantile Co., Cranbrook ; Mr. J. A. Dewar, of the Porto Rico Lumber Co., Nelson ; Mr. A. Leith, of the East Kootenay Lumber Co., Cranbrook ; Mr. W. F. Gurd, secretary of the Mountain Association, Cranbrook ; Mr. D. C. Cameron, M. P. P., and F. W. Jones, of Golden. It is hoped to make an agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway by which it will be possible to get lumber into Manitoba and the Territories at a lower cost without reducing to any extent the margin of profit to the manufacturer. The lumbermen claim that they have made very little money during the past few years, notwithstanding heavy investments in limits and mills, and they now propose to stand shoulder to shoulder against unfair competition and other conditions which have injured the business. One manufacturer said : "We have decided one thing, and that is that we will get the present price, or one which may be slightly reduced, or else we will go out of business so faras that market is concerned. If we cannot manufacture and sell at a profit, we will close the mills for a time and leave the timber standing in the woods. The American millmen of the State of Washington now have practical control of the market of the Northwest and Manitoba. Next to the Dominion Government, perhaps the Canadian Pacific holds the power of giving us the greatest assistance. The company may be asked to increase the freight on American lumber coming into the country. This could be done by the railway making a charge of the full local rate from the boundary line to the different points in Manitoba at which the lumber is sold, and that would result in a freight rate practically prohibitive to the American exporters who have ruined the market."

By some persons the threat of the C.P.R. to enter the lumber business is regarded as more than a bluff. Next to the Government the C.P.R. has the largest holdings of timber in British Columbia. The limits owned by the company in the interior are very extensive, and were obtained under the land grants of the Columbia & Western Crow's Nest line and its own. These being got for practically nothing, it can be seen what a strong factor the company would be in the lumber trade were it to erect mills. These would no doubt be built in the interior where the choicest limits lie. The policy of the C.P.R. was recently announced in regard to these lands, namely, that no sale of timber would be made until 1912, and any agricultural settler could only have as much of the timber on his leased farm as was necessary for building and fence purposes. Neither could any land having on it over 5,000 feet of timber be secured by intending settlers. Lumbermen in the interior are already confronted with the question of timber supply, and have for some time been discussing the holdings of the C.P.R.

It would seem unlikely that the Government would allow such a strong corporation as the C.P.R., controlling the only means of transportation to the North-West market, to come into direct competition with such vested interests as exist in the lumber business. Certainly a big objection will be raised if any such move is made.

Several of the prominent lumber dealers of Manitoba have been in Vancouver for some days looking into the situation. They also visited the Sound. Among them were Mr. James McDiarmid, Mr. E. Cass and Mr. Creighton, all well known lumbermen of Winnipeg. Some large orders were placed with local mills, among which were the British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Company and the Hastings Shingle Manufacturing Company.

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The movement of shingles at Buffalo is somewhat better than might be expected under the existing adverse weather conditions and things seem to be shaping themselves for an active trade early in the season. While red cedars have advanced 12 cents lately, no weakening in the demand is noticeable, the eastern customers having concluded that the manufacturers are determined not to let their prices fall off any.

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BRITISH DEMAND AND PRICES.

The following information is given in the February report of Messrs. Farnworth & Jardine, London, Eng. :

The arrivals from British North America during the past month have been 9,411 tons register, against 5,204 tons register during the corresponding month last year, and the aggregate tonnage to this date from all places during the years 1902, 1903 and 1904 has been 23,969, 21,006 and 23,401 tons respectively. In the business of the past month we have little change to report, and the quiet tone prevailing during past months still continues. The arrivals, with the exception of spruce deals, have not been too large, the deliveries have fairly kept pace, and values are generally well maintained ; stocks as a rule are ample.

PINE TIMBER.—The import consists of a shipment by steamer via Portland, Me.; the deliveries have been small, but values are steady ; stocks are sufficient. Square.-The demand has been very quiet ; stocks are heavy. Red Pine.-There has been no movement and stocks are unchanged. Oak has been inactive, the deliveries light, and stocks large, but there is no change in value to report. Elm.—There has been more enquiry ; the stock of prime wood is low, and prices are further advanced. Ash.—There is little demand. Pine Deals.—The arrivals have been more than usual for the time of year, there has been a little more enquiry, and values are steady, but stocks are sufficient. Red Pine Deals.—There is no change to report, and the demand is quiet.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA SPRUCE AND PINE DEALS.—The arrivals during the past month, chiefly by the Liners, have been large, also much in excess of corresponding period last year, viz., 6,030 standards, against 3,230 standards in 1903 ; the deliveries have been disappointing, and stocks, both in Liverpool and Manchester, although lighter than same month last season, are adequate. Freights have ruled exceptionally low, and buyers of consignment parcels to some extent have reaped the benefit. Pine Deals.—The demand continues quiet.

BIRCH.—Logs from St. John N.B., have arrived more freely, but a fair proportion has found its way into consumption, and stocks are not too large ; values are steady. Planks have arrived moderately; there has been more enquiry, and although stocks are moderate there is little improvement in value to report.

The sales during the past month have been as follows :—Birch Timber.—St. John, N. B., several parcels 14½ to 16½ inches avg. at from 18¾d. to 21d. per cubic foot. Planks at from £6 10/ to £6. 15/ per standard, ex quay. Spruce Deals.—St. John and Halifax consignments by the Liners at from £7 2/6 to £7 12/6 per standard according to quality, specification, etc.

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Waney, per cu. ft.	0	2	6	@	0	3	6
St. John, 18 in., per cu. ft.	0	2	6	@	0	3	3
Dalhousie, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	3	@	0	1	8
Red Pine, per cu ft.	0	1	7	@	0	1	10
Oak—1st quality, per cu. ft.	0	2	10	@	0	3	4
2nd quality, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	6
Elm, per cu. ft.	0	2	9	@	0	3	6
Ash, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	3
Birch, St. John, per cu. ft.	0	1	5	@	0	1	10
Quebec, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	5	@	0	2	2
Birch Planks, per cu. ft.	0	0	9	@	0	0	11
Spruce Spars, per cu. ft.	0	0	10	@	0	1	0
QUEBEC PINE DEALS.							
1st quality, per std.	23	0	0	@	33	0	0
2nd quality, per std.	17	0	0	@	22	0	0
3rd quality, per std.	11	10	0	@	12	15	0
St. John, N.B., Spruce, per std.	7	10	0	@	7	15	0
Lower Ports Spruce, per std.	7	5	0	@	7	12	0
Spruce Boards	6	10	0	@	7	0	0
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W. S. Gore, Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., will receive tenders up to March 2nd for a license to cut timber on a timber limit situated on Vancouver Island, known as lots 403, 611, 613, 614, 615, 616 and 618, Clayoquot district, containing 1,648 acres.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Shipping conditions have not improved materially during the past week. Manufacturers and dealers have been unable to get shipments through to their customers, and as a consequence business in lumber s uiet. Consumers are withholding orders until there is a prospect of obtaining their requirements within a reasonable time. Many of the white pine yards are carrying considerable lumber which has passed out of the manufacturer's hands, and unless this stock is moved before spring, which now seems improbable, it will interfere with the piling of the new cut. There is a very fair consumption of lumber by factories, whose stocks are running low, and there is bound to be an active demand in the spring. Much will depend upon the building trade, but present indications are that the volume of building throughout the province during the coming season will be fully as great as last year. The heavy demand for box and the common grades of pine will probably continue, with prices very firm.

It is definitely stated that several Georgian Bay manufacturers have placed a considerable proportion of their output for the coming season, prices in most cases being almost as good as those realized one year ago. There is now a disposition in some quarters to ask an advance, as it is claimed that the cost of getting out logs has been from $1 to $2 per thousand feet greater than in the winter of 1902-3.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The outlook for spruce lumber is not as roseate as it might be. Shippers have received word from their representatives in Great Britain that business there is backward and that the disposition of buyers is to oppose the high prices that are being asked for spruce deals. There is little likelihood, however, of shippers making more than very slight concessions, as in most instances they are paying the mill men an advance over last year's figures. The United States shipments are very quiet owing to the difficulty of making delivery by rail. Under the present conditions dealers are not trying to push business. Cedar shingles have shown a little strength. Most sales are being made on the basis of $3.40 for extras, Boston delivery. Laths have sold recently at $3.30 for 1 5/8 inch spruce, which is ten cents less than the price last month.

UNITED STATES.

Lumbermen are patiently waiting for milder weather and the improvement in trade which is sure to come with it. The movement at the present time is light, but stocks are in such shape that prices have not been adversely affected. The knowledge that stocks of white pine at the head of the lakes have been well sold out and that this season's cut will be less than last year has a tendency to hold the market firm. Some of the larger dealers have contracted for a considerable supply to be cut during the coming season, the price being slightly less than one year ago. The smaller dealers are holding off and will place orders only when their customers begin to call for stock. From Michigan eastward the supply of the box grades of white pine is nearly exhausted and box manufacturers find it necessary to adopt substitutes for white pine. Chicago dealers report an increase in the number of inquiries, which is regarded as indicative of a brisk spring trade. There is a plentiful supply of Norway dimension, which is not much called for at the present time.

Hardwood consuming industries are willing to increase their supply of lumber and are placing orders whenever any concessions are offered. A slight falling off in the price of basswood is predicted by some persons, based on the expected large production this year. Soft elm and rock elm are both scarce and prices unusually firm. The supply of dry maple at manufacturing points is exhausted, and it is said that a large proportion of the coming season's cut is already disposed of at fair prices.

GREAT BRITAIN.

So far as we can gather the timber trade of Great Britain is still marking time. If importers are willing to close contracts on the basis of existing prices, there has been no evidence of such willingness in the business of the past fortnight. Agents of Quebec shippers are now canvassing the trade, and it is reported that it has been most difficult to book orders at satisfactory prices. The present indications are that the volume of business this year will show a decrease as compared with last year, as there does not appear to be much probability of an increase in the consuption of lumber. The high prices are lessening the demand for pine and the business in Lancashire is still suffering from the partial paralysis of the cotton industry. At the present time the buyers seem to be in the stronger position and unless something very favorable to the market should develop a slight decline in the price of lumber for spring delivery is not unlikely. A considerable quantity of spruce deals has arrived at London and Liverpool from St. John and Halifax, which has more than supplied the immediate wants of the market. The stocks in the yards at these ports, as well as at Manchester, are larger than might be desired for the good of the trade. Notwithstanding that higher prices have been paid in some instances for pine and spruce, it is said that offerings are being made to supply spruce at five shillings per standard below the figures paid last year. The colleries are buying some timber, and a Tyne ship-building firm is in the market for square pine, rock elm and Quebec oak.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

James Campbell, of Sharbot Lake, Ont., will supply a quantity of lumber required by the city of Kingston, Ont.

W. Doherty & Co., of Clinton, Ont., have sold their timber limits in Algoma to the St Joe Lumber Co., of Sault Ste. Marie.

The British Columbia Government is offering for sale a timber limit situated on Vancouver Island, known as lot 617 and containing 3,080 acres.

The Dyment, Baker Company have secured the contract for the supply of lumber required for waterworks purposes at London, Ont.

A Buffalo report states that the new hemlock circular puts up the price of 2x4, 18 to 20 feet, half a dollar, but leaves the base price at $16.50. It is agreed that the hemlock outlook is good, but sales are very light on account of the weather.

The Dominion Government is about to construct a large pier at Douglastown, Gaspe County, Quebec, for which a considerable quantity of timber will be required.

The total log crop of Maine this winter is estimated at 750,000,000 feet. Of this about 500,000,00 › feet will be spruce, one half of which will be required by the pulp mills.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, N. B., expect to get out 24,000,000 feet of logs during the present winter. They are operating on the Magaguadavic, Benton and Black rivers.

About 500,000 feet of lumber will be required for the wharf for the New England Fish Co., at Vancouver, B. C., the contract for which has just been awarded to Ironsides, Rannie & Campbell.

Prospects for cedar products are considered good. Posts are generally being held for a little higher price. The cedar shingle market has strengthened and further improvement is expected.

A correspondent at Menominee, Mich., states that good lumber is off at present from $2 to $10 per thousand feet as compared with prices last spring. Some which sold last year at $60 brings no more than $50 this year. Common lumber, which sold for about $19 last year, is off $2 this season. Hemlock sells for about $11, as last season, but hardwoods are bringing from $3 to $5 more than last year.

The American Lumberman says that there is a bad shortage of elm staves, which promises to continue for a considerable time, as all elm lumber is very firm in price. Predictions are made that the price of hoops will advance before long, especially as they are considerably lower than anything else. It is noted that Minneapolis is quoting slack staves as high as Buffalo, viz., $13.50 for first-class elm. All odd lengths are especially scarce. Heading is not so strong, but prices are well maintained, 10½ cents for first-class basswood. Hoops are still quoted at $9.-75 for 6 foot coiled.

The Barbadoes lumber market is reviewed by Messrs. Musson, Son & Co., under date of February 13th as follows: "There have been no arrivals to report during the fortnight under review and the position of the market remains virtually the same. Until the crop is further advanced, thus reducing the stocks in dealers' hands, we cannot look for any material improvement. Owing to the approach of our dry season the demand for shingles has slackened, but Long Gaspe and Dimension would bring fair prices. We value a small lot of Cedar Laying at $2.10 to $2.15, but any large quantity would hardly bring these rates."

A Canadian cooperage firm gives out the following report on barrel material intended for shipment acoss the line: The cooperage stock market is in a very unsettled condition. There are no staves on the market, hoops are comparatively plentiful, while heading is a little easier. The output of flour barrels has been limited very greatly for want of material, and manufacturers find it almost impossible to get out stock. The demand for flour barrel staves will be greatly in excess of the supply until the new stock comes in next April or May. The following are the present prices for cooperage stock f.o.b. cars at Suspension Bridge, N.Y.: No. 1 28½ in. elm staves, $14 to $15 per net M.; No. 17½ in. heading, 9c per set; No. 1 5½ feet patent coiled elm hoops, $10.50 net M.; No. 1 6 feet patent coiled elm hoops $10,50 net M.; No. 1 24 in. elm staves $10 net M.; No. 1 5 feet hoops, $8.50 net M.; No. 1 14 in. basswood heading, 7c per set; No. 1 13 in. head liners, 40c net M.

Messrs. A. F. & D. Mackay, of Liverpool, Eng., recently sold a quantity of birch by auction. The prices obtained were as follows: Lot 1—about 10 logs, more or less, 19 in. deep and upwards, 2s. Lot 2—about 15 logs, more or less, 18 in.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN)

One question is being asked in Ottawa lumber circles these days and it is "what will the log cut be?" It is a generally accepted fact that there will be a reduction as compared with last year, but the extent of that reduction will depend on the weather with which the closing weeks of winter will be filled. Careful inquiry amongst the firms and their agents go to show that the deep snow was not the general impediment it was thought to be early in the winter. In the Temiscamingue, Kippewa, Coulonge, Deep River and Black River districts there was no very excessive snow fall, but trouble was experienced from the fact that the ground was not frozen and the snow was light, making road building a difficult task. In the Madawaska, Dumoine, Gatineau and Lievere countries the snow was deeper than in the others named, and gave more trouble. Log cutting was suspended earlier than in past seasons, but there is a probability that it may be resumed again.

From all accounts the scarcity of labor early in the season and the tendency of the men to "jump" their jobs later on will have more to do with the shortage in the log cut than the adverse natural conditions.

In Hull last week interesting sessions of the Quebec Colonization Committee were held. This committee was appointed by order of the Quebec Government to enquire into the relations between the lumber operators and the settlers. Evidence was given by J. R. Booth, E. B. Eddy, George H. Perley, H. K. Egan and others; the gist of the evidence was that settlers in timbered districts are a source of danger and that land is frequently taken up simply for the illegal cutting of the timber that rightfully belongs to the lumber firms. It is probable that the commission will recommend to the Quebec government that the lands fit for colonization and cultivation be set apart and the remanider held as a forest reserve. Upon the latter it will be possible to so regulate the annual cut of timber that the forest wealth of the country may be preserved perpetually. This would be done by cutting only the large matured trees.

On account of the continued severity of the weather and the steady accumulation of ice at the Chaudiere, it has been found impossible to run J. R. Booth's mill during the past month by reason of lack of power. A scheme is now under way to merge all interests at the Chaudiere and take concerted action towards the improvement of conditions.

"Nothing doing" is the word in manufactured lumber circles these days. Dealers are busy with office work and are looking forward to a busy spring.

OTTAWA, February 19, 1904.

THE LONDON MARKET.

The London timber market is thus reported by Messrs. Churchill & Sim:

Selling in the London market has been on a large scale during January, but in spite of this the deliveries from the docks are some 2,600 standards less than they were in January, 1903, and this is in no way compensated for by an overside delivery of 400 standards more than in the corresponding month last year. Prices have fallen steadily but very gradually, for in the absence of buying ahead there is nothing to undermine the position of the market or to prevent the gradual liquidation of the heavy stocks held here at approximately the present range of values. The free buying of certain classes of stock for shipment from abroad at next open water, which was a feature of the closing months of 1903, was not resumed after the Christmas holidays, and January has been the quietest month for free on board buying that has been known for many years past. Neither for this country nor for the Continent, nor for the Cape market has much selling been possible, although shippers are willing to take much more moderate prices than they have recently been holding for. The stocks held in the chief importing centres are sufficient for a reducing demand, so that buyers can wait, and apparently will wait, to get a clear view of future prospects, especially perhaps with regard to the effect on the money market of the war between Russia and Japan. The business usually effected in January and February will this year be more easily effected in April and May, and the more shippers realise and acquiesce in this the better.

There is again no change to report in the pine deal market in London. It is held steady by the small supplies, and by the prospect of still another augmentation of the cost of the new season's shipments. The demand continues small, and special, and deals have to be of very full quantity to command the current quotations. Spruce deals have fallen again in London during January in common with all whitewood. If left to themselves they should rally quickly, as the prices for further shipments seem likely to be higher rather than lower, supported by the American demand. In this country, however, spruce comes into competition with so much other whitewood and inferior redwood that it is not entirely ruled by shipping prices. For birch, elm, ash and white pine timber there has been but a poor demand in January. Oak has perhaps held its own in a small way.

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PINE.—Ex. Orcadian, from Montreal—10-13 ft. 3x7-10 in. first quality, £20 5s per standard; 12-13 ft. 3x9-10 in. second quality, £17; 11-13 ft. 3x7-8, £14 15s. Ex. Monmouth, from Quebec—8-11 ft. 3x 11-19 in. first quality, £31; 3-9 ft. 3x11, £22 10s; 4-8 ft. 3x4-10, £23 10s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Quebec—6-9 ft. 3x11 in. second quality, £22 10s; 12-15 ft. 3x10-21 in. third quality, £10 5s; 13-17 ft. 3x8, £9 10s; 13-16 ft. 3x7, £9 5s; 6-9 ft. 3x11, £10 10s. Ex. Montezuma, from Montreal—14-16 ft. 3x11 in. fourth quality, £9 10s. Ex Mount Royal, from Montreal—14 ft. 3x11 in. fourth quality, £10 and £11; 12-16 ft. 3x11, £10; 9-11 ft. 3x11, £9 15s. Ex. Rossetti, from Miramichi, N. B.—3-21 ft. 3x6 in. first, second and third quality, £6; 4-21 ft. 3x5, £5 15s; 4-19 ft. 2½x5-6, £6; 10-21 ft. 3x11-18 in. fourth quality, £6 5s; 10-20 ft. 3x9-10, £6 5s; 11-20 ft. 3x7-8, £5 10s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Orcadian, from Montreal—12-14 ft. 3x9 in. first quality, £11 5s per standard; 12-14 ft. 3x6-8, £10 10s; 9-10 3x9-12 in. second quality, £9 15s; 9-10 ft. 3x7-8, £8 10s; 9 ft. 3x6-7, £8 5s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Quebec—7-9 ft. 3x7-11 in. third quality, £7 10s; 8-14 ft. 3x11 in. fourth quality, £8 5s; 8-14 ft. 3x9, £8 5s. Ex. Lake Michigan, from Quebec—12-13 ft. 3x9-14 in. first quality, £12; 11-16 ft. 3x12-17 in. fourth quality, £7 10s; 9-14 ft. 3x11, £8 10s; 10-16 ft. 3x10, £7 15s; 13-16 ft. 3x7-8, £7 10s. Ex Mount Temple, from Montreal—10-16 ft. 3x8 in. fourth quality, £7 10s; 10-16 ft. 3x8 in. fourth quality, £7 10s; 10-16 ft. 3x7, £7 5s; 12-13 ft. 3x11, £8 5s; 10-11 ft. 3x9, £11 15s; 12-13 ft. 3x12, £7 10s: 7-14 ft. 3x7-17 in. fifth quality, £7. Ex Montezuma, from Quebec—12-14 ft. 3x8 in. second quality, £8; 13 ft. 3x9 in. fourth quality, £8. Ex Milwaukee, from Quebec—9-16 ft. 3x10-11 in. first quality, £11; 9-16 ft. 3x8, £10 15s. Ex. Mount Royal, from Quebec—10-14 ft. 3x12-13 in. fourth quality, £7 5s; 9-13 ft. 3x9, £7 15s; 10-13 ft. 3x7-8, £7 10s; 13-14 ft. 3x8, £7 10s.

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With Canadian pine deals up to their present value, it is surprising, says a write in the Timber News, that London importers and those using the port of London as the most convenient and central for receiving and handling bills of lading of Canadian goods, have not taken the cue from West Coast and Midland buyers, and turned their attention to white pine sidings and boards. Cut from the sides of the pine logs from which the regular 3 in. deal is produced, and further therefore away from the heart, they should commend themselves for several reasons to pine buyers.

It is true that away from the heart the nearer the sap, but as pine is distinctly a cabinet or "Interior" wood, this disadvantage is not so serious, providing the goods are shipped under good conditions and come to hand bright and light.

On the first point of cost, many pounds per standard divide the best pine deal from the best pine siding and best stock board in favor of the last named. In lengths they all run the same, so that the question of thickness alone seems to explain the very small sales to this market.

Habit is a bad master to overcome, but it is not conceivable that any or very few pine deals are ever worked up in an unreduced form. A great deal can be got out of a good pine plank with judgment, and there is opportunity for making the best of the best side, and the best of the worst side; still, when we consider the very important percentage of deals reduced to siding and board thicknesses, it is surprising that those thicknesses are not acceptable when imported.

In looking through a catalogue of stock lying in Liverpool we find among Quebec pine sidings lines of "clears" 2 by 16 up to very wide, and 1½ by 19 and up. In best sidings, which are more in evidence, we find 2in., 1¾in., 1½in., and 1in. by 8 and up to wide, called O quality. Under this come in order A quality, B quality, and C quality, A quality holding 65 per cent. firsts against 35 per cent. seconds, and B quality 60 to 65 per cent. seconds to 35-40 per cent. thirds, C quality averaging good thirds.

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¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00
x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50	17 50
x10 common	18 50	19 00
x12 common	21 00	22 00
x10 common	19 00	20 00
x12 common	21 00	23 00
x11 and 12 common	20 00	22 50
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
1 inch strips common	17 50	18 00
" and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
1 inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 50
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		3 00
1⅜ inch Norway lath		2 75
X white pine shingles		1 15
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..		
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		2 50
XX " to 2 in		2 71

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$31 00	$34 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 1 to 1½ in	25 00	27 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nds, 2 to 4 in	6 00	00
Ash M R., 1 to 2	2 00	00
Birch M. R., 1 in	19 00	21 00
" 1½ " 2	22 00	2 00
" squrs. 4x4 " 8x8	25 00	26 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in		00
Basswood, 1¼ to 2	26	28 00
" 1 1¼	23 00	24 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds 1½	60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	00	22 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	22 00	24 00
Elm rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00	26 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	26 00	28 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	34 00	37 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 21 00	23 00
Maple 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	24 00	26 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	34 00	36 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	37 00	39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	39 00	41 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	44 00	48 00
Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 2	60 00	65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00	100 00

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No 1 dressing siding per M feet b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine, No. 2 dressing siding	16 00	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock 1' to 6' 18		20 00
Pine, 2nds and better stock, 12' to 16'. 16		19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 50	2 75
No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 00	1 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	60	69
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	60	66

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	55

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 in h	20	22
16	25	28
17 " "	28	30
18 " "	30	34

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in	79 00	1¼, 1½ and in	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in	79 00
4 in	9 00	4 in	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in	58 00	4 in	78 00
2in	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in	68 00
2in	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in	30 00	8 and 7 in	22 00
10 in	24 00	No. 3, 12 in	21 00
9 in	23 00	10 in	19 00
8 and 7 in	23 00	9 in	28 50
No. 2, 12 in	25 00	8 in	19 00
10 in	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in	2 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 25

LATH.

No 1 White Pine	3 50	No. 2 White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
1 to 2 in	70	72	Box, 1x10-in. 20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23 25
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 26 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	48	52	1x10 23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8 20 22
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in 35 40
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 40 42
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing 26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 15

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	80 00	2 in	36 00
2½ and 3 in	85 00	Shelving, No. 2, 13 in. and up, 1 in	40 00
4 in	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in	35 00
2½ and 3 in	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in	30 00
4 in	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in	58 00	No. 2, 12 in	26 00
2 in	61 00	No. 3, 10 in	20 00
3 in	73 00	No. 3, 12 in	22 50
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	16 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	18 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 00
No. 2, 1 in	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	25 00	Dressing 1¼ in	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	15 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in	44 00	46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00	25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	8 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00	26 00
common and culls	1 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	22 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 80	21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 80	3 00

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One million feet Square Cedar
One million feet Square Hemlock
Half million feet Square Pine
Twenty thousand Cedar Posts, 4½" and up, 8 ft. long.
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

No effort is being made to handle lumber while storms and deep snow cover the entire province. The snow-fall on Monday last completely paralyzed traffic in Toronto and vicinity, and in the logging districts operations have been conducted with so much difficulty that many firms have taken their men out of the woods. Building operations, which have been quiet all winter, are yet at a standstill. This is plainly shown by the falling off in the number of permits issued in Toronto during the months of January and February. There is considerable building in sight, but little progress will be made until the weather becomes more favorable. Retail dealers will not place orders for lumber so long as consumers cannot build. The present demand, therefore, is confined largely to factory lumber, for which there is a moderate inquiry. Prices generally exhibit firmness owing to the fact that there is sure to be a shortage in the log supply. Hemlock is slightly higher, as offers have been made to purchase entire cuts at $11.50 at the mill. For the reasons above stated the movement of hardwoods is light, but it is expected that the increased activity consequent upon the opening up of spring will be accompanied by an appreciation in prices.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The extraordinary inclemency of the weather has made it almost impossible to move lumber and has reduced building operations almost to the minimum. Prices of spruce lumber are not as firm as at last report. Offers received from Boston show a decline of about one dollar per thousand feet. British trade is also quiet and somewhat depressed. So far this season there has been very little done on contract with Great Britain. A few French cargoes have been sold but at prices not as satisfactory to the seller as those obtained last year. Notwithstanding these facts, producers of spruce are holding their output very firmly, and if the log production should be lighter than is now anticipated, there may be some improvement in prices later in the season.

A reliable authority estimates the output of logs in the Miramichi district of New Brunswick this year to be about the same as last season. It is claimed by some operators that it will be at least 10 per cent. short of last year's output, but as the stock of sawn and round timber wintering on the Miramichi is 50 per cent., or at least 15,000,000 superficial feet, greater than that of the previous winter, this increase is likely to counteract any shortage in the log production.

The late snow storms with the cold weather has made the hauling of logs more difficult than usual. The increase of wages this year will amount to 20 per cent., which must be added to a similar increase in the years 1902 and 1903. It is thus plainly evident that the stock of logs taken out this winter will cost considerably more than ever before.

UNITED STATES.

Veritable winter conditions have prevailed over much of the United States and the pine business has been seriously hampered thereby. The prevailing dullness has resulted in a slight weakening of prices, a few timid persons having offered stock at lower quotations and thus established a precedent for others to follow. The Southern Lumber Manufacturers' Association, at a meeting on February 23rd, adopted a new price list which more nearly corresponds to current selling values. Ordinary dimensions are reduced $1 a thousand, flat grain flooring $1.50 to $3, and fencing and ceiling 50 cents to $1, while prices of heavy joists and timbers remain unchanged. In white pine, low grade lumber is sought after to some extent and is firm in price, the higher grades ceing in less demand and slightly weaker. Box grades are almost out of the market, having been bought up by both dealers and box factories. The heavy call for the lower grades from manufacturers has taken all the scoots offered, they having been sold in North Tonawanda as high as $13 during the past week. Eastern dealers say that they are doing much less business than at the corresponding time last year, this being attributed solely to weather conditions. Two important purchases of white pine are reported from Duluth, White, Rider & Frost, of North Tonawanda, having last week bought 7,000,000 feet of log run, and Pendennis White about 12,000,000 feet of similar stock. Reports from the white pine logging districts state that the input from Ashland eastward is likly to be less than was expected, but in the Duluth and upper Mississippi river districts the intended amount will probably be secured, though that amount will be about 25 per cent. less than last winter.

Hardwoods have shown more strength than pine. No weakness is apparent anywhere, but on the other hand the outlook has improved. The lower grades are very scarce and will be almost unobtainable before the new cut is ready for the market. White ash, elm and oak continue to lead in point of activity, but all kinds are meeting with a very satisfactory inquiry considering the conditions. Maple is perhaps in greater supply than any other hardwood, and there is some demoralization in the maple flooring trade.

GREAT BRITAIN.

British buyers of lumber are still pursuing a very cautious policy in respect to new business. Usually a large proportion of the season's requirements has been contracted for by the end of February, but this year very little stock has been arranged for and there does not seem to be much disposition to place contracts even now. The trade of the country is moderately good, although as in Canada unfavorable weather has rendered building operations difficult and the comparative tightness of money and the caution of investors combine to make the arrangement of finance a task by no means easy for the speculative contractor. There has been a heavy decline in the deliveries of lumber from the London docks. Taking the first seven weeks of this year the falling off is 8,000,000 feet. The volume of business in the near future will depend upon whether either shippers or importers are willing to make any concessions. It is argued that the prices asked by shippers are too high to encourage buying, but on the other hand the cost of production has been so great that asking prices cannot be materially reduced without wiping out the margin of profit.

Some business in pine deals has been done, chiefly for the better qualities, the lower grades being difficult to place. Contracts have also been made for a few cargoes of New Brunswick spruce on the basis of £6 5s. to £6 7s. 6d. per standard. The most favorable report comes from Cardiff, where it is said spruce deals are going rapidly into consumption, the stock held at that port being exceedingly light. At the last auction sale at London spruce deals and battens were weaker, 3x9 second quality bringing £10 10s. and £10 per standard; third quality 3x9, £9 10s; 3x7 second quality battens, £7 15s, and third quality £7 5s.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Ritchie Bros., of Aylmer, Que., are reported to have purchased 340 square miles of timber limits near Mattawa, Ont.

D. R. Fraser & Company are asking for tenders for the raftingof about 2,000,000 ft. of logs from the bank of the river up about 50 miles to the mills at Edmonton, N.W.T.

The Rathbun Company's four camps in Haliburton County closed down last week owing to the excessive depth of snow and cold weather, which greatly regarded the work of cutting and hauling the logs. Two of the camps were located in Gooderham vicinity and two north of Wilberforce. As a result of the suspension of operations nearly a month earlier than usual, the cut will be much smaller than last year.

We quote as follows from the market report of Messrs. Clairmonte, Man & Co., of Barbadoes: "There has been no arrival with lumber during the fortnight. Our market is well stocked with white pine and spruce, but prices have been fairly maintained. The last sale of white pine for a cargo on the spot was at $25 per thousand for merchantable and $20 for second quality; spruce, $21.17 for merchantable and $17.17 for second quality. Last sales of Gaspe Long Cedar shingles were at $6.01; Cedar Laying, $2.05 to $2.07½."

Concerning white cedar products at Buffalo the American Lumberman says: There is a good demand for all cuts of white cedar, unless it be for shingles, which are rather undersold by Pacific coast products. The supply is not large. Sales of shingles at low prices are noted, but a jobber gives the following figures: Extra *A*, $2.90; *A*, $2.65; cedar butts, $2.30; sound butts, $1.40; culls, $1.10. Ties, 55 cents for No. 1, 32 to 33 cents for No. 2; posts, 8-foot, 15 cents for 3 to 4½-inch tops; 18 cents for 4½ to 6-inch tops; 20 cents for 6-inch; 22 cents for 7-inch. Ten-foot lengths, 20 cents for 3-inch tops; 22 cents for 4-inch; 25 cents for 5-inch; 30 cents for 6-inch. Twelve-foot lengths, 35 cents for 5-inch tops; 38 cents for 6-inch. It now looks as though the stock of cedar will be pretty well sold out by the opening of the lakes.

CANADIAN FORESTRY ASSOCIATION CONVENTION.

The fifth annual meeting of the Canadian Forestry Association will be held in Toronto on the 10th and 11th of March next, commencing at 10 a.m. The following papers have been promised: "Systems of Administration of Timber Lands in Canada," by Aubrey White, Assistant Commissioner of Crown Lands, Toronto, Ont.; "Forest Management," by John Bertram, Toronto; "The Laurentides National Park," by W. C. J. Hall, Department of Lands, Forests and Fisheries, Quebec, P.Q.; "Forestry in Relation to Irrigation," by J. S. Dennis, Superintendent of Irrigation of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Calgary, Alberta; "Forest Reproduction in Germany," by Dr. A. Harold Unwin (graduate of the Royal Saxonian Forest Academy, Tharandt, Germany), of the Dominion Forestry Branch, Ottawa; "Our Native Forest Trees and Their Use in Ornamental Planting," by F. G. Todd, Landscape Architect, Montreal; "Farm Forestry," by Professor Hutt, of the Agricultural College, Guelph. There will also be an address on "Forestry Education" by President Loudon, of Toronto University. A banquet will be held at the King Edward Hotel on Thursday evening, at which speeches will be delivered by prominent public men.

The programme for the meeting is sufficiently attractive to warrant the attendance of all persons interested in the subject of forestry, and it is expected that there will be a full discussion of the many valuable papers to be presented. Any lumberman who can make it convenient to be present will no doubt find the proceedings very interesting and instructive.

The business sessions will be held in the Parliament Buildings, Queen's Park.

The assignment is announced of John Inksetter, lumber dealer and saw-mill operator, Dundas, Ont. His liabilities are said to be fairly large.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., February 24th, 1904. —British Columbia conditions are little changed from last report. Logging is slightly more active, but in some localities is still conducted with difficulty owing to the heavy snow-falls. On the other hand, the snow has facilitated operations in East Kootenay and along the Kootenay River south of the lake, where many logs were left in the woods awaiting good sleighing. The Bonner's Ferry Lumber Company will have a total of 12,000,000 feet available for their mill at Bonner's Ferry. McArthur Bros., of Detroit, have located a camp at Curley Creek, East Kootenay, where they will take out 1,600,000 feet of square timber for shipment to Liverpool, England. It will be loaded at Katka or Bonner's Ferry. All the camps along the Crow's Nest line of railway are working full forces of men, and at many of the mills operations are kept up with double shifts. Places where a year ago there was nothing but unbroken forests are now busy centers of activity, with stores, hotels and dwellings. This is especially the case near Cranbrook, many large camps having been established in all directions from the town.

Two splendid saw-mills will soon be in operation at Arrowhead, the owners being the Arrowhead Lumber Company and the Big Bend Lumber Company. It is estimated that there are 10,240,000,000 feet of lumber tributary to the Big Bend, almost all of which will be floated down the Columbia river to Revelstoke and Arrow Lake. Of course, it must be remembered that some of the timber lands in British Columbia contain as much as 50,000 feet to the acre.

The Empire Lumber Company, Limited, has been formed to take over the business of the Harbor Lumber Company, which recently bought out the Fred Robinson Lumber Company at Revelstoke, B. C. The Company is capitalized at $3,000,000 and will operate some of the Adams Lake timber limits.

The Okanagan Lumber Company is putting in a plant capable of turning out 60,000 feet per day. It has an unlimited supply of logs on the Spallumcheen river, and in the Mabel lake country, and is becoming one of the large enterprises of the province. The mill is located at Enderby.

A. S. Farquharson and H. A. McGuire, who are engaged in the saw mill business at Frank, Alberta, have secured large timber limits on Boundary Creek, East Kootenay, where they will build a saw mill with a capacity of 35,000 feet per day.

W. H. Remington and J. G. Bullen, who have lumber interests on Prince of Wales Island up the coast, returned from Japan recently, whither they went to investigate the timber industry.

A correspondent of the West Coast and Puget Sound Lumberman makes the following interesting calculations: A comparison of the figures paid in Winnipeg for British Columbia timber and that imported from the mills in Washington State to Manitoba and the Northwest reveals a striking difference between the cost of the American and Canadian products. In all the leading items the lumber imported is laid down at a much less cost than that which comes from British Columbia, and a duty in some cases of over $5 per thousand feet was paid. In fir dimensions and boards which come in free of duty, the American mills ship in this product at $3 per thousand feet cheaper than that charged by the Canadian lumbermen. A difference really of $6.87 exists between the cost of American and Canadian No. 1 and 2 edge grain for flooring. While the foreign product is actually only $1.50 per thousand cheaper than that from British Columbia, the Americans have a duty of $5.37 to meet on every 1,000 feet of this particular kind of lumber. And so it is with the other leading items. In regard to freight rates the Washington mills and the British Columbia mills have practically the same rates to meet in placing lumber in Winnipeg. The average freight per thousand on lumber is $9.48, which to Winnipeg gives the C.P.R. 64-100 of a cent per thousand per mile in haulage. The average rate per ton per mile to Winnipeg is 54-100 of a cent. The Washington mills in shipping to Winnipeg have the same rate as the British Columbia mills over the Northern Pacific and Canadian Northern railways. When the American mills, however, ship to any point on the C.P.R. other than Winnipeg, they have to pay the local freight from the mills to the junction of the C.P.R. at Sumas.

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NEW BRUMSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondance of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

At present writing the Lumber trade in this vicinity is very dull. Little shipping is being done to Great Britian and, owing to the inclemency of the weather during the last two months, shipping to American ports is practically at a standstill.

There seems to be a feeling of uncertainty in regard to the English market for deals during the coming season. Just now it is almost impossible to make any conjecture, with a probability of ultimately being borne out, as to what will develop in regard to demand and prices. Buyers do not seem anxious to make contracts at the high prices which characterized last year's purchases.

Compared with this particular season of other years the stocks of English deals at this port are small; from 8 to 10 millions at the outside constituting the whole.

Owing to the general hang up of logs in the upper St. John districts in the spring of 1903, the mills in this vicinity and in most of the up river sections will be compelled to wait until the spring freshet has brought out the logs now stranded in the river (mostly above Grand Falls, a few million below) before they can begin to saw, as the stocks of logs of the local manufacturers (with one exception) are too small to warrant starting the mills. It will therefore mean the 15th or 20th of May before the first of the logs reach here and not before mid-June will there be any large amount of deals of 1904 manufacture ready for shipment.

Reports from the Miramichi and Restigouche districts indicate larger cuts of logs, both cedar and spruce, than usual. The cut for the entire province, however, is estimated to be not above the average, for although an effort has been made on the part of some operators to bring out more than usual, yet there has been a scarcity of men, and in addition to this the continually increasing distance over which logs have to be hauled makes it more and more difficult to get the work done.

In spite of the unusually heavy fall of snow and intense cold of the winter in some parts of the province, there is really no more snow in the woods than there was at this time last year, and prospects for a good season's driving are not any better or worse than in other seasons. If spring comes rapidly, successful driving may be looked for, as the lumbermen are now almost ready for it and will be quite prepared when the time comes. The browing of logs is not yet completed, but another ten days will see this work finished in most places.

ST. JOHN, N.B., February 27, 1904.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Pretorian, from Liverpool, 1,345,000 ft. spruce deals, value $16,092. Schr. Onora, for Demerara, 90,000 ft. pine boards, value $1,170; 54,00 ft. spruce boards, value $653.

From St. John, N.B.: Schr. Joseph Hay, for Providence, 132,447 ft. plank, 6,883 ft. scantling, 652 ft. deals, 451,000 laths. Str. Manchester Commerce, for Manchester, 4,640 bundles box shooks, 832,021 ft. deals, 76,238 ft. scantling, 14,807 ft. ends, 38,158 ft. boards. Str. Concordia, for Glasgow, 369,745 ft. deals, 8,493 ft. ends. Str. Montrose, for London, 36,675 ft. boards, 266 bundles mouldings, 3,273 doors, 1,478 maple blocks. Schr. Sebago, for Bridgeport, 8,505 ft. boards, 208,936 ft. scantling, 127,739 ft. plank. Str. Lake Champlain, for Liverpool, 373 pieces oak lumber, 668 pieces walnut, 15 maple logs, 125 elm logs, 43,560 ft. spruce boards, 386,495 ft. deals, 66,391 ft. scantling, 11,345 ft. ends.

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The Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, is in receipt of the following communication from a large firm in Swansea, England. The name and address of the firm may be obtained from the publishers of the CANADA LUMBERMAN :

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No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
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Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 25
Pine Shingles		
XXXX, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles		
XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

QUEBEC, QUE

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	60	69
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	60	66

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	20	22
16	25	28
17 " "	28	30
18 " "	30	34

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 11in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	79 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in.	79 00
4 in.	9 00	4 in.	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 co	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6.	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4.	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 co	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	3 co	Clear Butts	2 25

LATH.

No 1 White Pine	3 5	No. 2 White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24	25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40	45
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.		20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12		21
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	5c	1x16	23	20
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	22
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	40	47
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 15

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 23
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

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(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	80	00	2 in.	36	00
2½ and 3 in.	85	00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40	00
4 in.	85	00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48	00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70	00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35	00
2½ and 3 in.	78	00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	31	00
4 in.	80	00	6, 8 and 10 in	26	00
Fine common, 1 in.	55	00	No. 2, 10 in.	23	00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58	00	No. 2, 12 in.	26	00
2 in.	61	00	No. 3, 10 in.	20	00
3 in.	73	00	No. 3, 12 in.	22	50
4 in.	75	00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39	00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39	00	Box, 1x4	16	00
1¼ and 1½ in	50	00	1 x 6 & up	18	50
No. 2, 1 in.	24	00	1x10	19	00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38	00	1x12	20	00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00	1x13 and up	21	00
Dressing 1½ in.	36	00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19	00
1¼x10 and 12	40	00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15	00
1½ in.	34	00			

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00	46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00	25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 nch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	8 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 co	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00	26 00
ommon and cull's	1 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	21 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00	21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00	3 00

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157 Bay Street, Toronto.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The month of March is not usually a busy time for the lumber trade, and the present month promises to be no exception. The difficulty in making shipments has caused consumers to refrain from placing orders, and there is little promise of any improvement in that respect during the present month, as much freight is now standing on railway sidings waiting to be moved at first opportunity. Nevertheless, there has been during the past week an increased number of inquiries for lumber for spring delivery and the outlook for business is regarded as favorable. As spring approaches buyers show a greater disposition to anticipate their requirements, while manufacturers are also acquiring more confidence. Later on it will likely be found comparatively easy to effect sales. There is some business doing in the cities, but country trade is still backward. A comparison of price lists recently issued with those of one month ago show very little change. For inch box and common, 10 to 12 inches wide, from $18 to $19 is asked at the mills. The average price of pine mill culls is about $11. The tone of the hardwood market is very firm, influenced by the expected shortage in the production of logs. Some manufacturers are asking $19 for mill run birch, which is probably the strongest of all hardwood stock at the present time. Elm and maple are also regarded as splendid property. Shingles and lath are experiencing a period of quietude and there is not sufficient demand to cause prices to fluctuate. XXXX cedar shingles have been sold recently at $2.60 at the mill.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Eastern manufacturers report an increase in the number of inquiries for spruce lumber for shipment to New York and the New England States, but otherwise the situation is unchanged. The outlook at the present time is uncertain, and it is probable that the quantity of stock shipped to Great Britain will this year show a falling off. So far the buying has been very light. Manufacturers are making a strong effort to maintain prices and are watching the course of events in Europe with more than usual interest. Work in the woods is drawing to a close. Some operators were compelled to suspend operations earlier than usual owing to recent rains.

For the best brands of cedar shingles $3.40 is being paid for Boston delivery. There is not much snap to the demand, however, while offerings are fairly large.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

During the months of January and February the Building Inspector of Winnipeg issued permits for buildings valued at $145,300, as against $42,150 for the corresponding two months of last year. There is every indication that building operations in Winnipeg this year will be in excess of 1903, when over $5,000,000 was spent. There promises to be considerable activity also in the smaller municipalities in Manitoba and the Territories, and a brisk demand for lumber is anticipated in the spring. Dealers have as yet bought very sparingly, as the negotiations looking to a reduction in the price of lumber has caused them to withhold all orders. The lumber trade of British Columbia is rather unsettled. The sawing capacity is now so great that if the outlook should appear at all promising there would likely be a very large production. This fact is being recognized by the older manufacturers, who are pursuing a conservative course and will likely curtail their production.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber business of the United States is rather spotty ; some sections report nothing doing, others that the demand has improved perceptibly. Throughout the Southwestern States spring conditions have prevailed and there has been a revival of the demand for lumber. In the northern pine territory the season has been backward and the movement of lumber so far this spring very light. Some improvement in the demand is reported, and it would only require a week or two of favorable weather to start building operations and induce a pronounced revival in the demand. Dealers at Buffalo and Tonawanda have a fair stock of lumber on hand, and it is only fair to say that there is not exhibited as much eagerness to make contracts as was noted a year ago. Eastern spruce is in an exceptionally strong position. Stocks are scarce and the demand is more than equal to the absorption of the ready supply. Frames are quoted in Boston at $19 to $21 a thousand.

During the past fortnight there has been an advance in hemlock in New York ; 2x4 in 18 and 20 foot has been advanced 50 cents, making the price on this item now $2 above the $17 base, as against $1.50 the year before. Hardwood stock for future delivery is in good inquiry. Plain and quartered oak is moving in the greatest volume and prices are very firm.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Reports from Great Britain regarding the condition of the lumber trade are a little more encouraging in character. The consumption is behind that of last year and agents of shippers have not been altogether successful in closing contracts, yet the feeling as to the future is more hopeful. The weather is now more favorable for building operations and this is expected to help the situation materially. Much has been made of the fact that the quantity of Canadian lumber contracted for has been smaller than one year ago, but upon close investigation it has been found that considerable business has been booked in the better qualities of pine and spruce and that prices in most instances have been slightly better than those obtained for the 1903 production. Third and fourth quality pine has been difficult to place, but the better grades are still regarded favorably even at the high prices which are now asked. In spruce some business has also been done, the highest price realized, so far as can be learned, being £9 per standard of 1980 feet c.i.f. for good thirds from Quebec.

In the "spot" market there has been a distinct improvement. At the last auction sale held by Messrs. Churchill & Sim in London 3x11 first quality pine, 14 to 16 feet, brought £32 10s per standard. First quality red pine brought £16 10s. For third quality spruce £9 5s. was realized. A report from London states that agents are gradually clearing out their second quality 3x9 in. spruce deals at £10 10s, thirds at £9 15s, and fourths at £8 15s, whilst the importers have been busy selling their stocks at prices slightly in advance of the foregoing figures.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The City of London, Ont., is asking for tenders up to 17th inst. for supply of lumber.

The Red Deer Lumber Company, of Red Deer, N. W. T., expect to cut about 35,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

Tenders are invited up to March 15th for supply of cedar and plank required by the Board of Works of the city of Ottawa.

The Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Company, of Wardner, B. C., expect to cut about 25,000,000 feet of lumber this year.

W. D. Baillairge, Assistant City Engineer of Quebec, will receive tenders up to March 23rd for annual supply of deals, etc.

Dexter Conner, of Welsford, N. B., has taken out 3,000,000 feet of logs this winter, which will be sawn by rotary mills.

C. Jackson, of Paradise, N. S., is operating in the woods for Pickles & Mills, of Annapolis. He has four camps, which are getting out 80,000 feet of logs per day.

H. Elderkin & Co., of Port Greville, N. S., expect to cut and ship this season about 1,000,000 feet of spruce and hardwood and 20,000 pieces of spruce piling, spars and poles.

The Corporation of the City of Kingston desires tenders by noon of March 10th for supply of 150,000 feet of 3, 2, and 1½ inch pine plank and 30,000 lineal feet of 5x4 inch cedar sleepers.

W. Margach, Crown Timber Agent, Rat Portage, Ont., states that the production of logs in the Lake of the Woods district the past winter has been larger than the previous season. There will be about 100,000,000 feet for the Rat Portage and Keewatin mills and 90,000,000 feet for the Rainy River mills.

Despite the tremendous cut during past years, lumber operations around Williamsport, Pa., writes a correspondent of the CANADA LUMBERMAN, are still of considerable importance. In 1902 the total shipments from this district amounted to 162,990,000 feet of lumber in the rough, while in 1903 they were estimated at 149,094,000 feet, showing a decrease of 13,896,000 feet on the record of 1902.

The feature of the hardwood trade in general, says the American Lumberman, is the light supply of dry stocks and of common and culls of all woods. The consumption has been large, and as they have been used to a greater extent owing to the high prices for the better grades they have been used up closer than ever. This has never happened before and is a situation that makes the largest users stop and think as to what they will do for further supplies. The greatest scarcity is noticeable in plain oak of all kinds, and the firmness with which it is held. Buyers who have been after dry stock of all woods find it difficult to get in suitable lots. This applies to all woods and makes holders firm in their views of prices.

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(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

As has been hinted from time to time in these columns, the present year is not likely to witness any decline in the price of manufactured white pine sent out of the Ottawa district mills. An authority on the subject said to-day that very little white pine of the 1904 mill cut still remained in first hands. Practically all of it is in second hands and at a ten per cent. advance at that. Nor is the advance in the market confined to pine. Spruce, another fair factor in Ottawa district lumber circles, has also advanced so far as the 1904 cut is concerned.

The first mill man to announce the ten per cent. advance was Mr. J. R. Booth, "the king of them all." What J. R. Booth says generally goes in lumber circles in Eastern Canada, and consequently other mill owners followed suit, so that practically all the 1904 cut was sold at the advance. The reasons given for the advance are the increased cost of labor and provisions for the present season.

"Yes, there's been an advance," said a buyer, "but I cannot see how the second man can realize on it. Certainly the demand for Canadian lumber just at present does not warrant such an advance."

It is generally agreed that when the advance was decided upon, the mill men had in mind the fact that there would be a shortage in the log cut and hence less manufactured lumber later on to supply the market.

Despite the shortage in the present season's log cut, it is thought that the saws will have about all they can do next summer. In the first place there was a good run of logs last year, and many are still in the booms, which will be available when the mills start in on the season's cutting. Then again, all the present season's cut will be driven if the snow and water does not move off too rapidly, and this will mean a good supply for the summer sawing proper.

The firms anticipating an early break-up paid attention to the movement of the logs and have, despite the handicap of deep snow, placed them nearly all on the stream sides. Where the depth of snow is no interference, some of the firms have resumed log cutting operations near the streams and this will mean an additional supply. Again, in Quebec province, many logs were "hung up" last year which will, from present indications, be gotten down to the mills this spring. All this will go to give the saws a good supply and to insure a normal cut of lumber.

It is recognized that in the matter of log shortage, the Ottawa district is better off than is the Georgian Bay country, where the deep snow and lack of labor were more general impediments.

The square timber men are pretty confident that they will get all their bulky sticks cut this spring, but even at that the showing will not be as good as was that of last year as far as the Ottawa operators are concerned. As a matter of fact, square timber is already moving by rail. The Canada Atlantic is hauling some of the finest square timber cut in the Ottawa country off Mr. J. R. Booth's Madawaska limits. The timber is being unloaded into the St. Lawrence at Clark's Island. There it will be made into a raft and floated down to Quebec city for export when navigation opens.

In the retail end of the business there is little doing, snow blockades continuing to give trouble in the handling of lumber in the yards and on the railways. As has already been intimated, good business is expected with the opening of spring. It is believed the resumption of building operations on an extensive scale in New York and district, will create a big demand for Canadian white pine. Moreover, the Baltimore fire will also indirectly benefit the Ottawa lumber business. There will be a big demand in the fire-swept city for southern woods, and this will mean a falling off in their shipments to the New York market. Shortage in Georgia pine and southern cypress in the New York and other northern markets will mean an increased demand for Canadian white pine.

An important deal in the 1904 cut of spruce has just been closed. Mr. W. H. McAuliffe, of Ottawa, has contracted for the summer's cut of spruce at McLachlan Bros.' mill, Arnprior, and the St. Anthony Lumber Company's mill at Whitney. The combined cut will reach between four and five million feet. Mr. McAuliffe secured the same stock last year.

OTTAWA, March 5th, 1904.

DEMAND FOR RAILWAY TIES.

Mr. A. Poindron, Commercial Agent for Canada at Paris, France, has submitted to the Department of Trade and Commerce a report on the demand for railway ties in France. The dimensions of the ties mostly in demand are similar to those used in this country. There are two sizes, the first 8 ft. 10 3-8 inches long by 8 5-8 inches wide by 5 1-2 inches deep for square ties, and second 8 ft. 10 3-8 inches long by 11 7-8 inches by 6 inches for half round or sided ties. The duty is about 29 cents per 220 pounds and the price on the cars at Havre's Station, duty paid, 67 cents each.

The largest steady demand is for oak and beech ties, which are purchased by the railway companies either plain or injected with creosote. When bought plain they are injected with creosote on the railways' own plants. Steady contract specifications have been supplied to Canadian inquirers applying to both cases. No substantial import contract is obtainable from a French railway company unless an important building of track is in course of construction or in view, as for the renewals of the track repairs and small extensions they get generally all the beech or oak ties they want in the local districts surrounding the system's lines, but as soon as important buildings of new tracks are resumed, the local supply becomes insufficient and accordingly they are open for very large contracts of foreign ties. Such has been the case in the past few years.

The railway men in France object to plain beech ties being imported, as they think that the sea voyage injures the wood. Accordingly, so far as beech ties are concerned, French railway engineers would be open only for beech ties shipped from Canada already injected with creosote.

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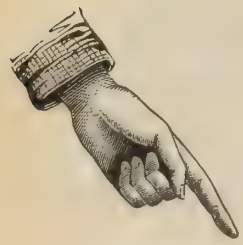

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No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	22
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2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	31 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITION S

ONTARIO.

The movement of lumber is increasing as fast as the weather will permit. The difficulty of making shipments is still a great barrier to business and until spring is here in full force the conditions are not likely to be much improved. When spring trade commences there will no doubt be a great rush, and the rolling stock of the railroads will be severely taxed to move the lumber. Buyers who are in a position to place orders and secure delivery at the present time should not neglect the opportunity of doing so. There is not a great deal of pine lumber in the hands of manufacturers, but a large quantity is still in their yards waiting to be moved to the yards of buyers. Box lumber has been very closely bought up, the steady and urgent demand for boxes being one of the strongest indications of the prosperous condition of the manufacturing community. There has lately been an increased inquiry for Norway pine, and from some contracts recently closed it would appear that prices are improving. Manufacturers are exhibiting no anxiety over the sale of their product, but are constantly being approached by prospective buyers, and already a large percentage of the season's cut has been contracted for.

The weather of late has not improved logging conditions in the hardwood sections. Reports from the Owen Sound district and further north tell of a general shortage in the output, which is sure to have an effect upon lumber prices. No one can be found who is willing to sacrifice his hardwood lumber, and there is absolutely no pressure to sell; on the other hand, dealers are picking up suitable stocks wherever they can be found.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The developments of the past week have not improved the spruce lumber situation. The announcement of the failure of a Liverpool firm who were dealers in Canadian spruce has caused buyers to exercise even a more conservative policy than in the past. Some manufacturers state that inquiries are more numerous and that the first symptoms of a seasonable revival are discernible. Strong efforts are being made to break the manufacturers' price, but all the larger manufacturers are taking a firm stand, feeling that the high cost of production demands that they shall receive the price they are asking. These remarks also apply to cedar shingles, concessions being granted by the small mills only.

Reports from the upper waters of the St. John river are to the effect that where in ordinary seasons there is usually from five to six feet of snow, there is only half this amount at the present time. This is not enough for suecessful driving, and the lumbermen will have to depend to a great extent on heavy spring rains, which may or may not come. Work is practically finished in the woods, the hauling is done and men are now getting ready for the drive.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Building throughout Manitoba and the West is opening up very satisfactorily. Almost daily the announcement is made of some important building to be erected in Winnipeg. There is, naturally, a disposition on the part of lumber dealers to replenish their stocks for the spring trade, but owing to the uncertainty regarding prices few orders have as yet been placed. A report from Vancouver states that the millmen and the Canadian Pacific Railway have reached an agreement by which the freight rate on rough cedar, hemlock, spruce and all woods except fir will be reduced from 50 cents to 40 cents per hundred pounds, the same rate as is now charged on fir, making a uniform rate on all rough lumber. The mill men, in turn, have agreed to reduce the price of rough lumber $1 per thousand feet, the highest grades to remain unchanged.

UNITED STATES.

The Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association, at a meeting held at Minneapolis on March 8th, adopted a price list making the following advances: No. 4 boards, $1; No. 3 boards, 10-inch, 50 cents; No. 3 shiplap and D. & M., 50 cents; 6-inch No. 3 fencing, 6-foot lengths, $1.50; 8 and 10-foot lengths, $1; 12 and 14 foot lengths, 50 cents; 4-inch No. 3 fencing, all lengths, 50 cents; 4-inch No. 4 fencing, all lengths, $1. These descriptions of lumber have practically been cleaned out by the demand for box lumber, and it is expected that the production of box lumber this season will be insufficient to meet the demand. A report from Buffalo states that a scarcity of all low grade white pine is feared. The white pine market as a whole is strong, with prices showing an upward tendency. The cut at Duluth this season is estimated at 261,000,000 feet, which is a decided shortage as compared with late years. In the entire Lake Superior district the shortage is estimated at from 20 to 25 per cent. In the light of these facts there does not seem to be much ground on which to base the expectation of lower prices for white pine. The hardwood demand is confined largely to consuming factories, but as spring opens there will doubtless be heavy buying by dealers, as the stocks of both wholesalers and retailers are much depleted. Thick ash is in short supply and sells readily, while there is also a more active movement of basswood. The hemlock demand is more pronounced than any other kind of northern lumber, there having been a positive revival during the past fortnight. Dry stocks are very low and will be completely exhausted before the new cut is ready for the market. The shingle trade is dull and prices not altogether satisfactory, but some improvement is looked for at an early date.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The news from the British market is by no means encouraging. The prevailing depression has been augmented by the failure of Robert Parker & Co., timber importers, and John Edwards & Co., box and packing case manufacturers, of Liverpool. The liabilities of the first named firm are said to be about $250,000, and it is said that the assets show twenty cents on the dollar. The suspension is the result of recent heavy losses, and it is expected that an arrangement will be made for the continuance of the business. The second failure is unimportant, the total liabilities being about $20,000. It is understood that the financial situation in certain quarters is causing some anxiety and there is little hope of an early improvement in the timber trade. Prices at the last auction sale showed a declining tendency. Fourth quality pine, 3x11 inch, 14 to 16 feet, sold as low as £9 per standard. Spruce deals also sold lower, a considerable line of 3x9 inch unassorted, 12 to 13 feet, averaging only £8 7s 6d per standard.

Several agents of Quebec shippers are reported to have secured contracts for small quantities of pine deals at prices about equal to those which were paid one year ago; others are reported to have obtained a slight advance. Some parcels of spruce deals have been sold at about £8 10s c. i. f. Belfast, whilst some Miramichi spruce has been placed at £5 5s. A considerable quantity of square and waney pine is said to have been placed.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Duffy & Barnhill have taken out 1,500,000 feet of logs in the vicinity of Musquash, N. B.

N.S. Fleischaeur will supply pine, cedar and rock elm for the city of Stratford, Ont., at $22, $17 and $26 respectively.

The S. Hadley Lumber Company have secured the contract for the supply of lumber for the city of Chatham, Ont.

E. D. Allan is sawing spool wood at Two Islands, N. S. He expects to cut about 300,000 superficial feet this season.

Large quantities of railway sleepers were taken out during the past winter along the line of the Intercolonial Railway in the southern part of New Brunswick.

Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company, of Saginaw, Mich., have about 20,000,000 feet of lumber on the sticks in Ontario, which they will take to Saginaw upon the opening of navigation.

Sims Bros., of Little Current, Ont., have just closed arrangements with the W. & A. McArthur Company by which their logs will be manufactured this year at the "Red" mill of the latter company.

Collicut & Mann, of Bloomfield Station, N. B., have lately finished a cut of 1,100,000 feet of lumber for H. A. Myers and are now cutting 500,000 feet for J. Jamieson. W. S. Mason has cut 1,300,000 feet for Jones Bros.

The Pigeon River Lumber Co., of Port Arthur, Ont., are again this winter receiving logs from their Minnesota limits. The supply from that quarter this year will be between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000 feet. In addition to the Minnesota camp the company have several camps on their Canadian limits tributary to the Pigeon River, from which they will probably receive 10,000,000 feet.

A meeting of the St. John, N.B., lumbermen was held last week to prepare to meet a rush of ice and logs which is expected upon the breaking up of the St. John river. There are between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 feet of logs between Fredericton and Grand Falls and from 30,000,000 to 35,000,000 feet between Grand Falls and Seven Islands at the headwaters. If the ice goes quietly by Fredericton and permits the booms to be swung, all will be well, but otherwise the lumbermen are fearful of the result. It is proposed to spend about $5,000 in preparations to save the drift drive.

The Barbadoes lumber market is thus reviewed by Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company: "There being no arrivals since our last report, stocks are being greatly reduced by the usual crop requirements of this season. We think that in four or five weeks a cargo of white pine would meet with a fair price. Spruce is not heavily stocked, but as previously advised, hemlock, which is held in large quantities, is being used instead. Gaspe and Dimension shingles are in good demand. Stocks are reduced to a very low ebb and we think next arrivals will bring good prices. Cedar Laying are in fair supply, A quality at from $2.10 to $2.15."

LUMBER FREIGHTAGE RATES.

At a meeting of the river tug boat men and mill men held at St. John, N. B., last week the charge on spruce from the Fredericton booms and from Springhill was compromised at 65 cents per thousand feet for the current year. This is on condition that 100,000,000 feet of spruce will be handled.

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THE LOG PRODUCTION.

The following letters regarding the production of logs this winter have been received, in addition to those published in the March number:

CHEW BROS., Midland, Ont.: "Last season we took out a little less than two million. While this year it will be a little over six million, we are not certain that we shall get them all out, as we still have quite a number to draw; we have had a long draw for about one-third of this quantity, from five to seven miles, and owing to the unusually stormy winter and great depth of snow, we have been delayed some. However, if weather holds good for another ten days or so we think they will all come out."

J. J. WHEELOCK, Connors, N.B.: "Our cut of lumber last season was less than the previous year; on account of the dry season and low water, a part of the logs were hung up. All the mills have been shut down in this vicinity this winter. There is a large cut of logs on the upper St. John river this season. The weather and conditions have been favorable in this section, and if there is a good year for driving there will be a large quantity of lumber to market. It looks as if the price of lumber will not be any higher."

TRACADIE LUMBER CO., Sheila, N.B.: "Our cut will slightly exceed that of last winter. We expect to have about eleven million feet available for this season's cutting, exceeding last year by about 10 per cent. The winter, while very cold, has been favorable for logging. Wages have been nearly 25 per cent. higher than previous years and cost of logs must be much higher than ever before."

N. & A. DYMENT, Thessalon, Ont.: "Our cut of logs this winter has been about the same as last year, if anything a little less. We have had a great deal of difficulty lumbering this winter on account of the excessive depth of snow. It came very early and prevented the freezing of the roads in the low places, and required a great many extra men and teams to keep the roads plowed out and the snow shoveled off the skid-ways, and latterly has caused some trouble on the lakes by the water rising over the ice on account of the heavy weight of snow. We think these conditions have been pretty general all along the North Shore."

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, of Glasgow, Scotland, under date of 29th February, say that business so far this year may be described as having been rather disappointing, and the feeling of dullness which has characterized the market unfortunately shows very little evidence of undergoing a speedy alteration in this respect. The future is very much dependent upon shipbuilding and housebuilding, and the prospects for these industries, we regret to say, are by no means reassuring. No doubt there have been several orders placed recently with shipbuilders, but these have been mostly for tramp steamers requiring very little timber.

A few shipments of pine and spruce deals and birch planks have come to hand during the past two months via St. John and Portland, and were for the most part disposed of from the ship's side. There has not been so much business done this year as last in contracting for delivery during the coming season, the Quebec shippers finding buyers unusually unresponsive to their offers, which may be explained partly on account of the high asking prices and partly because merchants see no evidence of trade improving to justify purchasing — particularly at such high prices. It is understood a fair business has been done in sidings on a basis of prices similar to those ruling last year.

In American hardwoods a steady business is going on, and values of high grade poplar and oak lumber are well maintained, but there is more pressure to sell the lower grades, with a consequent weakening of values.

Deliveries from stock have been fairly well maintained for the two months this year, though there has not been the same activity as existed at same period last year.

WHITE PINE.—Since the beginng of the year there has been no movement in waney or square timber, with the exception of a small parcel of fresh waney arriving via St. John, which was sold "ex quay." Stocks are moderate and prices firm.

QUEBEC RED PINE.—The is nothing new to report. There has been no further import, and the present small stock is sufficient for the demand.

OAK.—Enquiries for this class of timber are few, and except for one or two small retail sales, there has been nothing doing. Stocks are heavy.

ELM.—There has been a fair business done during the month, and some good lines of rock elm have been disposed of at satisfactory prices. The stock of this class is small, with prices tending upwards. Second class is moving off slowly, and the stock is still heavy.

QUEBEC BIRCH.—There has been no import this year, so far, of either logs or planks, and for all the demand which exists it is perhaps as well, as some of last year's import of Quebec logs still remains unsold. Shippers are quoting higher prices for delivery during the coming season, but it is understood that little, if any, business has been done in this market, the furniture trade being too dull to encourage buying — particularly at an advance on last year's prices.

LOWER PORT BIRCH.—The import during January and February has been about 150 loads from St. John and Halifax, some of which has been sold "ex quay" and some stored. There is still a considerable quantity of old Pictou birch in the market, which is being offered at about a penny over the inch, but the demand is very slow. One or two lots of planks changed hands recently at about £7 5s. per standard.

ASH.—There is nothing of importance to advise, there being no stock of good logs in the market, and only an occasional enquiry for small quantities. There have been a few transactions in States logs and planks at prices ranging from 1s. 9d. to 2s. for the former, and from 2s. 3d. to 2s. 6d. for the latter. One exceptionally good lot of 3-inch planks brought 2s. 9d.

DEALS, &C.—Business during the month has been quiet. The import has been small, consisting almost entirely of spruce deals, part of which have been disposed of "ex quay," but the greater portion has gone into store. Pine deals and sidings are difficult to move. Prices, however, are firm. Current values are as under: Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second pine deals, 11-inch and up, £19 to £21; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third pine deals, 11-inch and up, £12 to £14 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £9 10s. to £11. Red pine deals, 9 and 11-inch, £11 to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10s. First pine sidings and strips, 9 to 10-inch, £24 to £24 10s.; 11 to 12-inch, £25 to £26; 13 to 14-inch, £27 to £28. Spruce deals, 9-inch and up, £8 10s. to £9 5s.; 7 and 8-inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s.

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The past winter has been favorable for logging operations on the St. John river in New Brunswick. The cut is estimated between 135,000,000 and 140,000,000 feet, which is about the same as last year.

Added to this will be at least 35,000,000 hung up from last season, which will bring the total up to 70,000,000, the largest which has been for many years. From the northern part of the province and some parts of Quebec it is reported that lumber operators have been greatly impeded by snow and that the cut will be much smaller than usual, as men and teams had to leave the woods long before the usual time to quit.

Lumbermen who had been in the woods for Michael Welch report that he has finished his yarding and that his cut will total about 7,000,000 feet.

Robt. Aiken, who has been operating on the Aroostook, has cut about 4,250,000 feet, and this, with the last two seasons' cut hung up for want of water, will give him a good many logs to handle.

William J. Scott has returned to Fredericton from the Quebec woods, where he has been superintending operations. He got out about 5,000,000 feet on the Black River and tributaries.

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TORONTO, ONT.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00	1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00	1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	26 00	29 00	Cull scantling	12 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	23 00	26 00	1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50	17 50	1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
x10 common	18 50	19 00	Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
x12 common	21 00	22 00	1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 50
x10 common	19 00	20 00	1½ inch No. 2 Lath	3 00
x12 common	21 00	23 00	1⅜ inch Norway lath.	2 75
x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 50	X white pine shingles	1 15
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50	XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
Inch strips common	17 50	18 00	XXX white pine shingles	3 15
10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	B. C. Shingles	
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00	XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00	XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00	XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 51
			XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in	50
			XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
			XX " to 2 in	2

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.

Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds		$31 00	$34 00	Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼" 24 00 26 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 1 to 1½ in		25 00	27 00	Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3 26 00 28 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 2 to 4 in		6 00	00	Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2 34 00 37 00
Ash M.R., 1 to 2		2 00	00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½ 21 00 23 00
Birch M.R., 1 in.		19 00	21 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 24 00 26 00
" 1½ "		2 22 00	2 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 34 00 36 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		25 00	26 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 37 00 39 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in			00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 39 00 41 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2		26	28 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 44 00 48 00
Basswood, M.R., 1	1¼	23 00	24 00	Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 2 00 00 65 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½	60 00	70 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1 " 3 85 00 100 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	65 00	75 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	00	22 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	22 00	24 00		

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00	Pine Shingles 5' to 11'x8"	15 00
1½ in. and 1½ in. x 7 in. and up	48 00	50 00	" 6' to 11'x10"	16 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00	Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50 20 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00	Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
1½ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00	Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00	Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00	Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00	Pine, mill No. 1 barn	21 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00	1x10 No. 2 "	
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding per M feet, b.m.	20	25 00	1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	3 50	4 00	1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing flooring		20 00	Lath, per M	
Pine, mill s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00	No. 1 white pine	2 50 2 75
Pine mill s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16	19 00	No. 2 white pine	2 25 2 35
			Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 25
			Red pine mil run	2 00 2 25
			Pine Shingles	
			XXXX, 18 inch	3 35 3 50
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40 2 60
			XX 18 inch	1 40 1 60
			Cedar Shingles	
			XXXX 18 inch	3 30 3 55
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2 75
			XX, 18 inch	1 65 1 90

QUEBEC, QE

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average		
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average	60	66

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	20	22
16	25	28
17 " "	28	30
18 " "	30	34

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 for 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	79 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in.	79 00
4 in.	9 00	4 in.	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1¼ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 25

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3	No. 2 White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24	25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40	45
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.		20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12		21
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	52	1x10	23	20
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	22
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	40	47
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 15

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine ex. XXXX	$4 00	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Clear but	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 23
Smooth x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	85 00	2 in.		36 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.		48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.		35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.		26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.		23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.		26 00
2 in.	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.		20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.		22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4		16 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	No. 2, 1 in.		18 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x6 & up		19 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x10		20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x12		21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1x13 and up		19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.		
1¼x10 and 12	40 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		15 00
1½ in.	34 00			

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00 46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00 25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00 20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00 18 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up	25 00 27 00
			Com & good culls	13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	24 00 26 00
Common and culls	14 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00 18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	24 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00 21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00 13 00

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1 in. Brown Ash, Mill Run, Mill Culls out. To be in fair shipping condition and good average widths. Also 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. Ash and 1 and 2 in. Elm.

HURDMAN & ELMITT,
Ottawa, Ont.

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BERTH NO. 3 SITUATED ON THE SOUTH-WEST corner of the township of Creelman, comprising lots number 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in the first, second and third concessions; good location, Vermillion river running through centre. For terms and particulars apply to W. RYAN, North Bay.

BAND SAW FILER WISHES ENGAGEMENT; experienced in double cuts. Box No. 122, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—WHITE PINE UP TO 60, HEMlock to 30, to saw to order into large timber. Box 127 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

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FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN SAW mill and stock at a bargain. Ill health. Or would exchange for 50 acres in South Western Ontario. Box 129 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—BY A THOROUGHLY COMPEtent young man, with sixteen years experience, situation as saw mill superintendent, or overseer. Can furnish first class references. Apply Box No. 130 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—10 CAR LOADS OF COMMON and Better White Winter Cut Basswood, cut 1⅛" from the saw or good plump 1" when dry; will take it 3" wide and up, 3 ft. long and up; can ship in car lots from any part of Ontario or Quebec. Address Box 84, CANADA LUMBERMAN

FOR SALE

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KILN DRIED BIRCH, ABOUT 60 M. Box 442 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

Lumber Wanted

WANTED, FROM ONE TO TEN CARS OF firsts and seconds, 4/4, 5/5 and 6/4 Black Ash, for our wholesale trade and immediate shipment. GOLD MEDAL FURNITURE MFG. CO., Ltd., Van Horne street, Toronto.

FOR SALE

WELL LOCATED WATER POWER SAW Mill in good running order, doing good retail trade; plenty of Timber in vicinity; 500 M feet of Hemlock Logs, 100 M Pine and Spruce, and a quantity of Cedar Stock could go with mill; Planer and Matcher in the mill. Business can easily be increased. Good reason for selling. Unencumbered. For particulars call or write. SILAS H. JACOBS, Huntsville, Ont.

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FOR SALE—A 20 H.P. PORTABLE SAW MILL Address, Box 126, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED — TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

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WANTED—ABOUT ONE MILLION FEET of Hemlock logs, assorted lengths on shore or in booms Georgian Bay. Quote price and particulars to Box 163, Midland, Ont.

WANTED—100 M. FT. 4/4 COMMON AND better Birch. 50 M. ft. 5/4 common and better Birch for immediate shipment. R. E. BECKER CO., Poplar and McLean Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—TO CONTRACT WITH OWNER of lath mill or box factory, or both, to run by the thousand. Experienced in this line of work. Apply "Lath," care CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WANTED

TO COMMUNICATE WITH BUYERS OF Basswood Broom Handles and box shocks and Excelsior. Write "Excelsior," care CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

FOR SALE

20 to 30 M. feet Hard Maple for sale: could cut to order or could cut and rip into demension stock. Send specifications for quotations to W. SWAN, Bright P. O., Ont.

WE ARE PREPARED TO FILL ORDERS for White Oak, 10 to 40 ft. long, in sizes up to and including 12 x 12; also bill stuff in Pine 10 to 32 feet long, in sizes up to and including 12 x 12. This stock is at present in the log in tree lengths. Order promptly if you want it. WOODSTOCK LUMBER & MFG. CO., Woodstock, Ont.

FOR SALE

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Halifax, N.S.

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Two good second-hand Planers and Matchers; state size, thickness and capacity machine can plane, the size and how many pairs of rolls, together with lowest price and place of delivery. Address,
GEO. ST. PIERRE & CO.,
Fraserville, Que.

For Sale

Fifty thousand Cedar Ties, 6" face and up
One million feet Square Cedar
One million feet Square Hemlock
Half million feet Square Pine
Twenty thousand Cedar Posts, 4½" and up, 8 ft. long.
Five million XXX Cedar Shingles
One million No. 2 " "
To be shipped during the season of 1904 by rail or water. Apply to
MAITLAND, RIXON & CO.,
Owen Sound, Ont.

FOR SALE—150,000 FEET WHITE OAK TO Saw to order, good shipping facilities. Box 131, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WANTED — ONE INCH CEDAR LUMBER for Boat building. PETERBOROUGH CANOE COMPANY, Limited, Peterborough, Ont.

FOR SALE—225 TAMARACK LOGS—FROM 25 to 54 feet long; average length 35 feet; 7" and up at top ends; straight. Apply to the Muskoka Wood Mfg. Co., Huntsville.

ADVERTISERS HAVE SEVERAL MILLION feet of Pine, Maple and Birch, which can be cut to order if contracts are made at once Box 124, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE

Boiler, 4x12, 60 3" tubes, 45 h.p., Hardill Compound Engine, 3 block Steel Carriage, Feed Works, Mandrell, Saw, Bullwheel, Shingle Outfit, Shafting, Pulleys, Belts, etc., in good order; cheap for quick sale. To be seen at Creemore. A. E. Webster, 3 College street, Toronto, or G. Webster, Creemore

JUDICIAL SALE.

Pursuant to an Order made on the 9th March, 1904, in an action in the High Court of Justice for Ontario, in which the Cook and Brothers Lumber Company of Ontario, Limited, are Plaintiffs, and W. H. Sawyer Lumber Company are Defendants, sealed tenders will be received addressed to the "Master in Ordinary Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Ontario", and marked "Tenders in Cook vs Sawyer," up to eleven o'clock a.m. on FRIDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 1904, for the purchase of four parcels of merchantable White Pine Lumber, 12, 14, and 16 feet in length, hereinafter described, which lumber is now at the Village of Sprague in the District of Algoma, upon the docks of the plaintiffs who are the Vendors:—

PARCEL I.

This Parcel consists of lumber manufactured at the plaintiff's Mills at Sprague during the season of 1903 from logs cut on the Sable River during the winter season of 1902-1903, which lumber has been in cross-piles sixty days before the close of navigation for the season of 1903, which lumber is estimated at 1,811,515 feet Board Measure and is more particularly described in posters.

PARCEL II.

This Parcel consists of lumber similar in other respects to that described in Parcel I., except that it had not been cross-piled for sixty days as aforesaid, which lumber is estimated at 1,655,515 feet Board Measure, and is more particularly described in posters

PARCEL III.

This Parcel consists of lumber manufactured at plaintiff's said Mills during the season of 1903 from logs cut in the Serpent River during the winter seasons of 1901-1902 and 1902-1903, and comprising the product (estimated at about 875,000 feet) of the last 8,965 of the said logs manufactured into lumber at the said Mills during the season of 1903.

PARCEL IV.

This Parcel consists of lumber similar in other respects to that described in Parcel III, except that it was manufactured from logs cut during the winter season of 1902-1903, and is estimated at 2,508,702 feet Board Measure, and is more particularly described in posters.

Tenders are to be at a price per 1,000 feet Board Measure delivered on the plaintiffs' dock at Sprague, and are to be made on each of the above four parcels separately, together with an offer for any mill culls which may be found in the merchantable lumber when shipping same.

Lumber on shipment to be measured and inspected at Sprague by Messrs. Martin and Boggs, of Cheboygan, Michigan; and such inspection and measurement shall be final and conclusive as between the Vendors and the purchasers, who are to bear equally the costs of said inspection and measurement (at Twenty-five cents per 1,000 feet, Board Measure).

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The purchasers are to pay to the vendors a proportionate part of the insurance premium paid in respect of said lumber to be computed from the date of acceptance of tender by the Master in Ordinary.

The vendors are not to be held responsible for delivery of lumber for which tenders are now invited, if the same is prevented by fire, strikes or other events beyond their control.

The property in the lumber is to remain in the Vendors until full payment is made in cash.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The weather has not moderated sufficiently to stimulate the demand for lumber to any extent, particularly as many customers are waiting the delivery of stock ordered weeks ago. Until this lumber reaches them they will refrain from placing further orders except for urgent requirements and when delivery can be guaranteed. The tone of the market continues unchanged, the disposition being to hold for prices equal to or higher than those obtained one year ago. In this issue will be found the statement of stocks of white pine lumber at the mills on the Georgian Bay as compiled by the Secretary of the Ontario Lumbermen's Association. It will be seen that the stock on hand is 20,000,000 feet less than one year ago, 31,000,000 feet less than two years ago, and 66,000,000 feet less than three years ago. The actual situation, however, is even more favorable than the figures show, for the reason that a larger percentage than usual of the quantity on hand has been sold but could not be moved owing to the severe winter and blockade of the railroads. The statement shows that there is only 50,000,000 feet of all grades of white pine that has not passed out of the hands of manufacturers.

A serious problem confronts the lumber manufacturers this spring in the movement of their lumber, as the present shortage of cars is certain to become more acute as the spring advances. It is estimated that between Orillia and Midland there is nearly 20,000,000 feet of lumber that has been sold and is waiting shipment by rail. Unless the accumulated supply can be moved with some rapidity, lack of piling ground is likely to cause much inconvenience.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is a slightly better local demand for spruce lumber and a sharp revival in business is anticipated within the next two or three weeks. British operators, however, are still in the dark as to the course to pursue, the reports from across the water being rather discouraging. It is probable that some manufacturers will give more than usual attention to the South American and United States markets. The shingle trade does not show much life and consequently prices are unchanged.

UNITED STATES.

During the month of February building permits were taken out in 23 leading cities of the United States involving a cost of upwards of $14,000,000, a decrease of approximately 10 per cent. as compared with the corresponding month of 1903. This is not a bad showing when the severe weather is taken into consideration, and it augurs well for considerable activity when the weather becomes such that outdoor operations can be carried on to advantage. There has been a steady drain upon the lumber supply, with the result that stocks in the hands of retail dealers are abnormally low. The builders' strike in New York is the most unfavorable influence at the present time. White pine prices are being well maintained. The common and lower grades are in demand at a slight advance, which is an offset to the concessions which are sometimes made on selects and the better grades. No. 4 and No. 5 boards are a negligible quantity in the market, so great has been the call for box lumber. The reports from the logging districts tell of a general shortage in the crop of white pine logs, and the mills are likely to have a much lighter supply than last year. This, together with the light stock of lumber carried over, is reckoned upon to prevent any material decline in lumber prices.

The supply of dry hardwood lumber is well nigh exhausted. This fact is appreciated by dealers, many of whom have closed contracts for new stock at an advance averaging about $2 per thousand feet over those paid one year ago. Michigan manufacturers are asking considerably higher prices for maple. The same may be said of birch, which has become quite scarce. Basswood, elm and ash are standard lumbers for which there is also a ready sale and a probability of enhanced values.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The timber trade of Great Britain shows no improvement; in fact, the hope of a change for the better is in some quarters almost abandoned. The advent of spring cannot but result in increased activity, but whether it will restore confidence or increase the uncertainty which now prevails is a question which cannot at the moment be answered. The consumption of lumber during the year will probably be less than last season, but there is nothing which would indicate that the decrease will be material, as most of the industries are enjoying moderate prosperity and building operations promise to be about normal. The great hindrance to more activity in the lumber business seems to be the indisposition of buyers to pay the prices asked by shippers. A report from London states that very little progress has been made in effecting c.i.f. sales of spruce. The opening quotations for second and third quality deals at £10 and £9 7s 6d per standard c.i.f. London led to little business, and the lower figures that succeeded brought no better response from buyers. It is stated that some contracts have been closed at £9 10s. and £9 c.i.f. for 3x9 second and third quality spruce. The prices ruling auction sales have predjudiced the "to arrive" market and caused buyers to be unreasonably cautious.

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WHITE PINE STATISTICS.

The following statistical report was submitted at the annual meeting of the Lumbermen's Association of Ontario on March 17th, by the Secretary, Mr. W.B. Tindall:

PRODUCTION OF WHITE PINE LUMBER.—The total production of mills in North-Western Ontario, which embraces all mills on the Georgian Bay, Northern Division of the Grand Trunk Railway to Callender, and Canadian Pacific Railway, North Bay to Rat Portage, in 1903 was 485 million feet. The comparison with former years is as follows: 1899, 351,000,000 feet; 1900, 476,000,000 feet; 1901, 466,000,000 feet; 1902, 510,000,000 feet; 1903, 485,000,000 feet, a decrease between 1903 and 1902 of 25,000,000 feet.

STOCKS ON HAND.—There is in pile at the mills about 150,000,000 feet, of which 100,000,000 is sold waiting spring delivery, and the balance is unsold. From all I can learn there seems to be a great scarcity of the low grade lumber, absolutely none in first hands, and what is available being held by dealers for distribution. The comparison with previous years follows: 1899, 120,000,000 feet; 1900, 216,349,000 feet; 1901, 181,000,000 feet; 1902, 170,000,000 feet; 1903, 150,000,000 feet.

PROBABLE PRODUCTION OF 1904 LOGS.—I estimate this at 420,000,000 feet.

The answers to the enquiry as to whether last year's prices would be maintained or not, are unanimous that they would, and a good many are looking for a 10 per cent. increase, and one has to consider that the increased cost of log production this winter in the greater portion of the district will require fully a 10 per cent. increase to be in the same position as last year.

It is of interest to look for a short time at the statistics given for the competing points of the United States. The figures given for the states of Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin are as follows:

PRODUCTION.—1899, 6,056,508,000 feet; 1900, 5,485,261,000 feet, decrease 571,247,000 feet; 1901, 5,336,448,000 feet, decrease 48,813,000 feet from 1900; 1902, 5,294,395,000 feet, decrease 42,053,000 feet from 1901; 1903, 4,791,852,000 feet, decrease 502,543,000 feet from 1902.

STOCKS ON HAND (Same Period.)—1899, 2,728,271,000 feet; 1900, 2,839,706,000 feet, increase 111,435,000 feet; 1901, 2,388,256,000 feet, decrease 451,450,000 feet; 1902, 2,112,719,000 feet, decrease 275,537,000 feet; 1903, 1,964,532,000 feet, decrease 148,187,000 feet. Total decrease since 1900, 875,274,000 feet.

In reference to these districts I would like to call your attention to the fact that it is the first time since 1879 that their output had dropped to the 4,000 million figure. In 1899 it stood at 4,806,943,000. The highest point was reached in 1890, being 8,597,623,000, and the falling off in 13 years to 1904 has been 3,805,771,000 feet or 44.26 per cent., the decrease being steady since 1898.

The cut of hemlock for the same period in the same district is as follows:

Total Cut — 1889, 868,410,000 feet; 1900, 1,166,288,000 feet; 1901, 1,264,943,000 feet; 1902, 1,277,814,000 feet; 1903, 1,334,404,000 feet. Increase from 1899 to 1903, 465,994,000 feet in total cut.

Stocks—1899, 287,820,000 feet; 1900, 622,312,000 feet; 1901, 574,406,000 feet; 1902, 441,634,000 feet; 1903, 515,935,000 feet.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

D. E. Sprague, of Winnipeg, Man., expects to cut 12,000,000 feet of lumber this season.

The Davidson Lumber Company, of Bridgewater, N.S., have taken out about 15,000,000 feet of logs this winter.

Edward Zwicker & Company, of Bridgewater, N.S., have a contract to supply John G. Hall & Company, of Boston, with 650,000 feet of lumber for shipment to South America. They will have 400,000 feet of spruce and pine ready for the New York market next month.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa will receive tenders up to April 6th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 378, comprising the east half of Section 11, west half of Section 12, Fractional Section 13, and Fractional east half of Section 14, Township 6, Province of British Columbia, containing an area of 960 acres.

The W. C. Edwards Company will supply birch lumber for the Fire & Light Committee of Ottawa, at $40 per thousand feet board measure for kiln-dried and $35 for green. D. O'Connor, jr., tendered at $70 for surface measurement and J. A. Desrivieres at $78.

The log production in the vicinity of Dauphin, Man., during the past season was unusually large, totalling 65,000,000 feet. The following are the operators:

	Feet B.M.
Red Deer Lumber Co., Erwood	30,000,000
Northern Lumber Co, Pine River	8,000,000
T A. Burrows, Duck Mountain	7,000,000
Hanbury M'f'g Co., Duck Mountain	5,000,000
McArthur & Co., Winnipegosis	3,000,000
Shaw Bros., Dauphin	2,500,000
Armstrong & Roland, Erwood	1,500,000
Mutchbacher Bros., Minitonas	1,500,000
Ritchie Bros. Ochre River	1,500,000
Knox Bros., Laurier	1,000,000
Swan River Lumber Co., Minitonas	1,000,000
Portable mills	3,000,000
Total cut	65,000,000

The W. & A. McArthur Company, of Little Current, Ont., write as follows: "Owing to the labor conditions and scarcity of men last fall, the consequent late start and the early and excessive snowfall, the product of our winter's work in the woods will not be over two-thirds of last year's cut, and at largely increased cost. This, in our opinion, will apply to all the lumber operations on the Georgian Bay."

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN).

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 14th, 1904.—Shipping is somewhat brisker than at last writing. Schooners are coming out of winter quarters in large numbers and many are already taking cargoes for American ports. Charters are being made at $2.25 on long lumber to Boston and at $2.75 to New York.

American laths are selling at from $2.35 to $2.45 per M. f.o.b. schr. St. John, for immediate delivery. Stocks are very low, not more than two million at the outside being available at the present moment, and the demand is brisk.

Provincial laths are worth from $2.15 to $2.20 per M. Stocks in this line are also small. An advance of from 10 cents to 20 cents per M. on laths is confidently expected in the near future.

The outlook for shingles is not so encouraging. The feeling seems to be that during the next few months at least, the shingle market will not recover the falling off in prices (10 cents per M. on the high grades and 5 cents on the low) which took place last fall, but rather that the better grades may go lower yet. American cedar shingles, f. o. b. St. John, are worth: Extras, $2.95; Clears, $2.45; 2nd Clears, $1.95; Extra No. 1, $1.15; No. 1, $1.00.

The purchaseable stocks of American shingles in and about St. John is very low, possibly three million at the the outside. From now until the middle of April the weekly output will be in the vicinity of 700 M. When that time comes all the manufacturers will be able to obtain their cedar logs (which are at present, as is usual at this season, ice-bound in the coves and booms) and after that the weekly output will be in the vicinity of two and a half millions, Provincial and American combined.

Local sales of shingles are few, but with the opening of navigation in the rivers trade will in all probability be very briskly resumed at the following prices: 2nd Clears, $2.00; Extra No. 1 $1.30; No. 1 $1.00. Few of the higher grades are sold in the provinces for local consumption. Local stocks of lower grades are much smaller than usual.

W. W. Reed, of Reedsville, Que., has over 1,000,000 feet of logs on the shores of Lake Massawippi for rafting to his mill this spring.

The Pembroke Lumber Company, per S. Anglin & Company, have secured the contract to supply the Board of Works of Kingston, Ont., with lumber, the price being $2,511.60.

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Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average,	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	60	69
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	60	66

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	20	22
16	25	28
17 " "	28	30
18 " "	30	34

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 or 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	79 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in.	79 00
4 in.	9 00	4 in.	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1¼ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 25

LATH.

		No. 2 White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	3 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40 45
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.	20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23 24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	52	1x10	23 20
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20 22
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	40 47
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common	25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22		

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 1

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 53
Clear bu		3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 23
Smoot	x 18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	8 00	2 in.	00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	3 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1 x 4	16 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1 x 6 & up	18 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x 10	19 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00	46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00	25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	8 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	26 00
ommon and culls	16 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00	21 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00	13 00

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NOVA SCOTIAN LIVE GANG, 26" STROKE, 33" between uprights. Apply to
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For Sale

Fifty thousand Cedar Ties, 6" face and up
One million feet Square Cedar
One million feet Square Hemlock
Half million feet Square Pine
Twenty thousand Cedar Posts, 4½" and up, 8 ft. long.
Five million XXX Cedar Shingles
One million No. 2 "
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1 Mowry Carriage, complete with track.
1 Waterous Steam Feed, single valve.
1-5 Saw Slash Table with saws.
230 feet No. 77 Chain.
430 feet ⅝" Refuse Carrier Chain.
700 feet 2½" Warping Line.
Apply to THE SNIDER LUMBER CO., Gravenhurst, Ont.

JUDICIAL SALE.

Pursuant to an Order made on the 9th March, 1904, in an action in the High Court of Justice for Ontario, in which the Cook and Brothers Lumber Company of Ontario, Limited, are Plaintiffs, and W. H. Sawyer Lumber Company are Defendants, sealed tenders will be received addressed to the "Master in Ordinary, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Ontario", and marked "Tenders in Cook vs Sawyer," up to eleven o'clock a.m. on FRIDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 1904, for the purchase of four parcels of merchantable White Pine Lumber, 12, 14, and 16 feet in length, hereinafter described, which lumber is now at the Village of Spragge in the District of Algoma, upon the docks of the plaintiffs who are the Vendors:—

PARCEL I.

This Parcel consists of lumber manufactured at the plaintiff's Mills at Spragge during the season of 1903 from logs cut on the Sable River during the winter season of 1902-1903, which lumber had been in cross-piles sixty days before the close of navigation for the season of 1903, which lumber is estimated at 1,811,515 feet Board Measure and is more particularly described in posters.

PARCEL II.

This Parcel consists of lumber similar in other respects to that described in Parcel I., except that it had not been cross-piled for sixty days as aforesaid, which lumber is estimated at 1,655,515 feet Board Measure, and is more particularly described in posters.

PARCEL III.

This Parcel consists of lumber manufactured at plaintiff's said Mills during the season of 1903 from logs cut in the Serpent River during the winter seasons of 1901-1902 and 1902-1903, and comprising the product (estimated at about 875,000 feet) of the last 8,965 of the said logs manufactured into lumber at the said Mills during the season of 1903.

PARCEL IV.

This Parcel consists of lumber similar in other respects to that described in Parcel III, except that it was manufactured from logs cut during the winter season of 1902-1903, and is estimated at 2,508 702 feet Board Measure, and is more particularly described in posters.

Tenders are to be at a price per 1,000 feet Board Measure delivered on the plaintiffs' dock at Spragge, and are to be made on each of the above four parcels separately, together with an offer for any mill culls which may be found in the merchantable lumber when shipping same.

Lumber on shipment to be measured and inspected at Spragge by Messrs. Martin and Boggs, of Cheboygan, Michigan; and such inspection and measurement shall be final and conclusive as between the Vendors and the purchasers, who are to bear equally the costs of said inspection and measurement (at Twenty-five cents per 1,000 feet, Board Measure).

Shipment to be made by water commencing on opening of navigation in spring of 1904, and all lumber to be removed from docks at Spragge, one-half of each parcel before 1st June, 1904, and the balance before 15th June, 1904.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. when tender is accepted; the remainder within ten days from the day of shipment of each cargo.

All payments to be made in funds current at par at a Bank in Toronto.

Time is to be of the essence of the contract of

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Nice to Log, good ground, all sound red knotted timber, especially good for export trade. Convenient to the Spanish and Vermillion Rivers. Good trade offered. Address

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purchase, and in case of any purchaser making default in removing the lumber, pursuant to contract, he shall pay to the Vendors as liquidated damages an additional sum of 5 cents per 1,000 feet Board Measure for the lumber in respect of which such default shall occur, and all make such payment for every day during hich such default shall continue.

The purchasers are to pay to the vendors a proportionate part of the insurance premium paid in respect of said lumber to be computed from the date of acceptance of tender by the Master in Ordinary.

The vendors are not to be held responsible for delivery of lumber for which tenders are now invited, if the same is prevented by fire, strikes or other events beyond their control.

The property in the lumber is to remain in the Vendors until full payment is made in cash.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Every tender shall be deemed to have incorporated therein the provisions of this advertisement.

Specifications of lumber and further particulars may be obtained at the office of

THE COOK AND BROTHERS LUMBER COMPANY OF ONTARIO, Limited,
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There are several good mill sites on the property. This would be a good opportunity for parties who are at present cut out and looking for a new location.

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Timber Berths

1. Township of Kitchener, 36 square miles.
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3. Township No. 107, 36 square miles.
4. Township No. 167, 36 square miles.
5. Birch Island (Indian), 11 square miles.
6. Berth No. 3, Township of Mulock, 3¼ square miles.
7. Berth No. 4, Township of Mulock, 4 square miles.
8. Also new and well equipped SAW MILL at Spanish, together with dock, good harbor for logs, houses, etc., etc.

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Terms of Sale.—Ten per cent. of the purchase price at the time of sale and ten per cent. every six months thereafter, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum, with usual cutting terms and conditions.

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ABOUT 1,000 CORDS SPRUCE PULPWOOD and about 2,000 Spruce Piles, 30' to 60'. May and June delivery on cars, boat or in rafts at Papineauville, Que. Address P.O. Box 13, Papineauville, Que.

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ONTARIO Timber Berths

BY AUCTION

Township of Laird, District of Algoma, 15 Square Miles under License from the Crown. Also No. 3 Chesley Additional, 4 square miles.

The above will be sold as one Parcel or in Separate Berths at the ROTUNDA of the BOARD OF TRADE, TORONTO, on

Wednesday, April 20th, at 2 p.m.

Terms:—One-fourth cash, balance on time with interest at 5 per cent. per annum

The Township of Laird is under License from the Dominion Government. Crown dues on Pine $1.00 per 1000 ft. B.M. This township is heavily timbered with Pine, Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Birch, and is easily supplied and operated. Estimators can reach the Berth from Isbestor Station on the "Soo" Branch of the C.P.R., which is on the Township.

No. 3 Chesley Additional has considerable large White Pine and other woods.

For further particulars apply to

BURTON & BRO., Barrie,
or PETER RYAN, Toronto.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The milder weather has created more activity in the lumber business. The demand is increasing in greater ratio than the volume of shipments, because of the inability of the railroads to handle the business offered them. One of the largest dealers states that although his orders so far this year have been greater than during the corresponding period of 1903, his shipments show a considerable falling off. This statement no doubt reflects the general situation. Stocks in the hands of retailers must be very light, and will not last long when the spring demand is on in full force. The activity which the advent of spring will bring is almost certain to prevent a decline in lumber prices, while the shortage in the supply of the lower and higher grades is not unlikely to cause a slight advance. There is a very strong demand for the lower grades, and in a lesser degree for the higher grades. The intermediate grades of pine are moving rather slowly, but it is expected that even these grades will be largely disposed of by the opening of navigation.

There has been liberal buying of hardwood lumber. Prices are in a strong position, and a large part of the season's cut has been placed under contract. Dealers and factory consumers have been heavy buyers. Notwithstanding the high prices which ruled last year, the feeling of the trade seems to be that still higher prices will be paid for hardwoods this season, as the supply promises to be unequal to the demand. Birch and elm show advancing tendencies.

QUEBEC AND NEW RBUNSWICK.

In reviewing the spruce market, it is necessary to make two distinct divisions, the local and United States trade on the one side, and the British trade on the other. Local business is quite satisfactory and the outlook somewhat promising. There is a good demand for all kinds of lumber for home consumption and for export to the United States. Many mills catering to these markets have sold a large percentage of their 1904 cut at an advance over the prices received last year. The outlook for shipments to Great Britain is in striking contrast to these conditions. Owing to the general depression there is a feeling of nervousness in lumber circles, and it is feared that there will be little profit in shipments made to that country this year. The amount of lumber placed under contract for export across the water is much smaller than at the corresponding time one year ago.

Reports from New Brunswick indicate that the cut of logs during the past winter was equal to or slightly above the average. As against this, however, the prospects are poor for successful stream driving. On the upper waters of the rivers there is but little snow, and some of the streams are quite dry. It is impossible, therefore, to estimate with any degree of accuracy the quantity of logs which will reach the mills for sawing this year.

UNITED STATES.

The developments of the past week have been favorable to the producer of lumber of whatever kind. There has been a marked increase in enquiry and demand and conditions indicate that there will be a brisk revival of trade before many days. From now forward the lumber required for building purposes will be an important factor in the demand. The consumer is short of lumber and is anxious to replenish his supply. Until recently there was a conviction in the minds of consumers that prices would decline. This has now given way to a belief that buyers of lumber at current prices will have no cause for regret later in the season. The white pine manufacturers are greatly encouraged by the published statement that the production of lumber in the Duluth and Ashland districts this year will show a decrease of 50 per cent. as compared with last season. This is the result of a restricted input of logs. There is now on hand at Duluth, of last year's production, only 5,000,000 feet of unsold lumber, where in former years there has been from 75,000,000 to 125,000,000 feet at this time. All low grade lumber has been absorbed and a large part of the coming season's production is sold for delivery. No. 3 boards are held at $15 and No. 4 at $12 to $12.50 on dock at Diluth.

Hardwood prices are higher. At a meeting of the manufacturers held in Wisconsin last week, soft elm was advanced $5, birch, maple and brown ash $2, and other woods in proportion. There is a comparatively large stock of Michigan hardwood logs to be manufactured this season, but the supply is not likely to be sufficient to cause any weakness in prices. Laths and shingles are moving slowly, but prices are being well sustained.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British market is in much the same position as at last report. No signs of recovery are visible, but, on the other hand, there is a disposition to limit obligations as much as possible and to place contracts only after an order for the stock has been received. It is probable that Russian shippers will offer lumber at a further reduction as a result of pressure brought upon them by the banks, which in turn are influenced by the Russian Government. There have been several small failures in the lumber trade recently, incidents which are not characterized to inspire confidence. Until the financial atmosphere becomes clearer, an improved state of trade is not to be expected. Canadian pine and spruce deals are not moving as actively as one year ago. Spot prices until recently held very firm, but

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We buy all lengths. Write us for prices and you will see that by cutting your Cedar into Poles it will net you more than you can get out of it in any other way.

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holders of the lower qualities are now beginning to show anxiety to get rid of their stocks, even if lower prices must be accepted. The late auction sales have shown a tendency in this direction. For instance, 3x9 inch third quality Quebec spruce, 12 to 13 feet in length, sold as low as £8 15s. per standard, which is not above the c.i.f. prices now asked. Red pine has sold more favorably, first quality 4x11 inch bringing £17.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Smith & Henderson, of Little Current, will have their logs sawn this season by the McArthur Bros. Company at that place.

Edward Zwicker, & Company, of Halifax, N. S., have a contract to supply 650,000 feet of lumber to John G. Hall & Company, of Boston, for shipment to South America.

The Imperial Packing Company, Woodstock, N. B., are paying $12.50 per thousand for red-hearted, yellow-birch logs, 8, 9, and 10 inches at the top end, delivered at their factory.

The St. John River Log Driving Company are asking for tenders for a contract for three years for driving the logs put into the Tobique River. If tenders are not concluded before April 6th, the privilege of driving will be sold at public auction at the Court House, Fredericton, on that date.

The Ottawa Lumber Company have secured the contract for the supply of lumber for the Board of Works of the City of Ottawa, at the figure of $6,470. The other tenderers were: George R. Dewar, $7,445; C. E. Turner, $7,072.50; W. C. Edwards Company, $7,490; William H. McAuliffe, $6,972.50; P. Burns, $7,355.

Lumbering operations in the vicinity of Canaan, N. S., are quite active. Alfred West has taken out about 4,000,000 feet; C. B. Parker, 1,000,000 feet; A. B. Hethcrington, 2,000,000 feet in addition to 1,500,000 feet of poplar for the American market. White's cut on Thorne's Brook will probably be 1,000,000 feet and the cut of small operators will aggregate 1,500,000 feet.

The Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, in 1903 produced 280,000,000 feet of lumber at their various saw mills, while, according to the American Lumberman, they will this year cut only 115,000,000 feet. Alger, Smith & Company cut last year 120,000,000 feet and this year their cut will be 75,000,000 feet. The Ashland Lumber Company, of Ashland, Wis., last year cut 39,000,000 feet, and will this year reduce the quantity considerably.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company furnish the following report of the Barbados lumber market, under date of March 12th: "Since our last we have to report the arrival of the Strathcona from Savannah, with a cargo of pitch pine, principally second quality, which we placed locally at $24.57 for merchantable and $17.27 for second quality. White pine and spruce are still in full supply, and stocks are not being reduced as quickly as is usual at this time of the year However, we think that a small cargo of white pine would bring a fair price a few weeks hence. The schooner "Josie", which was on her way here with a small lot of spruce and white pine, has been abandoned at sea, and we do not known of any other cargo coming. Dimension and Gaspe shingles are very scarce and next arrivals will realize good prices. Cedar Laying are held in fairly large quantities, and we do not value these at over $2.15."

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The Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association, at a meeting held at Marshfield last week, adopted a new price list for hardwood lumber, by which nearly all kinds and grades were advanced. Canadian hardwood manufacturers will be interested in knowing the prices adopted, which are given in part below:

ASH.—1 in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $22; 1st and 2nd, 1 in., $34; 1¼ and 1½ in., $36; 2 in., $37; 2½ in. and thicker, $42. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $24; 1¼ and 1½ in., $25; 2 in., $26; 2½ in. and thicker, $28. No. 2 Common, 1 in., $13; 1¼ in. and thicker, $14. No. 3 Common, $10.

BIRCH.—1 in. log run, No. 3 Common out (mixed color), $20. 1st and 2nd (red out), 1 in., $30; 1¼ and 1½ in., $30; 2 in., $34; 1 in. red, $40; 1½ to 2 in. red, $42; 2½ in. and thicker, $44. No. 1 Common, 1 in. (red out), $20; 1¼ and 1½ in., $22; 2 in., $24; 1 in. red, $30; 1¼ to 2 in. $32; 2½ in. and thicker, $34. No. 2 Common, 1 to 1½ in. (red out), $12; 2 in., $14; 1 to 3 in. red, $16. No. 3 Common, $8.

BASSWOOD.—1st and 2nd, 1 in., 5 to 11 in., 18 to 16 ft., $32; 12 in., $35; 13in. and wider, $38; 1¼ to 1½ in., $35: 2 in., $37. No. 1 Common, 1 in., 5 to 11 in., $23; 1¼ and 1½ in., $24; 2 in., $27. No. 2 Common, 1 in., $14.50; 1¼ to 2 in., $16. No. 3 Common, 1 in., $12; 1¼ and 1½ in., $13; 2 in., $12.

SOFT ELM.—1 in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $21. 1st and 2nd, 1 in., $31; 1¼ to 2 in., $33; 2½ in. and thicker, $35. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $20; 1¼ to 2 in., $22; 2½ in. and thicker, $24. No. 2 Common, $13. No. 3 Common, $10.

ROCH ELM.—1 in. log run, No. 3, Common out, $18; 1¼ to 2 in. log run, No. 3 Common out, $20. 1st and 2nd, 1 in. $30; 1¼ to 2 in. $32; 2½ in. and thicker, $36. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $18; 1¼ to 2 in., $20; 2½ in. and thicker, $26. No. 2 Common, 1 in., $12; 1¼ to 2 in., $14; 2½ in. and thicker, $14. No. 3 Common, $8.

SOFT MAPLE.—1 to 2 in. long run, No. 3 Common out, $16.

HARD MAPLE.—1 to 2 in. long run, No. 3 Common out, $15. 1st and 2nd, 1 in., $25; 1¼ and 1½ in., $27; 2 in., $27; 1½ in. and thicker, $35. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $15; 1¼ to 2 in., $17; 2½ in. and thicker, $23. No. 2 Common, 1 to 2 in., $10; 2½ in. and thicker, $17. No. 3 Common, 1 to 2 in., $7; 2½ in. and thicker, $10.

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From St. John, N.B. : Steamer Montcalm, for London, 205,478 feet deals, 1,439 feet scantling, 3,738 feet ends, 2,500 pieces oak lumber, 776 bundles hardwood. Schooner Rebecca W. Huddell, for New Haven, 66,817 feet scantling, 135,087 feet plank, 24,884 feet spruce boards, 10,098 feet pine boards. Schooner Annie A. Booth, for Vineyard Haven, 890,000 laths. Steamer Tritonia, for Glasgow, 582,821 feet deals, 17,650 feet ends, 36,680 feet scantling, 14 maple logs, 740 bundles maple flooring. Schooner Three Sisters, for City Island, 1,604,000 laths. Schooner Hattie C, for New York, 934,000 laths. Schooner P. G. Thompson, for City Island, 177,155 feet spruce plank. Schooner William Jones, for Vineyard Haven, 1,330,700 laths. Schooner James Malloy, for Vineyard Haven, 770,000 laths. Schooner Willinm Elkins, for Bridgeport, 173,451 feet plank, 9 ,764 feet scantling, 8,606 feet boards. Steamer Evangeline, for London, 2,460 feet boards, 21,273 feet hemlock deals, 363 feet hemlock ends, 128,362 feet spruce deals, 28,138 feet birch deals, 2,536 feet scantling, 52,165 feet plank, 14,766 feet ends. Steamer Lake Manitoba, for Liverpool, 2,882 maple blocks, 1,553 pieces basswood, 61 elm logs, 896 bundles shooks, 26,291 feet deals, 68,331 feet scantling, 7,093 feet ends, 975 bundles oak flooring, 587 bundles maple flooring, 893 pieces oak lumber, 1,163 pieces maple lumber.

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			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

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Mills are convenient to cut logs at once.

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Township of Laird, District of Algoma, 15 Square Miles under License from the Crown. Also No. 3 Chesley Additional, 4 square miles.

The above will be sold as one Parcel or in Separate Berths at the ROTUNDA of the BOARD OF TRADE, TORONTO, on

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The Township of Laird is under License from the Dominion Government. Crown dues on Pine $1.00 per 1000 ft. B.M. This township is heavily timbered with Pine, Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Birch, and is easily supplied and operated. Estimators can reach the Berth from Isbestor Station on the "Soo" Branch of the C.P.R., which is on the Township.

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Pursuant to an Order made on the 9th March, 1904, in an action in the High Court of Justice for Ontario, in which the Cook and Brothers Lumber Company of Ontario, Limited, are Plaintiffs, and W. H. Sawyer Lumber Company are Defendants, sealed tenders will be received addressed to the "Master in Ordinary, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Ontario", and marked "Tenders in Cook vs. Sawyer," up to eleven o'clock a.m. on FRIDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 1904, for the purchase of four parcels of merchantable White Pine Lumber, 12, 14, and 16 feet in length, hereinafter described, which lumber is now at the Village of Spragge in the District of Algoma, upon the docks of the plaintiffs who are the Vendors:—

PARCEL I.

This Parcel consists of lumber manufactured at the plaintiff's Mills at Spragge during the season of 1903 from logs cut on the Sable River during the winter season of 1902-1903, which lumber had been in cross-piles sixty days before the close of navigation for the season of 1903, which lumber is estimated at 1,811,515 feet Board Measure and is more particularly described in posters.

PARCEL II.

This Parcel consists of lumber similar in other respects to that described in Parcel I., except that it had not been cross-piled for sixty days as aforesaid, which lumber is estimated at 1,655,575 feet Board Measure, and is more particularly described in posters.

PARCEL III.

This Parcel consists of lumber manufactured at plaintiff's said Mills during the season of 1903 from logs cut in the Serpent River during the winter seasons of 1901-1902 and 1902-1903, and comprising the product (estimated at about 875,000 feet) of the last 8,965 of the said "logs" manufactured into lumber at the said Mills during the season of 1903.

PARCEL IV.

This Parcel consists of lumber similar in other respects to that described in Parcel III, except that it was manufactured from logs cut during the winter season of 1902-1903, and is estimated at 2,508,702 feet Board Measure, and is more particularly described in posters.

Tenders are to be at a price per 1,000 feet Board Measure delivered on the plaintiffs' dock at Spragge, and are to be made on each of the above four parcels separately, together with an offer for any mill culls which may be found in the merchantable lumber when shipping same.

Lumber on shipment to be measured and inspected at Spragge by Messrs. Martin and Boggs, of Cheboygan, Michigan; and such inspection and measurement shall be final and conclusive as between the Vendors and the purchasers, who are to bear equally the costs of said inspection and measurement (at Twenty-five cents per 1,000 feet, Board Measure).

Shipment to be made by water commencing on opening of navigation in spring of 1904, and all lumber to be removed from docks at Spragge one-half of each parcel before 1st June, 1904, and the balance before 15th June, 1904.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. when tender is accepted; the remainder within ten days from the day of shipment of each cargo.

All payments to be made in funds current at par at a Bank in Toronto.

Time is to be of the essence of the contract of

purchase and in case of any purchaser making default in removing the lumber, pursuant to contract, he shall pay to the Vendors as liquidated damages an additional sum of 5 cents per 1,000 feet Board Measure for the lumber in respect of which such default shall occur, and all make such payment for every day during hich such default shall continue.

The purchasers are to pay to the vendors a proportionate part of the insurance premium paid in respect of said lumber to be computed from the date of acceptance of tender by the Master in Ordinary.

The vendors are not to be held responsible for [illegible] of lumber for which tenders are now asked if the same is prevented by fire, strikes or other events beyond their control.

The property in the lumber is to remain in the Vendors until full payment is made in cash.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Every tender shall be deemed to have incorporated therein the provisions of this advertisement.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The feeling of hopefulness displayed by the lumber trade is more pronounced than at any previous time this year. As the result of better weather, everything has a brighter look and there are evidences of much greater activity in the near future. The railways are making some progress with the movement of congested freight, but there is still a large quantity of lumber waiting shipment. Buying of white pine has been quite general during the past week, several lots in the Georgian Bay district having changed hands at good figures. Log run is selling as high in price as last year, and lately a disposition has been shown to hold for an advance. For the small quantity of unsold dry lumber on hand high prices are being asked. Ten and twelve inch common pine has been marked up by some manufacturers about $1 per thousand feet, $23 being asked for lengths from 18 to 24 feet. Dry hemlock and spruce are also showing a hardening tendency, 2 x 6 in. hemlock, 12 to 14 feet in length, being held at the mills at $12.50. There is a strong demand for all hardwoods, with considerable inquiry for suitable export stock. Prices are hardening as the result of liberal buying and in sympathy with the strong market in the United States. Lath are inclined to be a little weaker, but as building operations progress the demand will improve and prices strengthen accordingly.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The outlook for the lumber business in Western Canada is brightening. For the first three months of this year the building permits taken out in the city of Winnipeg repesented in value upwards of $700,000, which is an increase of $200,000 as compared with the corresponding period of 1903. Similar activity prevails at Vancouver, Victoria and other western points, and there promises to be a brisk demand for the class of lumber required for building purposes. The market is still somewhat unsettled, although a report from British Columbia states that it has been decided to maintain present prices notwithstanding the abandonment of the proposal to form a selling pool.

UNITED STATES.

More activity is exibited by the lumber trade of the United States, and this notwithstanding that shipments have for the past two months been of considerable volume. White pine shipments from the Mississippi and Wisconsin valley mills amounted to 115,000,000 feet during February, a decrease of only 6 per cent. as compared with the same month last year. The wholesale centres report an increased number of enquiries for shipment to New York, Philadelphia, Boston and other eastern points, and a pronounced revival in trade this month is confidently looked for. The most urgent demand is for box lumber, although prices of No. 3 and better have become firmer since the shortage of the new cut became generally known. There is very little dry lumber of the lower grades at the mills.

The position of hardwoods is very favorable, with a tendency towards higher prices. Wisconsin birch is bringing fully $2 a thousand more than last fall and the inspection is less severe. Dry hardwoods in Michigan are very scarce and the leaders have advanced in value from $2 to $3 a thousand. Birch No. 2 common and better is bringing in $23 to $25; soft elm, $25; and rock elm $24 to $25. Maple prices are about the same as at the close of last year. It is estimated that 40 per cent. of the new cut of hardwoods has been contracted for. Long lengths of hemlock lumber are in splendid request and mill stocks are very light. No decline in prices is looked for.

GREAT BRITAIN.

It is not possible to report much improvement in the timber trade of Great Britain. Few contracts are being closed and there is still a disposition to adopt a waiting attitude. It is freely predicted that deals will be sold at lower prices, but as regards the smaller sizes the situation seems to be stronger and the stock offered is being taken somewhat freely. The Board of Trade returns show that the trade of the country is sound, but it is expected that any improvement will be of slow growth. The volume of business with South Africa has been disappointing to British merchants, and the financial difficulties have created a feeling that caution will have to be observed this year to prevent further disaster to those who have been carrying heavy stocks bought at high prices. Auction sale prices have been lower. Two lots of 2-inch first quality broad pine deals sold at £31 5s. per standard, and some third quality pine, 10 and 11 feet, at £10 to £11. A large line of Quebec deals, 3x9 in. unassorted, brought only £8 5s., and 2x9 in. only £7 10s. A few lots of 3x9 in. second quality Quebec spruce sold at £9 15s., a decline of 5s. as compared with the previous price. First quality 3x9 in. brought £11 per standard. Notwithstanding the tendency towards weakness reflected in the above prices, we are told that importers who have refrained from making their purchases of pine deals are now realizing that they will have to pay the increased prices asked by shippers if they wish to secure the stock.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

John Baker, of Baker's Settlement, N. S., expects to saw 500,000 feet of lumber this season with his rotary mill.

Alfred Dickie, of Lower Stewiacke, N. S., has 65,000,000 feet of logs available for this season's sawing operations.

Tenders are invited up to Tuesday, April 12th, for the supply of lumber required by the city of Winnipeg during the current year.

The Okanagan Lumber Company have placed contracts with several settlers for taking out logs. Derby Bros. & Butters, at Lumby, B.C., have delivered about 900,000 feet on Besette Creek, and W. F. Wood, of the same place, has taken out a considerable quantity. The company pay $4 a thousand and stumpage.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

From all that can be learned, the Ottawa district lumbermen are looking forward to a big summer's business. The predictions made from time to time in these columns bid fair to come true, at least in as far as the American market is concerned. Said a leading lumberman to-day: "The American market looks bright, very bright. Higher prices are being paid for low grade lumber, and the high grade lines are holding to their high prices. There's no question but what the American market is going to take a lot of Canadian lumber this year. As a matter of fact, we have sold more up to date than in any previous year."

The same informant, however, was not as optimistic regarding the English market. He stated that the war situation has caused a feeling of uneasiness in the Old Country, and dealers are not purchasing any heavier in Canadian lumber than they can help. They are just securing sufficient to supply immediate demands.

The Spring so far has been a favorable one for the lumbermen. Hauling operations have been carried on several weeks later than usual, and all the logs and square timber have been placed at the stream side. Every provision has been made for a prompt movement of the logs this Spring, and it is not expected that many will be tied up, as was the case last season on some of the Quebec streams.

The lumber industry has undergone a great boom along the lower Ottawa in the past few years. At L'Orignal, below Hawkesbury, no less than four mills have been erected. The firms interested are Williamson & Morrison, Church & Sons, Arthur Bell and Frank Stearns. Although these mills do not enjoy railway facilities, their sites as far as the river is concerned are superior to anything on the Quebec shore which is paralleled by the north shore line of the C. P. R. Across from L'Orignal at Calumet Mr. George H. Perley's mill, remodelled and enlarged, has cut lots of lumber in recent years.

Nearly all the small mills along the Canada Atlantic and Canadian Pacific Railways out of Ottawa, kept running this winter, although the deep snow made log hauling somewhat difficult. Along the Hawkesbury and Rockland branches of the Canada Atlantic, in districts where one would seem to think all the timber had been removed years ago, good quantities of log and square timber were taken out this year.

During the past four months the Canada Atlantic Railway Company handled 180,000 saw logs and 4,000 pieces of square timber from Mr. J. R. Booth's limits along the Madawaska. This traffic is now at an end. All the logs were delivered at the Booth mill here, while the square timber was unloaded into the St. Lawrence at Clark's Island. When the ice leaves it will be rafted down to Quebec city for export to England.

The recent thaws removed the anchor and other ice from the channels at the Chaudiere, and there is now a full supply of water for the wheels. The Booth saw mill and other concerns are running full time on water power again.

Ex. Ald. Charles Desmarais, of Hull, had a busy season in the bush in the Pontiac district. He has now on hand, at a convenient point for shipment, a large stock of telegraph and telephone poles. Mr. Desmarias has a contract on hand to take out in the same district 10,000 cords of poplar pulpwood during April, May and June.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N.S.: Steamer Parisian, for Liverpool, 864,498 ft. spruce deals, value $111,258, 106,308 ft. birch deals, value $1,286, 59,353 ft. hemlock deals, value $593.

From St. John, N.B: Steamer Lakonia, for Glasgow, 5,000 box shooks, 510,138 ft. deals, 82,489 ft. scantling, 16,315 ft. ends, 5 standards oak timber, 14 maple logs, 846 bundles maple flooring, 375 pieces pine deals, 60 tons pine timber. Schooner A. P. Emerson, for City Island, 254,118 ft. plank, 16,219 ft. scantling. Schooner Romso, for Providence, 42,227 ft. plank, 99,337 ft. scantling, 2, 758 ft. boards. Steamer Oruro, for West Indies, 10,000 laths, 44,340 onion crate shooks.

THE BEST LUMBER SALESMAN.

Mr. W. J. Harwood, of Mattawa, Ont., writes under date of March 28th to the publishers of the CANADA LUMBERMAN as follows: "Will you kindly stop my ad. 'Shingles for Sale,' in the CANADA LUMBERMAN. Shingles are all sold, and 'ad.' keeps me busy writing to buyers that such is the case."

Moral: If you wish to sell or buy anything in the lumber line, advertise in THE LUMBERMAN.

Mr. Morris S. M. Long, of Hamilton, who for the past eight years has been indentified with the lumber trade, has embarked in the wholesale lumber business for himself, with offices in the Spectator Building, Hamilton. For the past four years Mr. Long has been secretary of the Nipissing Lumber Company, which position he still holds. Owing to his wide connection Mr. Long will no doubt succeed in building up a large and profitable business.

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THOS. B. TAIT, MANAGER

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, March 28th, 1904.—Conditions in all lines of the lumber industry in this province are at present firm, and there are ample indications that they will remain so. Last year was a disastrous one to loggers, several operators becoming bankrupt, and a large number of camps closing down. This, with the deep snow this winter, has caused a scarcity, and good merchantable logs sell from $6 to $7 per thousand. Even yet there are five feet of snow in the woods, and though one or two camps have resumed operations, it will be another month before the stringency is relieved.

Those writing insurance on logs have been heavy losers this winter. It is estimated by Mr. W. H. Higgins, President of the Loggers' Association, that over ten million logs have been lost in the storms which have been so prevalent in the Gulf of Georgia and off the British Columbia coast during past four months.

There have been some busy sessions of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association during the past week, and for a short time it looked as if there was going to be a cut in prices. A selling pool was talked of for the Association, a step further than the combine in prices which has before obtained, but this has been abandoned because the large firm of E. H. Heaps & Company refused to enter. The members of the Association met morning, noon and night for a week, and Mr. Heaps was interviewed at his house by some mill men prominent in the organization, and at last the announcement was officially made that no pool would be formed, and that everything would proceed as formerly.

Prices for rough lumber range in the neighborhood of $13, while that for the finished article varies. This figure has been maintained for some time, and will likely remain so. The demand locally is exceptionally brisk, the building in Vancouver being twice as great as last year, which was considered the best since the city started. The supply for the Northwest will be larger than ever and the manufacturers anticipate a busy season with good prices.

Ontario lumbermen are becoming largely interested in this Province. Mr. W. Irwin, of Peterboro, and Mr. G. McCormick, M.P. for Muskoka and Parry Sound, are large shareholders in the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, of Vancouver, which has the best and most modern plant on the coast, or perhaps in the world, and lately another large deal was put through. This latter was the purchase of the Kamloops saw mill and timber limits. Mr. Peter Ryan, of Toronto, who was interested in the sale of the limits, was out, as were also the others. Mr. G. W. Fowler, M.P. for King's county, N.B., is to act as manager of the company for a short while.

Conditions in the interior of the Province, where the manufacturers are joined into the Mountain Lumbermen's Association, are as good if not better than at the coast. They have the ever increasing market of the Territories at their very doors, and the most is being made of it. A large number of mills are going up, although this winter a few went to the wall, the cause of starting with too small capital. These were some of the lesser concerns, and were soon absorbed.

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OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	20	22
16	25	28
17 " "	28	30
18 " "	30	34

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, $44 to $46 or 1st, $30 to $32 for 2nd, $28 to $30 for 3rd, and $24 to $26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00	Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00	" 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00	Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00	Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00	Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00	Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00	Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00	01x1 No. 1 barn		21 01
2 in.	35 00	40 00	1x10 No. 2 "		17 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00	1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00	1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00	Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 50	2 75
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16	19 00	No. 2 white pine	2 25	2 35
			Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 25
			Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 25
			Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
			xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60
			Cedar Shingles xxxx 18 inch	3 30	3 55
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
			xx, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in	79 00	1¼, 1½ and in	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in	79 00
4 in	9 00	4 in	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in	78 00
2in	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in	68 00
2in	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 25

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No 1 White Pine	3	No. 2 White Pine	3 00
		Hemlock	2 50

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	80 00	2 in	36 00
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Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	31 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	16 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	18 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	15 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in	44 00	46 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	8 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	26 00
Common and culls	1 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	22 00	24 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 00	2
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00	1

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Prices of lumber at the mills throughout Ontario have hardened somewhat, though no decided advance has taken place. With the exception of the backward spring, which it is feared may affect the yield of wheat, general conditions are favorable, and it would probably not be found difficult to make an all-round advance in lumber prices. This, however, is not likely to occur, as most of the manufacturers are of the opinion that the wiser policy is to encourage the consumption of lumber by keeping prices at a normal level. There will doubtless be some advances on certain grades, such as box lumber, owing to the unusually light supply. Ten and 12 inch pine dressing is stronger at the present time, and norway is showing a little more activity and strength. High prices are also being paid for mill culls. Warmer weather has increased the hardwood trade. There is a splendid enquiry for elm and birch, while thick stock in nearly all classes is in steady request. Lath prices are firm at the recent decline. No. 1 white pine is held at the mills at $2.75 and No. 2 at $2.25. For No. 1 and 2 Norway $2.50 and $2 respectively are asked.

QUEBEC AND NEW BUNSWICK.

A fair movement of lumber for local account is now in progress, and there is a

considerable demand for clapboards for shipment to the Eastern States. It is not expected that prices will improve very much, as owning to the depressed condition of British trade, there is likely to be a surplus of lumber available to supply the home and United States markets. Of course the question of a shortage in the log supply may have to be reckoned with. At the present time the outlook for stream driving is promising, but conditions may change within twenty-four hours any time during the next month. The statement presented at the annual meeting of the St. John River Log Driving Company last week showed that the cut on the St. John river last winter was about 140,000,000 feet, which, with 40,000,000 feet hung up last season, gives a total of 180,000,000 feet to be driven year. If the total quantity should reach the mills a full supply would be available to keep them in operation throughout the season. It is estimated that 38,000,000 feet will be driven down the Tobique river this season.

UNITED STATES.

Prospects for the maintenance of present prices of white pine lumber continue to improve. Recent developments show that there will be a pronounced shortage in the output of both white and norway pine this year. A meeting of the manufacturers in the Lake Superior district was held last week, at which statistics were submitted showing that the mills along the lakes which last year produced &39,000,000 feet will this year manufacture only 421,000,000 feet, a shortage of 418,000,000 feet. The quantity of lumber on hand was shown to be 20 per cent. less than at the corresponding date last year. There is no box lumber at the mills and practically all of that grade to be manufactured this year has been contracted for, recent sales having been made on the basis of $12.50 for No. 4 and $8 for No. 5. While there will be a decided shortage in white pine, the production of southern pine, hemlock, and other soft lumber is likely to be as great as last year, and it is doubtful whether the conditions warrant any material advance in prices from the quotations now ruling. This fact appears to be appreciated by the manufacturers. The scarcity of certain grades, however, has of itself brought about higher prices. At North Tonawanda, for instance, mill culls are selling as high as $16. Hardwood lumber shows no weakness whatever. Business is increasing, stocks are not large, and consumers are willing to buy at current prices. There is a considerable movement in hemlock lath, but white pine are rather slow.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Canadian shippers are still waiting in the hope that British importers will, as their stocks become exhausted, come into the market at present prices. Transactions in both pine and spruce have been limited, yet it is stated that a Quebec firm is buying very large quantities of first quality spruce for Admiralty contracts. Spot prices are the barrier to trade improvement. Until these are on a better footing importers will be loath to buy from shippers at the high prices now asked. All this would be quickly remedied by an increased demand from consumers, but at the present time there are few indications that this condition will arise. While the outlook for shipbuilding has improved, housebuilding is by no means active and the cabinet trade is still quiet. Broad pine deals in first quality are quoted by Calder, Henderson & Livingstone, Glasgow, at £35 to £39 per standard, and 11 inch at £28 17s. to £31 12s. While quotations for pine sidings, 1 to 2 inch, are from £25 to £29, it is stated that some holders have been forcing their stocks, and that large lines have lately been sold at about £24. There has been a drop in the price of 3rd and 4th quality pine deals and in practically all grades of spruce. Waney pine and elm timber are in good demand and have risen in price. Quotations for waney are 4s. 4d. per cubic foot for prime ship-building wood of long average and 18 to to 19 inch string. Rock elm 45 feet average, is worth from 3s. 6d. to 3s. 9d. per cubic foot.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Haley & Son, of St. Stephen, N.B., have received an order from Manchester, England, for 144,000 boxes.

Cedar shingle prices are somewhat uncertain. At Boston the range is from $3.35 to $3.50 for extras.

The Okanagan Lumber Company, of Enderby, B.C., expect to have 8,000,000 feet logs in their boom for the season's sawing.

Jones Bros., of Apohaqui, N. B., have two mills in operation and expect to cut 6,000,000 feet of lumber this year.

A. R. Mann is getting out 300,000 ties at Kashabowie, on the Canadian Northern Railway, for Mackenzie & Mann.

In New York City inch ash brings $45 and common $35. Log run basswood is meeting with ready sale at $40 for inch, $30 for common, and $20 for culls.

The Director of Public Works, St. John, N. B., will call for tenders for 130,000 feet of hemlock plank for wharf purposes.

The Ontario & Slocan Lumber Co., of Slocan City, B. C., have secured a contract to supply 500,000 feet of lumber for the new flume and concentrator of the Monitor mine to be built at Three Forks, B. C.

Johnson & Carswell, who own limits on Long Lake, two miles from Vernon, B.C., have 400,000 feet of logs in their boom and intend getting out logs the balance of the summer. They will operate a portable mill.

The Newville Lumber Company, of Newville, N. S., have about 7,000,000 feet of logs ready for driving to their mill. They have had 1,000,000 feet sawed by portable mills. Their operations this season will total about 10,000,000 feet.

Alvin Peter, of Parry Sound, Ont., took out about 15,000,000 feet of logs during the past winter. The Morgan Lumber Company, of Toronto, have secured about 20,000,000 feet of logs, and Eddy Bros. & Company, of Blind River, 25,000,000 feet.

All grades of cooperage stock continue scarce. The American Lumberman says that jobbers sometimes have to refuse the stock owing to it being shipped too green. Basswood heading is a little more plentiful, but is not in much supply. First-class elm flour barrel staves are worth $13.50 at Buffalo; basswood heading, 10 cents; coiled hoops, $10.50.

Under date of March 26th, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company write of the Barbadoes lumber market as follows: "We have to report the arrival this week of the Schooner Edyth, from Mahone Bay, N. S., with 82,000 feet of spruce, which sold at $21.29 to some dealers who were bare of this lumber and paid this price to secure it; but in our opinion this is a very full figure and can be no criterion for future guidance, as our market is fully stocked with hemlock, which, being cheaper, is being used instead of spruce. White pine is in fair supply, but as stocks are being gradually worked off, we think that a small cargo would bring a fair price. Dimension and Long Cedar shingles are very scarce and the next arrivals will bring good prices. Cedar Laying are held in fair quantity, and we do not value these at over $2.15."

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

Everything seems to point to a brisk season's cutting in the Ottawa district mills. The owner of a mill situated in the Parry Sound district, at which custom sawing is done, said to-day that he had received orders for sawing that would keep four small mills busy. He also reported an active demand for sawn lumber. With practically all the low grade stuff in second hands, and the high grade stock well spoken for, it is pretty certain that prices will suffer no decline through an overstocking of the market this year.

The Ottawa district lumbermen have heard with pleasure that the threatened labor troubles in New York and district will likely be referred to arbitration. This makes the hopes of an early settlement bright. The lumbermen were fearing a repetition of last year's tie-up in the building trade which dealt a black eye to the lumber business.

So far there have been no changes in lumber prices in the Ottawa district. Lack of business has kept the market stationary, but early changes may be looked for. The lath market, however, is shifty. It has been sagging since the fall, but may recover with the extra demand following the opening of the building season. Ruling prices are: No. 1 white pine, $2.40 to $2.60; No. 2 white pine, $2.00 to $2.25.

The hardwood market in the Ottawa district is very active these days. Since November there has been an advance, according to the different lines, of from ten to fifteen per cent. In the past week there has been an advance of five per cent., which is included in the greater advance referred to. There is a good demand for hardwoods for furniture and interior fittings.

The high price of low grade pine has led to the increased use of poplar in the Ottawa district for box manufacturing purposes. Heretofore the poplar has been used only for pulp manufacturing.

A visitor in the city this week was Peter Dorrley, the veteran timber explorer in the employ of the Rideau Lumber Company. He has travelled the upper country through which the Grand Trunk Pacific is projected. The building of that road, he says, will develop a large timber area in which many mills will be established. Mr. Dorrley is not, however, at all enthusiastic over the supply of white pine in the district. As might be expected for geographical reasons, it does not compare in extent of territory or size of trees with that farther south. However, there is an abundance of spruce suitable for pulp wood. The country is also well stocked with hardwood, birch being found up to a size of twenty inches. Tamarac and balm of Gilead are also in great evidence.

An important sale of limits in the district has just been noted. Mr. Andrew McCormack, the veteran lumberman of Ottawa, has purchased from the Quebec government 130 square miles of limits situated on the Height of Land through which the Grand Trunk Pacific will pass. The limits will likely be held for future sale.

Mr. J. R. Booth, the lumber king, last week celebrated his 77th birthday. Mr. Booth is still in harness, active and aggressive. His latest project is to build a paper mill in connection with his new pulp mill.

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From Halifax, N.S.: Steamer Tunisian, for Liverpool, 176,546 ft. spruce deals, value $2,126. Steamer Agnar, for Brow Head, 303,040 ft. birch deals, value $3,110, 787,468 ft. spruce deals, value $7,060, 192,432 ft. scantling, value $1,500.

From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Lake Champlain, for Liverpool, 528 elm logs, 20 pieces timber, 335 bundles scantling, 2,238 pieces spruce timber, 3,833 bundles shooks, 56,500 ft. deals, 3,075 ft. scantling, 1,466 ft. ends, 134 tons timber, 1,820 bundles flooring, 1,676 pieces walnut, 5,817 pieces oak. Steamer Marina, for Glasgow, 1,471,076 ft. deals, 55,694 ft. scantling, 98,624 ft. ends. Steamer Ionian, for Liverpool, 70,259 ft. deals, 37,094 ft. scantling, 60,534 ft. ends, 1,696 ft. planks. Schooner Alice Maud, for City Island, 138,436 ft. deals. Schooner Lyra, for Boston, 33,921 ft. spruce boards, 19,107 ft. scantling, 75,581 ft. planks. Schooner Ida M. Barton, for Norwalk, 155,618 ft. planks. Schooner Margaret G., for City Island, 122,187 ft. pine boards, 214,039 ft. plank, 22,737 ft. scantling. Schooner I.N. Parker, for City Island, 136,772 ft. deals, 31,733 ft. planks. Schooner Keewayden, for Fall River, 124,763 ft. planks, 88,017 ft. scantling, 57,100 laths. Schooner Lena Maud, for Portsmouth, 19,897 ft. scantling, 1,038,750 cedar shingles. Schooner Onward, for New York, 130,751 ft. plank. Schooner Domain, for City Island, 116,403 ft. deals. Schooner H. M. Stanley, for Weymouth, 65,539 ft. boards, 25,005 ft. scantling, 351,250 cedar shingles. Steamer Manchester Merchant, for Manchester, 479,549 ft. deals, 32,465 ft. scantling, 3,017 ft. ends, 5,121 ft. birch plank, 247 ft. birch ends.

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 5th, 1904.—At present writing the outlook for English deals is ruled by the same uncertainty that has characterized the market for some months past. Although there seems to be an indifference on the part of the larger buyers, the demand is increasing as rapidly as could reasonably be expected considering the lateness of the spring. The manufacturers and dealers in these parts are sanguine of a firmer price and a still greater demand an are betraying no anxiety as to the future. They seem willing to await developments rather than make any further concessions in price. The tardiness of the warm weather will make the sawing season of this year at least a month shorter than usual along the North Shore and the Miramichi River. Along the St. John River, owing to the above condition and also to the inability of the manufacturers to obtain their logs before mid-June, the season will be at least two months shorter than was the case last year.

While it is impossible to make any forecast in regard to price with any certainty of being correct, it is safe to say that an ordinary specification should be worth from $12.50 to $13.00 per M. f.o.b. steamer; two-thirds price for fourths and ends.

Stocks are very low and the lots now going forward will practically clean up everything in sight. These lots are chiefly the remains of last season's output. It is estimated that the total manufacture of deals in New Brunswick will be from 10 to 15 per cent. less than last year. This is figured on the supposition that the steam drivers meet with no difficulty in bringing out their logs, but if, owing to an unfavorable freshet, such an emergency should arise and the logs be hung up to any great extent, thus causing a scarcity, the season's cut will be still further curtailed. As it is at present, it is impossible to say what the prospects are for a good driving season. The rivers are still frozen solid, the snow in the woods is not melting at all, and it will be some weeks before the indications will begin to show themselves.

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2x12 common	21 00	22 00
3x10 common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	21 00	22 00
1x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
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1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 90
1⅜ in. No. 1 Norway lath		3 10
X white pine shingles		1 15
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in. / XX " 6 to 23-16 in. / XX " 5 to 2 in.		2 50 / 2 71

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" 1½ "		23 00	24 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		26 00	27 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in		26 00	28 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2		28	30 00
Basswood, m.r. 1	1¼	24 00	25 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½	60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 "	65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 "	1½ 22 00	24 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 "	23 00	25 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to	1¼" 25 00	27 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	27 00	30 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½"	36 00	38 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1	1½ 22 00	24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 "	25 00	27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1½ 38 00	40 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	41 00	43 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1½ 37 00	39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	40 00	42 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	60 00	65 00
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	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	60	69
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	60	66
RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.		
Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35
OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.		
By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60
ELM.		
By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	48	52
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	40	44
ASH.		
14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35
BIRCH.		
14 inch	20	22
16 "	25	28
17 " "	28	30
18 " "	30	34

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1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16	19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
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Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x1 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60
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4 in.	90 00	4 in.	83 00

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1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

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2in.	50 00		

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1½ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
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1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	36 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 50
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 50

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1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

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No 1 White Pine	3	No. 2 White Pine	3 00
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2½ and 3 in.	78 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	31 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
2 in.	61 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
4 in.	75 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	Box, 1x4	16 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x6 & up	18 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x10	19 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	1x13 and up	21 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00 34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00 18 00

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		Com & good culls	13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00 29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00 26 00
Common and culls	16 00 18 00	Common and culls	19 00 18 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The unsettled weather of the past week has tended to hold back orders for lumber, and the volume of business passing between retail dealers and consumers is not large. Buying by wholesalers has been in evidence, however, there being a noticeable disposition to pick up stock at each favorable opportunity. Prices have reached the point where there is very little speculative buying, as it is generally recognized that manufacturers will not endeavor to force prices much higher lest it should have the effect of restricting the consumption. Such buying, therefore, as has taken place has been of a healthy character and by persons who will hold the stock against any temporary depression. A recent transaction was the purchase by White, Gratwick & Mitchell, of Buffalo, and White, Rider & Frost, of Tonawanda, of ten million feet of white pine lumber to be cut at Spanish River this season. Prices are reported to have been very satisfactory to the seller, while the buyers are no doubt satisfied with their bargain.

The sawing season has not yet fully opened up, but a number of mills are in operation. The new cut will not be ready at the earliest before the middle of June, during which time the present light supply of dry stock is certain to be cleaned up. The situation, in our opinion, in respect to both pine and hardwooods, is fairly strong, with little or no probability of a decline in prices in the near future.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Manufacturers who have depended upon the European markets can find little encouragement in the outlook for business. Shippers who have returned from England report that the conditions prevailing on that side of the Atlantic are quite unfavorable. Many who are usually ready buyers of spruce deals are not disposed towards placing contracts at prevailing prices, as they are of the opinion that they will be able to buy to better advantage at a later date. In the meantime the present stock of dry lumber on this side is being worked off, and as the log drives will be later than usual, prices are not likely to decline much below present quotations. There is a good demand for lumber for shipment to New York and the Eastern States, where the supply is lighter than usual. Shingle prices are steady on the basis of $3.35 to $3.40 for extras, Boston delivery. Laths are showing a little more activity. Present prices on Boston rate of freight are $3.30 to $3.35 for 1⅝ inch, and $3.15 to $3.20 for 1½ inch, but it is probable that there will be an advance on these prices in the near future.

UNITED STATES.

The white pine trade of the United is showing increased activity, while the hardwood business is in a flourishing condition. Recent large purchasers of white pine in the Lake Superior district stand as evidence that the large dealers do not anticipate a decline in prices. The Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, last week closed a contract for the 1904 production of the two mills of the N. Ludington Company at Marinette, Wis., amounting to 45,000,000 feet, which with 5,000,000 previously secured makes the total purchase nearly 50,000,000 feet. The consideration is said to have been almost $1,000,000. Box lumber continues to receive more attention than any other grade. The factories are still in need of stock, notwithstanding that they have been buying heavily all winter. In Buffalo 1x12 box brings $21. Mill culls are so scarce that some dealers have withdrawn their quotations altogether. No. 5 box lumber sells readily at $10, which is an exceptionally high price.

Hardwood sales continue to show an increase and there is a pronounced scarcity of some items. Birch is in very strong demand for furniture making and interior finish. The Wisconsin mills are asking $18 to $19 for mill run, and find no difficulty disposing of their stock, as jobbers are active in picking up dry lumber. While maple lumber is strong, the same cannot be said of flooring. The manufacturers

of this material still complain of low prices, as much as $5 below the list price being quoted in some instances.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The shippers of Norway, Sweden and Russia are closing contracts for lumber for delivery to Great Britain at sharp recessions, and long as there is pressure from this source, no improvement in prices may be expected. This week we are told that a large line of fourth quality 2½ and 3x7-inch redwood battens has been sold to a London importer at £7 10s. f.o.b., which is equivalant to a reduction of tenshillings as compared with recent sales. So little business has been done, and importers show so little disposition to increase their obligations, that it has been absolutely necessary for shippers to reduce their prices in order to effect sales. Importers are still fighting off the high prices asked by Canadian shippers of spruce deals and the lower qualities of pine deals, but so far the sellers have shown no evidence that they will modify their demands. The situation is interesting if not encouraging, and it remains to be seen which side will weaken. The margin of profit to the shipper at the prices asked is not large, and as importers must be carrying light stocks, it would seem that they must of necessity replenish their supply in the near future. A rather encouraging report comes from West Hartlepool, where white pine deals are finding a ready sale and stocks are in a very limited compass.

The London dock stocks on March 31st last showed the following increases as compared with one year ago: White pine deals, 117,917 pieces; pine battens, 92,-143 pieces; pine ends, 45,332 pieces; spruce deals, 44,533 pieces; spruce ends, 63,707 pieces; white pine boards, 57,971 pieces; red pine boards, 67,358 pieces. Red pine shows a decrease of 11,866 pieces of deals, 10,355 pieces of battens, and 1,661 pieces of ends, and spruce boards is in lighter supply by 17,105 pieces.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

At a meeting of the Southwest Miramichi Log Driving Company held last week, it was reported that about 25,000,-000 feet of logs will come out of that river this season.

Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company, of Saginaw, Mich., last week bought 1,000,000 feet of box lumber in the Lake Superior district, and 1,000,000 feet in Green bay.

Cornelius Hagerman, who conducted lumbering operations last winter at Lepreaux for Gregory and Dunn, of St. John, N. B., has commenced stream driving. He has about 3,000,000 feet to bring out.

A Buffalo dealer quotes the following prices on inch white pine: Uppers, $82; selects, $67 to $72; fine common, $38; No. 1 cuts, $40; No. 2 cuts $25; No. 1 mouldings, $52; 1x12 shelving, $45; 1x12 No. 1 dressing, $38; 1x12 selected shaky dressing, $32; 1x12 No. 1 barn, $32; No. 2 and No. 3 barn, $23.

Gilman Bros. & Burden, of Fredericton, N. B., who carried on lumbering operations on the Oromocto river last winter, commenced stream driving a few days ago. They have 1,000,000 feet of pine logs, which they expect to have in safe waters very soon. They are considering the advisability of manufacturing the lumber at the mouth of the river by a portable mill.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 16th, 1904.—Cedar shingles: The opening up of trade in this line has been later this spring than for many years. Comparatively few are being shipped, although inquiries are becoming more frequent and the outlook grows more hopeful day by day. The manfacturers are regaining confidence and look forward to a prosperous season. The output for this year promises to be smaller than last year's on account of the protracted cold weather, which will cause a very material shortness of the manufacturing season. The greater part of the output will be Provincial, American logs being scarcer and higher in price. The Provincial cedars are smaller and produce a lower percentage of high grades. There has been practically no change in price and those mentioned last month will still apply.

The quantity of spruce shingles manu factured in these parts is infinitesimal and at present writing none are available.

Spruce clapboards: These are very scarce and will remain so for the next two months. They are worth at present f.o.b. St. John, extras, $41; clears, $39; 2nd clears, $37; No. 1, $30; No. 2, $20. With each succeeding year clapboards are becoming scarcer, owing to the scarcity of logs "sufficiently large to serve for their manufacture. In logs cut in the lower provinces there are practically none that will answer the purpose, while suitable Aroostook and Quebec logs are comparatively few. Stocks of clapboards are extremely low and are practically controlled by one firm, who would probably not sell at any price that would give the buyer an attractive margin.

Laths are decidedly firm and promise to be scarce and high in price during the coming year. It is rumoured that as high a price as $2.55 f.o.b. St. John for American laths has been offered. This cannot be verified, but sales of large quantities have been made during the past month for $2.45. Provincial laths are worth from $2.20 to $2.25. The output this year will be largely provincial. At this season it is usual for many manufacturers to sell their year's output of laths, but this year is remarkable for a tendency to hold on the prospect of a rise in price.

The quantity of laths on the wharves in this vicinity does not exceed 800,000 and it will be mid-June before any large shipment will be ready to go forward. The sales which have been made are principally for summer and early fall delivery.

COAST SHINGLE MILLS CLOSED.

At a meeting of the shingle manufacturers of the state of Washington held at Seattle on April 14th, at which 110 mills were represented, it was decided to close down for two weeks from April 23. The meeting was composed of manufacturers both outside and in the Interstate Red Cedar Shingle Company, about equally divided between the two interests. A committee was appointed to confer with the mills and secure signatures to the agreement to close for the time specified.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Messrs. C. S. Powell & Company, exporters of joinery, Canadian and American hardwoods, etc., have opened an office at 604 Temple Building, Toronto, where they will be pleased to receive a call from any person interested in the export lumber trade.

The Laidlaw Lumber Company, Limited, has been incorporated, with a capital of $300,000 and head office in Toronto, to acquire the lumber business now carried on under the name of R. Laidlaw Lumber Company at Toronto and Sarnia, and that conducted under the name of George H. Belton at London, Ont. The incorporators are: Robert Laidlaw, W. C. Laidlaw and C. G. MacBeth, of Toronto; G. H. Belton, of London; and John McLeod, of Buffalo.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, of Glasgow, report as follows concerning the lumber market :

The usual quarterly statement of the stock of logs and lumber at this date as compared with previous years is attached herewith. In the case of Canadian timber, waney pine is 50 per cent. more than at same date last year, but square pine shows a reduction, as also does elm and ash, while oak is about the same. In lumber, 1st pine deals and sidings show an increase, as also 3rd and 4th pine, but, as will be observed, there is a considerable decrease in spruce. The most striking difference is perhaps shown in the stock of teak, which, though of quite moderate dimensions, considerably exceeds that of last year, the explanation being that then the stock was abnormally low. In the case of the other items enumerated, there is nothing particularly calling for attention, stocks generally being of moderate dimensions. The consumption of logs and lumber has heen of fairly satisfactory dimensions, though under that of the first three months of last year.

Contracting business has so far been disappointing, Quebec shippers having experienced unusual difficulty in inducing buyers to respond to the enhanced prices this year, though this is perhaps not very surprising in view of the fact that the trade outlook by no means warrants too optimistic a view of the future.

Business during the past month has been rather dull on the whole, buying having been pretty much of a retail nature, while the tendency in prices has been easier.

In American hardwoods there has been a fair demand for poplar logs and lumber, but in low-grade stock the import has exceeded the demand, and shippers would act wisely in curtailing shipments of such. Oak boards have been in more active demand, and high grades are scarce.

The shipbuilding returns for March show that 27 vessels of 44,813 tons have been launched, as compared with 12 vessels, aggregating 35,000 tons, in same month last year. It is gratifying to note that new work has been a little more plentiful during the month, although there still remains lots of room for improvement in this direction.

WHITE PINE—Business during the month has been quiet. The import consists of about 130 loads via the United States. Stocks are moving off slowly, one or two small sales being reported, but nothing doing in square timber.

RED PINE—There has been the usual small business and the stock is almost exhausted, there being only about 70 loads in first hands.

OAK—There have been rather more enquiries during the month, but these have been met chiefly from the Southern States wood on account of the cheaper price. Quebec timber is difficult to move, and stocks being heavy, prices are easier.

ELM—There has been a fair demand, especially for large-sized rock elm, and the stock of this class being small, prices have firmed up considerably, 3s. 9d. to 3s. 10d. per cubic foot being asked for 45 feet average cube. Stocks of second-class and soft wood are still heavy and moving off slowly.

QUEBEC BIRCH—There has been no import this month, and the stock on hand (which consists chiefly of Lower Port logs) amounts to about 400 loads. The demand is very limited, and quotations are merely nominal round about 1s. 8d. for 16-inch average up to 2s. for 17½-inch average.

LOWER PORT BIRCH—There is still a quantity of Pictou wood in stock, and it is moving off slowly. Value of 15-inch is about 17d. to 18d. Of planks there are about 600 loads on hand, chiefly poor quality.

ASH—The stock on hand only amounts to about 100 loads, and consists chiefly of inferior logs. It is only at an odd time that there is an enquiry for this wood nowadays, and only then for good quality. Ash lumber has come more into favor of late, and the new shipments which come to hand are mostly disposed of from the ship's side.

The following lumber charters are reported : Barqe Pasia Madre, Musquash, N. B., to Buenos Ayres, lumber, $8 ; Steamer Kronberg, St. John, N. B., to United Kingdom, deals, 34s, if two ports of discharge 36s ; barque Golden Rod, Hantsport, N. S., to Buenos Ayres, lumber, $8.50, if Rosario $9.50 ; barque Sunny South, Annapolis, N. S., to Cuba, lumber, $5 ; steamer Soborg, St. John, N. B., to w. c. England, deals, 40s., May loading.

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2x12 common	21 00	22 00
3x10 common	19 00	20 00
3x12 common	21 00	22 00
1x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00

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ASH.

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14 inch	20	22
16 "	25	28
17 " "	28	30
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2 in.	38 00	40 00
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2 in.	35 00	40 00
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No. 1 white pine	2 40 2 60
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Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 15
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XXXX, 18 inch	3 35 3 50
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2 in.	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
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No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
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Common and culls	16 00 18 00	Common and culls	16 00 18 00

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TIMBER LIMITS WITHDRAWN.

The timber limits offered for sale at the Board of Trade Building, Toronto, on the 20th inst., by Mr. Peter Ryan, were not sold, there being few bids and all of them below the reserved figures.

It will pay saw mill owners and operators who are anxious to utilize to advantage hardwood slabs and edgings, to communicate with Taylor, Scott & Company, Toronto, whose advertisement appears on back page of this paper. They are desirous of purchasing small stock in birch, beech, maple and elm.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The volume of lumber transactions is about what might be expected at this season of the year. The quantity of stock in first hands is now so small as to cause the refusal of orders in many instances. Dealers who usually carry large stocks are sold out of box lumber and certain grades of pine for which the demand was exceptionally large even during the winter months. At least two months must elapse before the new stock will be in shipping condition and in the meantime some inconvenience is likely to result to dealers and users of pine lumber owing to short supply. Doubtless substitution will be resorted to when it is expedient to do so. Present indications point to a late starting of the mills in the northern pine districts, as the ice is not yet out of the streams. The drives will also be delayed from this cause.

Hardwoods are holding up in price, the good demand and scarcity of dry stock being the sustaining influences. While the general demand is not heavy, the furniture and implement factories are buying liberally of elm, ash and birch. Urgent demand for immediate shipment indicates that many retail dealers and consumers have light stocks on hand.

The disastrous fire in Toronto on the 21st inst., by which property to the value of $12,000,000 was destroyed, will stimulate building operations in that city. The new buildings will likely be constructed of fire-proof material as far as possible, thus limiting the quantity of lumber which will be required.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Shippers of spruce lumber are not pressing sales but are patiently waiting the course of events in Great Britian in the hope that the lumber market will improve. Those who are in a position to do so will no doubt hold their lumber until late in the season or until next spring, as present prices show little or no profit on shipments. The quantity of last year's production still in first hands is insignificant, and by the time the new stock is ready for the market conditions may be more favorable. At Boston, New York, and all eastern points spruce is in excellent demand. The prospects for log driving are fairly good. There is still plenty of snow in Eastern Quebec and New Brunswick, and the weather continues cold. It is confidently expected that the 40,000,000 feet of logs in the ice above Grand Falls, on the St. John river, will be saved.

The outlook for higher prices for cedar shingles is favorable. The production of the best brands promises to be smaller than last year, which will probably result

in higher prices, when this fact becomes more generally known.

UNITED STATES.

Building operations in the United States are making some headway, work having been resumed in New York. While the demand for lumber for this purpose is not brisk, it shows some improvement over the business of the previous weeks. As the production of white pine lumber is likely to show a pronounced reduction as compared with that of last year, manufacturers are inclined to hold out for very firm prices and consequently no slaughter prices are heard of, as is sometimes the case at this season of the year. Eastern dealers are not carrying heavy stocks and are therefore in a position to take advantage of any slight inducements that are offered by sellers. The statistical position of white pine is so strong that there is not likely to be any pressure of stock, while on the other hand, if the spring and summer trade should consume more lumber than is anticipated, the result will no doubt be an advance in some grades at least. The requirements of the box trade have not yet been satisfied, that grade of lumber being sought for almost as eagerly as at any time this year. The middle grades are perhaps called for to a smaller extent than mill culls, box lumber and uppers.

The percentage of dry hardwood lumber that remains in piles is exceptionally small and the demand is improving. The standard hardwoods, such as maple, ash, elm, and birch, are very firm at the advanced prices recently quoted. Basswood, quartered oak and poplar, while displaying no particular weakness, are not as firm as two weeks ago. Maple flooring continues a weak feature in the market.

GREAT BRITAIN.

It cannot be expected that the British timber trade will throw off its lethargy and become active within a week. The recovery must of necessity be of slow growth. As soon as signs of an improvement are visible, however, there is certain to be considerable contracting for stock for future delivery, as buyers will then appreciate to a greater extent the low prices which are now ruling. Many small dealers have allowed their stocks to become too low and are now showing a disposition to purchase at favorable opportunities. Whether this will prove to be the forerunner of a more liberal demand is a question of much doubt. While prices of Canadian pine continue comparatively firm, it has been impossible to maintain spruce prices. Third quality Quebec spruce, 3x9 inch and 13 feet long, recently sold at a public sale at £8 15s. per standard, whereas for similar goods to arrive £9 2s. 6d. c.i.f. is asked. These figures reflect the difficulty of closing contracts on the basis of shippers' ideas, their quotations being so much lower than the prices asked for lumber in stock. As far as can be ascertained, the more important firms are still abstaining from placing contracts for stock, but it seems extremely doubtful that they will be able to adhere to this position much longer.

Swedish battens have recently declined in price fully 10s. per standard, and it is reported that stock offered at £6 12s. 6d. met with no response from buyers. For square timber there is a fair demand, good stocks of rock elm, for instance, being wanted at 3s. 6d. per cubic foot.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

J. P. Mosher expects to ship 700,000 feet of lumber from St. Martins, N. B., this season.

Of the 500,000,000 feet of logs taken out in the State of Maine during the past winter, it is estimated that half the quantity is destined for the pulp mills.

G. C. Gladman, of Parry Sound, has his drive of logs, consisting of 258,000 pieces, in the Georgian Bay, ready to be towed to his mill as soon as the ice is out.

The Edward Hines Lumber Company last week sold about 16,000,000 feet of lumber to go east after the opening of navigation. This will make about 60,000,000 feet sold by this firm for movement by boat.

The R. Laidlaw Lumber Company expect to handle a large quantity of pine lumber at their Buffalo yard this season. They have taken the adjoining yard lakeward on the Ohio Basin, which will add considerably to their facilities.

A settlement has been reached in the suit affecting the bankrupt sale of logs belonging to J. R. McConnell, which took place at Quebec recently. The workmen get 65 per cent. of their wages, and Laforest, counsel for the lumbermen, gets 10 per cent. on wages collected.

Saginaw River dealers will take in by boat about 125,000,000 feet of lumber this season, mostly from Ontario. Foss & Co. have bought the steamer Ogemaw, of 500,000 feet capacity, and will place her in the lumber trade, the firm handling a large quantity of lumber from Georgian Bay.

Holland, Graves, Mambert & George, of Buffalo, have just purchased from the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago, the entire season's product to October 1 of what is known as the Bigelow mill at Washburn, Wis. This is the first purchase of pine lumber the Buffalo concern has made on Lake Superior.

The Inglewood Pulp Company, of Musquash, N.B., will have about 10,000,000 feet of logs for sawing this season, the necessity of cutting all logs damaged by fire being responsible for increased operations. There is at Musquash a cargo of deals owned by J. & L. B. Knight, which will be shipped to England early in May. In addition to this cargo a couple of vessels are under charter to load here, one for the United Kingdom, and the other for Buenos Ayres.

The following prices are quoted by Farnworth & Jardine, London, Eng.:

	£	s	d		£	s	d
QUEBEC PINE.							
Square pine, per cu. ft.	0	1	8	@	0	3	0
Waney board, per cu. ft.	0	2	6	@	0	3	9
St. John, 18 in., per cu ft.	0	2	6	@	0	3	3
Dalhousie, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	3	@	0	1	8
Red Pine, per cu ft.	0	1	7	@	0	1	10
Oak—1st quality, per cu. ft.	0	2	10	@	0	3	4
2nd quality, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	6
Elm, per cu. ft.	0	3	3	@	0	3	8
Ash, per cu. ft.	0	1	6	@	0	2	3
Birch, St. John, per cu. ft.	0	1	5	@	0	1	10
Quebec, per cu. ft.	0	1	5	@	0	2	2
Nova Scotia, etc., per cu. ft.	0	1	2	@	0	1	6
Birch Planks, per cu. ft.	0	0	9	@	0	0	11
QUEBEC PINE DEALS.							
1st quality, per std.	23	0	0	@	33	0	0
2nd quality, per std.	17	0	0	@	22	0	0
3rd quality, per std.	11	10	0	@	12	15	0
N.B. Spruce deals, per std	7	5	0	@	7	12	6
Nova Scotia deals, per std	7	2	6	@	7	10	0
Boards, Spruce, etc.	6	10	0	@	7	0	0
Oars, Ash, per running foot	0	0	3	@	0	0	5

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company submit the following report of the Barbadoes market: "A cargo of 166,000 feet of white pine, from Liverpool, N. S., was placed at $25 for shippers and $20 for second quality, and we think that a similar cargo would bring about same prices from dealers who did not secure this lot. Spruce and hemlock are still in full supply and stocks are not being reduced as quickly as is usual at this season. The "Orinoco" brought down 96,000 Long Gaspe shingles, which were placed at $6.07. This class of shingles along with Dimension are badly wanted and will bring good prices. Cedar Laying, although not scarce, would be saleable at about $2.15, as a lot of 350,000 were imported for a dealer's account at $2.25, being of slightly better quality than usual."

Less than 60,000,000 feet of pine lumber of the present season's cut remains unsold in the Duluth district, as against 400,000,000 feet which was available at the head of the lakes one year ago. The cut of the mills at the western end of Lake Superior in 1903 was 840,000,000 feet as against 420,000,000 feet this year. Two hundred million feet of this latter amount has already been sold and of the remain-

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der the Edward Hines Lumber Company will send 40,000,000 feet to its yards in Chicago. It is estimated that fully 120,000,000 feet will be sawed too late in the season to be available as dry lumber, so that the surplus stock at the beginning of this season is the lowest on record.

Messrs. Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., say: "There has been more selling of pine deals in London than for some time past. The specifications have been miscellaneous and the prices on the whole as good as could be expected. The drop is, of course, considerable from the nominal quotations for good regular deals, but compared with other things the level of price continues high, affected doubtless by the manifest impossibility of buying any cheaper ahead. The consumption has, however, not been on a satisfactory scale. Spruce deals and battens have also been freely sold at reductions. The consumption of these has brightened up a little, and the mardet is safeguarded by being very unattractive for further supplies. Oak has been a little more enquired for in a retail way and also white pine timber, but birch, elm and ash have been quite out of favour."

LUMBER PRICES AT LONDON.

The following prices were realized for Canadian deals, etc., at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on April 13th:

PINE.— Ex. Prome, from Quebec—14-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. 4th quality, £8 5s per standard. Ex. Avona, from Quebec,—9-14 ft. 3 x 11 in. 5th quality, £4 10s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Atbera, from Saguenay, —9-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. unassorted, £9 7s; 13 ft. 3 x 7, £7 10s. Ex. Drot, from Montreal —9-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. 2nd quality, £8 10s; 10-16 ft. 3 x 7-11, £8 10s; 10-16 ft. 3 x 7-11 in. 3rd quality, £8. Ex. King David, from Montreal —6-12 ft. 3 x 11 in. 2nd quality, £8; 12-13 ft. 3 x 10-13, £8 10s; 6-12 ft. 3 x 11 in. 3rd quality, £8; 12-16 ft. 3 x 8, £7 15s; 12-13 ft. 3 x 7, £7 5s; 12-13 ft. 3 x 10-14, £8 5s; 12-13 ft. 3 x 7-8, £7 10s. Ex. Milwaukee, for Quebec— 14-16 ft. 3 x 9 in. 2nd quality, £8 15s. Ex. Lake Michigan, from Quebec —13 ft. 3 x 9 in. 3rd quality, £8 15s and £9. Ex. Durham, from Montreal—11 ft. 3 x 9 in. 2nd quality, £8 5s. Ex. Nyanga, from Quebec —12-17 ft. 3 x 8 in. 4th quality, £8. Ex. Hedwig, from Miramichi —17-21 ft. 3 x 7 in. unassorted, £7. 10s.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N.S.: Steamer Florence, for London, 655 pieces hemlock sleepers, value $220, 10,815 ft. hemlock deals, value $91. Barque Nora Wiggins, for Buenos Ayres, 484,803 ft. spruce lumber, value $5,486.

From St. John, N.B.: Schooner Eric, for City Island, 171,607 ft. deals. Schooner E. H. Foster, for Boston, 105,901 ft. boards, 14,060 ft. deals. Steamer Bavarian, for Liverpool, 1,044,535 ft. deals, 139,518 ft. scantling, 47,463 ft. ends, 48,895 ft. boards, 129 tons timber, 8,910 ft. birch squares, 312 pieces maple lumber, 2,750 bundles maple flooring. Schooner Fanny, for Hingman, 15,052 ft. plank, 49,593 ft. scantling, 513,000 cedar shingles. Steamer Wyandotte, for Cape Town, South Africa, 100 crates shingles.

HOO-HOO CONCATENATION AT CHATHAM

Mr. Walter C. Laidlaw, Vicegerent Snark for Eastern Canada, has made arrangements to hold a Hoo-Hoo Concatenation at Chatham, Ont., on the evening of Friday, April 29th. Mr. Charles Hedley is chairman of the local committee. A large contingent from Toronto will go west to participate in the proceedings, and as the hospitality of the "Maple City" is well-known, an enjoyable time may be expected.

THE WHITE PINE TRADE.

A good share of the pine trade being received by wholesalers indicates that dealers are only sending in for stock to fill orders secured from their customers. For the last two years the retail lumbermen have been letting their stocks run down and to-day there is less lumber piled in their yards than at any time during the last ten years. The fact is generally admitted that if all the retail lumbermen in the northwest would put in a stock equal to the amount they carried two years ago, says the Mississippi Valley Lumberman, there would not be sufficient left in the wholesale market to take care of the local retail trade. While all the wholesale companies are desirous of increasing their business none of them seem disposed to make any undue concessions in order to stimulate trade. An air of confident security seems to pervade this branch of the lumber industry. Even those with comparatively large stocks apparently feel no uneasiness as to their ability to market it all at present values. They insist that stocks are light and no more than sufficient to take care of trade certain to develop in the next few months. The amount to be manufactured this coming year is going to be very much less than any former season, which still further convinces them of the advisability of holding on to what stock they have on hand. The majority of manufacturers are in easy circumstances financially and others have no difficulty in getting what accommodation they need.

So far the low price made on yellow pine has not materially affected either the sale or value of dimension, although it may do so later. The demand is principally for No. 1, 2 and 3 boards and their products. Few wholesalers have any considerable amount of No. 4 and 5 boards on hand and No. 3 is not plentiful. Some buyers are negotiating with the mills with a view to contracting for a supply of low grade boards to be sawn and delivered later. The high price demanded by the mill men has resulted in few sales being made. There is considerable demand for odd sizes in timber for immediate delivery. There is comparatively little long timber on the market and as the mills have not generally resumed sawing, this class of stock is difficult to secure. The urgent demand for immediate shipment specified in some of the orders being received is quite encouraging. Occasionally some dealer will send in orders of this character without first getting quotations and asking to be given a fair chance price, but to be sure to hurry the lumber along. When such orders include one hundred pieces of No. 2, 6 and 8 inch drop siding, it illustrates very fully the depleted condition of the retail stocks. Usually dealers order straight cars of this class of material.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, April 13th, 1904.—Lumbermen are joyous this week, as the most glorious of summer weather has burst upon the coast, and operations in the woods will soon be begun. Winter has hung on long, in fact so much so in the interior that it is believed there will be a shortage in the supply of lumber required for use in the Territories and Manitoba. In Fernie and other of the towns on the eastern boundary the frost is still delaying things, and a number of the mills have not yet started. At present there is only about 10,000,000 feet of lumber cut in the whole of the interior, but when spring operations begin, things should be active. The Fernie Lumber Company and the Crow's Nest Pass lumber Company each has 6,000,000 feet of logs ready, and there are 29 or 30 miles in the Kootenays, some of them of large capacity.

Conditions are firm this week, prices remaining the same as two weeks ago, with all kinds of building materials in good demand.

Although an announcement was made by the C. P. R. that a reduction in the freight rate on lumber to the Territories was to be put into effect, it was somewhat misleading. Hitherto the shipments from the coast were subject to a tariff of 40 cents per hundred pounds upon fir lumber, and upon cedar and other lumber 50 cents per 100 pounds. The tariff has now been changed upon cedar and other lumber to 40 cents per 100 pounds upon dimension and the lower grades up to that of ship-lap, being the same rate as that of fir, but upon grades of cedar and other lumber better than the ship-lap grade the former rate of 50 cents per 100 pounds continues in force. The coast manufacturers and those in the Kootenay are coming into competition, for the reduction in prices announced by the mill men on the coast is on ship-lap and the common grades of lumber, which will compete with the white pine and spruce lumber sawn in the interior. The Mountain manufacturers were offered a reduction of two cents per 100 pounds between Swift Current and Broadview, if they would reduce the price of lumber $1 per thousand feet to all customers east of McLeod. The proposal was declined by the lumbermen, who agreed to reduce the price as requested if the C. P. R. would reduce its rates two cents over the whole of the territory east of McLeod. There the matter stands at present.

It is reported that Loveland & Stone, of Cutler, Ont., have sold the entire output of their mill for the coming season, which is estimated at 30,000,000 feet.

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8 and 7 in	22 00	
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The better weather over the entire province has been of material benefit in all lines of business and in lumber in particular. The opening of navigation has facilitated the movement of stock; there has been resumption of work at the mills, and altogether greater activity is displayed. The rebuilding of the burned district in Toronto is under way, and this, with the increasing demand for houses and store property, promises to result in heavy building operations and a large consumption of lumber. The railways have been unable to move but a small portion of the sold lumber at the mills, and last week were compelled to refuse to accept lumber shipments owing to the great danger to the culverts and embankments caused by the spring freshets. While there is nothing approaching a lumber famine in Toronto, the supply is comparatively light and prices are held very firmly. The principal demand appears to be for cheap building lumber, as these grades in shipping condition have passed almost entirely out of first hands. Speaking provincially, the market is no more than holding its own. Buyers are waiting in the hope that manufacturers' prices may decline. In some quarters reports of a break in values are quite common, but investigation would indicate that such reports have emanated from sources where the wish has been father of the thought. The lists of the large mill men show absolutely no decline, nor are they willing to give

concessions of consequence to effect sales. It is our opinion that there will be no significant drop in white pine prices this summer.

Hardwoods are experiencing a good factory demand, in which birch is the leader. Soft elm also sells readily. There has been liberal buying of hemlock lumber on the basis of $12 to $12.50 at the mills.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce situation is not entirely void of hope. Manufacturers are receiving an increasing number of enquiries for stock for shipment to the Eastern States, where the supply of dry spruce lumber is scarcely equal to the demand. While there is no improvement in British business, the loss in this trade will be offset in part by larger shipments to the Eastern States, if events bear out the present outlook. The leading market feature this week is the decline in lath prices in New York, to which point large consignments have recently been made. The decline ranges from twenty-five to fifty cents and has caused a very irregular market. American laths are quoted at St. John at $2.05 to $2.10, and provincial laths at $1.80 to $1.85. A recovery from these prices will no doubt occur in the near future, as the lath market in general is firm. Cedar shingles are showing a little more strength but prices are not quotably higher. For Boston delivery best grade New Brunswick cedars bring from $3.30 to $3.40.

The outlook for stream driving operations in New Brunswick has materially improved. The ice is now out of the St. John river and the work of driving is to be commenced this week. The river has risen quickly during the past few days, and with the large quantity of snow which still lies in the upper woods there is likely to be a sufficient depth of water for driving for some time to come. From present appearances the 40,000,000 feet of last year's logs will reach the mills safely and conditions are favorable for getting out the new cut also.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

From the standpoint of demand and consumption, the lumber market of the North-West is in a healthy condition. Building permits to the value of over $2,000,000 have already been taken out in Winnipeg this year, and in the leading British Columbia cities and towns active building operations are in progress. It is estimated that between one hundred and two hundred residences will be built in Vancouver before the rainy season sets in next fall. The lumber dealers in Manitoba and the Territories are making preparations for a large trade, the mills having received an unusual number of orders within the past fortnight. Great difficulty is being experienced, however, in filling orders owing to the shortage of freight cars. This is no doubt due in part to the recent tie-up of traffic by the slides in the mountains. Many of the orders, also, are going to the mills across the border, and the importation from that field promises to be very heavy this year, to the detriment of the business of the Canadian manufacturers. The British Columbia mills are now unable to ship lumber into Washington, the collectors of customs having added to the import duty on lumber the amount of the alleged export tax imposed by the British Columbia Government on timber, making the duty on some grades of lumber as high as $7.50 per thousand feet. The British Columbia lumbermen have again requested the Dominion Government to take steps to remedy the unfair conditions which now exist, as a result of which many mills are considering the question of closing down. That such conditions should exist in the face of an active lumber demand calls for immediate action on the part of the Dominion Government.

UNITED STATES.

There has not been the increased activity in lumber which was expected upon the advent of spring weather. The demand is rather spasmodic and some dealers are quite apathetic. The result is that a few holders of stock are exhibiting some anxiety to realize, causing indications of weakness in certain districts. Concessions granted have been confined to narrow limits, and in white pine to the higher grades. Coarse lumber is about one dollar higher than last year, this being the result of the abnormal demand for box-making purposes. The building requirement has not yet presented itself in full measure, but there will no doubt be a heavy demand from this source during the next few weeks, as the outlook for building is considered good. The feeling at Buffalo and Tonawanda is moderately hopeful. The opening of navigation is welcome, as nearly all the box and low grade pine is in the hands of the box-makers. Our list this week shows a slight advance in the price of pine box.

The hardwoods are holding their own. Birch is a leader in point of demand and the supply is comparatively light, while basswood and maple, which are inquired for quite liberally, are in more plentiful supply, and an occasional report is heard that prices are a little less firm. Thick stock is difficult to find in any quantity.

Shingles are still dull and prices show no tendency to improvement. The same may be said of laths, although white pine laths are considered good property.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The tone of the British lumber market is slightly improved, the recent failures having lost their effect to some extent. Better weather has stimulated building operations and there seems to be less apprehension of a further decline in prices. Contracts for c. i. f. delivery cannot yet be closed on basis of shippers' ideas, but the seller and buyer appear to be getting a little closer together. Spot prices are holding up well, as merchants are beginning to realize that the difference between the price of lumber on hand and that asked for delivery this year does not warrant them in sacrificing their stock. The course of prices, however, largely depends upon the question of demand, and should a steady improvement take place during the next few weeks, the pessimistic feeling which has been so prevalent would soon pass away.

At a recent public sale in London 3 x 11 inch spruce deals brought £8 15s. to £9 for second quality and £8 for thirds. First quality Quebec pine deals also sold somewhat low, but the lumber was scarcely up to grade.

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McKee Bros., of Paisley, Ont., have over 600,000 feet of logs at their mill for sawing this season, consisting of hardwood, cedar, hemlock and pine.

The Spanish River Lumber Company took out about 16,000,000 feet of logs last winter, which will be manufactured at Spanish River by the Huron Lumber Company.

It is estimated that about 10,000,000 feet of bank logs will arrive at Springhill, N. B., this season. The price of round logs is $11 to $11.50, compared with $13 one year ago.

The City Council of St. John, N.B., last week awarded contracts for supply of spruce and hemlock deals and planks and spruce paving blocks. Spruce deals and hemlock plank will be supplied by J. M. Driscoll, at $11.95 and $9.90 per thousand feet respectively. Hilyard Bros. will supply the hemlock deals at $10.50. Paving blocks will be obtained from C. T. White at 45 cents per yard, and T. E. Sayre at 50 cents per yard.

Messrs. A. F. & D. Mackay, of Liverpool, England, recently sold at auction 230 logs of fresh birch timber, which realized an average of 1s. 6d. per cubic foot; 18 inch and upwards brought 1s. 9½d; 17½ in., 1s. 7d; 17 in., 1s. 6¾d; 16½ in., 1s. 6½d; 16 in., 1s. 6¼d; 15½ in., 1s. 5½d; 15 in., 1s. 5d; 14½ in., 1s. 4½d; 14 in. and under, 1s. 3½d. A second parcel, consisting of 120 logs of bright floated birch timber from St. John, brought the following prices: 19½ in. and upwards, 1s. 11½d; 18 and 18½ in., 1s. 8½d; 17½ in., 1s. 7d; 17 in. 1s. 7d; 16½ n., 1s. 6½d; 16 in., 1s. 6¼d; 15½ in., 1s. 5½d; 15 in., 1s. 5¼d; 14 in., 1s. 4½d. A small quantity of maple, ash, and elm timber sold at 1s. 2d.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 28th, 1904.—During the last few days the New York market for laths has taken a decided slump. This was very unexpected and was caused by heavy arrivals of Maine laths during the last ten days, probably from twelve to fifteen millions having been received. American laths are worth today, f.o.b. St. John, from $2.05 to $2.10, and Provincial from $1.80 to $1.85 per M.

The dealers in this vicinity seem to feel that the depression in laths will be only temporary and that the situation will improve rapidly as soon as some of the surplus has been worked off, but at any rate the market is very unsettled and it is impossible to make a forecast with any certainly of being correct.

The Fredericton Boom Company, of Fredericton, N. B., succeeded in placing the last of their booms in position on Monday last. About 2,500,000 feet of spruce and cedar logs had run past before this operation was completed. Several tugs, together with strings of booms and large crews of men, have been waiting at Gagetown in charge of Mr. Fred Myles in anticipation of this emergency, and they have already succeeded in securing all the logs that came. The manufacturers expected at least five millions and possibly ten, and are accordingly greatly elated because of the favourable way in which the thing has turned out.

Messrs. Donald Fraser & Sons, lumber manufacturers, are moving their head office from Fredericton to St. John, where they will occupy a handsome suite in the Canada Life Building, Prince William St.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., April 27, 1904.—Commercial conditions in connection with the lumber industry in British Columbia are not very encouraging at the present time. Prices are fluctuating, tending to a lowering if anything, and the demoralization of the market in the Northwest Territorities and Manitoba is working great injury to the mills. Mr. C. M. Beecher, vice-president of the Hasting mill, known as the B.C. Mills, Timber & Trading Company, has announced that that large establishment will close down. Export trade has fallen off to some extent, and this has been one of the chief factors in the business of this mill since its beginning. This combined with the ruination of the Northwest market has completed matters, and unless conditions materially change other mills are operating for a shut-down. Logs are plentiful, and as soon as the Pacific Coast Lumber Company cuts its supply, it too will close for an indefinite period. Mr. J. G. Scott, the manager, fixes the date about September 1st.

The mills in Washington state have tremendously overcut, and some of the shingle mills there have already been closed down. The lumber manufacturers have issued circulars to those engaged in the trade here, asking them to close down until the present supply is got rid of, or say one day per week to curtail production. It is on account of the great quantity on hand in Washington that British Columbia lumbermen are suffering. The banks in that state force the mills to pay up, and as a result they have to sacrifice their cut. To save their own market they ship at cut prices to the Canadian Northwest, and the market there is flooded with rough lumber to the great detriment of the trade of this province. The Government so far has refused the duty asked for, thinking it in the interests of the settlers that this should continue, but it only means a convenience to the American producer who is amply protected in his own country, and a forcing of inactivity upon the British Columbia mills, which may perhaps result in failure to a large number unless relief comes soon.

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James A. Moore, of the Moore Investment Company, Seattle, Wash., is negotiating for the purchase of 100,000 acres of timber lands on Vancouver Island, B. C., belonging to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company.

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2x10 common	18 50 19 00
2x12 common	21 00 22 00
3x10 common	19 00 20 00
3x12 common	21 00 22 00
1x10 and 12 common	20 00 22 00
Inch siding common	16 00 17 50
Inch strips common	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00 22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
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1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 40
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	2 90
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X white pine shingles	1 15
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	3 06
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 26
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 51
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 50
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 71

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Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$32 00	$35 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 1 to 1½ in	27 00	29 00
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Ash M R., 1 to 2	22 00	24 00
Birch M. R. 1 in.	22 00	23 00
" 1½ " 2	23 00	24 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	26 00	27 00
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Basswood, M. R. 1	1¼ 24 00	25 00
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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 22 00	24 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 23 00	25 00
Elm rock, mill run	1 to 1¼" 25 00	27 00
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Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 25 00	27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 38 00	40 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 41 00	43 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 37 00	39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4 40 00	42 00
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	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	48	55
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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " "	28	35

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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	50	55
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	43	48

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 inch	20	22
16 "	28	30
17 " "	30	32
18 " "	32	36

OTTAWA. ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1⅜ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1⅜ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1⅜ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding per M feet, b.m.	20	25
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'		20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16	19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 00
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x1 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	40	2 6
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Soruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
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Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60
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Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
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2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in.	79 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	83 00

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1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2 in.	59 00		

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2 in.	50 00		

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1½ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 05
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No 1 White Pine	3 5	No. 2 White Pine	75
		Hemlock	2 5

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers $24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up. 25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up 19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better 30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better 40 45
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in. 20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12 21
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12 29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10 25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8 23 24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12 26 22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	50	1x10 23 20
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Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch 40 47
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Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common 25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	

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Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$ $3 50

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Sawed Pin ex. XXXX	$4 0	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear bu	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 25
Smoot x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 23

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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
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Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1 x 6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls 16 00 18 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 25 00 27 00
			Com. & good culls 13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up, 24 00 26 00
Common and culls	17 00	18 00	Common and culls 16 00 18 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The improvement in the lumber trade has been quite marked during the past week, for which the fine weather is largely responsible. The local demand for material for building purposes has quickened, but the railroads are bringing in the lumber very slowly. There is very little dry stock at the mills, while the lower grades are particularly scarce and command high prices. Several transactions have taken place in mill culls at $11.50 f.o.b. cars at the mill, which is about $1 higher than a year ago. What is known as scoots are selling at $7.50. The higher grades, however, do not show corresponding strength, as has been the

rule for some time past. The log drives are as yet in an uncertain position, and should any number of them be tied up sharp advance in white pine lumber would be the result. There has been liberal buying by United States firms, it being estimated that over 100,000,000 feet of this season's cut has been taken for shipment to Saginaw and Bay City. There is considerable activity in hardwoods. Dealers are open for stocks and manufacturers are anxious to clean up their yards, if possible, before getting into the new cut. This accounts for some irregularity in quotations. The shingle market is uncertain. Manufacturers of white pine shingles have not lowered their prices but competition from the British Columbia product is being felt quite keenly. Present prices of B. C. shingles for Ontario delivery are: XXX, $2.95; XXXX, $3.15; XXXXX, $3.50.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The prospects for a fair demand for lumber for local consumption are quite favorable. Buying is proceeding with some activity and prices are ruling firm. Common lumber leads both in demand and price, quotations being slightly in advance of those ruling last fall. This is not the case with the higher grades of lumber, which have been affected by the falling off in the export business. In Montreal some anxiety is displayed on account of the attitude taken by some of the trade unions in demanding an unreasonable scale of wages for the coming season. A few minor strikes have already taken place, but it is hoped that a satisfactory settlement in all instances may be reached at an early date so that building operations may not be seriously interfered with. Local trade in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia has improved during the past week, but the lumber market as a whole is unsettled. Merchantable spruce logs have sold at Fredericton within the last few days at $9.25 per thousand feet. This is a decline of $1.50 as compared with one year ago, and reflects the depression which prevails in the British trade. The shingle market is firm, with New Brunswick extra cedars offered at $3.45 for Boston delivery.

UNITED STATES.

Fine weather has had its effect and imparted a more buoyant tone to the lumber market. Retail dealers are placing orders quite liberally and are accepting quotations much more promptly than earlier in the season. An inclination is shown to put stocks in shape to handle the spring and summer trade, which is expected to be of normal proportions. The quantity of unsold stock at the mills is now very light and dealers are finding some difficulty in locating certain grades. There will be a plentiful supply as soon as the new cut is in shipping condition, but the fact that much of the early output of the mills has been contracted for gives a very firm tone to such grades as are in light supply. In the coarse grades of pine the box requirement has absorbed everything available, while Norway piece stuff has been benefitted by the resumption of building operations on a large scale. There will be a heavy movement of lumber from the Lake Superior district to the wholesale distributing centres in the east, but as retail dealers are practically bare of stock no abnormal accumulation is likely to result. Among the hardwoods, basswood is showing a little weakness, but not sufficient to cause any anxiety, as the present condition of supply and demand will prevent more than temporary depression. Birch still sells readily, and the demand for lath is picking up.

GREAT BRITIAN.

The slight improvement in the British lumber trade continues. The most favorable development of the past week has been an increased consumption. The deliveries from the docks have been quite large and the demand decidedly better than it has been for some time past. There has not been much improvement in prices, however, although the results of recent sales indicate a hardening tendency for some lines. The recent drop in prices made by Swedish shippers has encouraged buyers to place contracts, although a few are still holding off in the hope of buying at rock bottom. Nevertheless, a large quantity of stock has been placed during the past fortnight, and there is no doubt that the feeling in regard to the future is more hopeful. As for Canadian lumber the better qualities of pine deals are meeting with some demand and pine stock boards and sidings are enquired for frequently. There is also some enquiry for Quebec spruce deals, but buyers are still fighting the prices asked by shippers, which are about £9 per standard for thirds.

Canadian lumber has figured prominently in recent public sales. Messrs. H. & G. Curven, of Preston and Fleetwood, sold a quantity of Quebec pine sidings, said to contain 80 per cent. of first quality, at from £20 10s to £24 10s per standard, and a lot of strictly first quality at £27 to £28. These prices are low as compared with what is asked for this season's deliveries. At Messrs. Farnworth and Jardine's sale at Liverpool, second quality pine deals, 3 x 11 inch, brought £16 and third quality £12 5s. Red pine deals sold at £10 10s. Pine scantlings, 3 x 5 and 6 inch, third quality, brought from £9 to £9 12s. 6d.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Ovidia is loading a cargo of 1,600 standards of deals at West Bay, N.S., for West Hartlepool.

Knight Bros., of Burks Falls, Ont., purchased at auction the Brodhagen Lumber Company's logs on Horn Lake for $4,100. John Bennewis, of Mitchell, bought the timber on the Reasin Lake property.

Two camps operating on Brule Lake for A. Barnet, of Renfrew, Ont., took out 5,000,000 feet of white pine and hardwood logs during the past winter. It is estimated that there is 20,000,000 feet of birch on Mr. Barnet's limit.

The following comparison of lumber prices at Buffalo is interesting:

	1900.	1904.
1-inch Uppers	$53	$80
1¼, 1½ and 2-inch Uppers	60	80
2½ and 3-inch Uppers	78	81
1-inch Selects	44	72
1¼, 1½, 2-inch Selects	55	72
2½ and 3-inch Selects	62	75
1-inch F. Com	40	60
1¼, 1½ and 2-inch Com	44	62
1-inch No. 1 Cuts	34	55
1¼, 1½ and 2-inch Cuts	42	55

Under date of April 23rd Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say of the Barbadoes market: "Our market still remains well supplied with all descriptions of lumber, as stocks have not been worked off as rapidly as usual at this time of the year. We think that a small cargo of white pine would bring $25 for shippers and $20 for second quality, while we cannot value spruce at over $20. Hemlock is probably worth about $17. Dimension and Gaspe shingles are very scarce and next arrivals will bring about last prices. Cedar Laying, which a short time ago were in full supply, are being gradually worked off, and we value next arrival, if not excessive, at $2.15."

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The following is a new schedule of lumber freights to govern during the present season in the transportation of lumber from northern points via canal and Hudson River to New York. This new schedule shows a considerable increase in freights over those in vogue in past years.

The old rate was $2.50 "alongside" on pine and spruce from the Ottawa district to New York, irrespective of dimensions, with twenty-five cents additional for discharging at New York, while the new schedule, it will be noted, is arranged on a sliding scale governing the various sizes and kinds of stock shipped.

Another important feature is that of demurrage. Under the old arrangements consignees had the benefit of four lay days and the reporting day, with demurrage at one per cent of the gross freight for each day thereafter, which in a majority of cases usually did not exceed $3 per day per boat.

The combination rail and water rate from Ottawa to New York via Williams Line from Albany is $3 for general lumber, with twenty-five cents extra for shorts and forty cents per thousand for stock less than one inch.

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On stocks and sidings 12 x 16 feet 8 inches and up and 1 inch and up, $2.50 alongside New York.

On strips 12 x 16 feet 4 and 7 inches wide and 1 inch and up, $2.60 alongside New York.

On short stocks and sidings 6 x 11 feet 6 inches and up and 1 inch and up, $2.00 alongside New York.

On short strips 6 x 11 feet and 4 x 7 inches and 1 inch and up, $2.75 alongside New York.

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Montreal to New York, lumber, $2 per 1,000 feet alongside.

Montreal to New York, tankage, $2 net ton alongside.

Montreal to New York, bonechar, $1.75 net ton alonside and top wharfage.

Charlemagne to New York and other immediate points, lumber, $2.25 per 1,000 feet and extra towing.

Charlemagne to Lake Champlain ports, $1.50 per 1,000 feet and extra towing.

St. Johns to New York, lumber, stocks and joist, $1.50 alongside.

St. Johns to New York, 2 x 2, $1.75.

Rates to prevail at immediate points between Quebec and Three Rivers, Port Neff, and Moose River, except captain to be at liberty to make his own rates for the two above-named ports.

Quebec to New York, lumber, $2.50 per 1,000 feet alongside.

Quebec to Burlington, $1.50 per 1,000 feet alongside.

Quebec to Whitehall, $1.50 per 1,000 feet alongside.

Quebec to other Lake Champlain ports, $1.50 per 1,000 feet alongside.

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Nicolet to New York, lumber $2.25 per 1,000 feet alongside.

Nicolet to Albany, spruce lumber, $2.00 per 1,000 feet alongside.

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Burlington to New York, lumber, pine, $1.50 per 1,000 feet alongside.

Burlington to Albany, lumber, pine, $1.25 per 1,000 feet alongside.

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From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Manchester Trader, for Manchester, 8,807 pieces pine boards, 381,150 ft. spruce deals, 56,317 ft. spruce scantling, 9,845 ft. spruce ends, 9,509 ft. birch deals, 1,625 ft. birch scantling, 5,520 ft. birch ends. Schooner Lotus, for Greenwich, 120,505 ft. plank, 23,617 ft. scantling. Steamer Kastalia, for Glasgow, 627,831 ft. deals, 19,644 ft. scantling, 9,344 ft. ends, 69,793 ft. birch plank, 17,928 ft. shooks, 22 tons pine timber, 91,686 ft. pine deals. Steamer Montrose, for London, 907 ft. scantling, 9,423 ft. birch plank, 189,139 ft. spruce deals, 6,371 ft. spruce scantling, 5,191 ft. spruce ends, 467 bundles maple flooring, 577 pieces maple lumber. Steamer Tunisian, for Liverpool, 18 maple logs, 645,400 ft. birch squares, 940,520 ft. spruce deals, 140,634 ft. spruce scantling, 28,503 ft. spruce ends, 38,751 ft. spruce boards, 94,003 ft. birch plank, 14,182 ft. birch ends. Steamer Manchester Exchange, for Manchester, 427,754 ft. spruce deals, 27,026 ft. spruce boards, 28,877 ft. spruce scantling, 18,343 ft. spruce ends, 53,438 ft. birch plank, 12,579 ft. birch ends, 6,600 box shooks. Schooner Norman, for Washington, 1,706,000 laths. Steamer Evangeline, for London, 28,329 ft. deals, 1,753 ft. ends, 130,650 feet birch plank, 23,411 ft. birch ends.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

OTTAWA, May 2, 1904.—After many days waiting, word was received in the city to-day that the ice had left the lakes on the upper Ottawa and the creeks tributary thereto, and that log driving had commenced. This applies alike to the Dumoine, Kippewa, Petewawa and other lumber districts. The log drivers in many instances have been on the scene for a fortnight waiting to dig in. While there was some fear that the water would run off before the ice left, and thus make the creeks low for driving, such, fortunately, has turned out not to be the case. High water is reported and the prospects are good for satisfactory movement of logs. This is all the more desirable from the fact that the start of the work is a late one.

All the mills in the Ottawa district are cutting. The Hawkesbury Lumber Combany was the first to start, followed by J. R. Booth, Sheppard & Morse, and W. C. Edwards Company, Ottawa, Gilmour & Hughson, Hull, Fraser & Company, Deschenes, and Ritchie Bros., Aylmer. There is a good supply of logs to keep the saws busy until the spring drives arrive.

From present indications there promises to be an exceptionally good demand for Ottawa district lumber this season, and the saws will have their troubles keeping up with the requirements. True the English market is dull, but then the spruce that would be cut for that destination will go to the States. As a matter of fact the movement of spruce across the border promises to be a brisk one. A local firm that contracted heavily for spruce along the lower St. Lawrence for the English market, has on account of the dullness therein placed its stock with American buyers.

As far as pine is concerned, the manufacturers continue to hold the trump card and dealers are obliged to pay stiff prices. If they hesitate the other fellow gets it. A Georgian Bay operator noted for conservative views said in Ottawa a few days ago that the log cut last winter was fully 25 per cent. short and the cost of production 30 per cent. higher on account of the deep snow and scarcity of labor. He did not think the district could fill all the demands made on it by the States and Western Canada, and greater attention would be paid the Ottawa district.

A Buffalo dealer was here looking for low grade lumber last week and enquiries have been made for stuff for western railway building. However, it's hard to see where the Ottawa district mills can meet all the demands. The consumption of lumber in and about Montreal alone promises to be much bigger than usual.

Hardwoods are reported firm and advancing. Since November there has been an advance in some lines of fifteen per cent. The high price and scarcity of pine has turned attention in the Ottawa district to cheaper substitutes. Poplar is now being used extensively for box making.

All the representatives of the English lumber firms have arrived to oversee the loading and movement of deals, etc. They speak pessimistically of the outlook, which has been depressed since before Easter. Intending purchasers of telephone poles should communicate with Mr. Charles Desmarais, Hull, Quebec. He has 4,000 in stock 25 to 60 feet.

Gillette & Sparks have established themselves in the wholesale lumber business at 1 Madison Avenue, New York City. They will act as selling agents east of Buffalo for the well-known firms of Charles M. Betts & Company and Hurd Bros., Buffalo, and will handle about 14,000,000 feet of spruce manufactured by the Batiscan River Lumber Company, of Batiscan, Que.

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SEATTLE, April 30th, 1904.—Of the 500 shingle mills in this state over ninety per cent. have been closed during the past week because of a lack of market for their product, and also the prevalence of market conditions that mean a loss to the lumbermen who continue to operate their plants, unless their output has already been contracted for. The estimated output of these mills is 42,000,000 shingles per day, and as they do not purpose recommencing work before Wednesday, the 4th May, there will thus be a curtailment of 420,000,000 shingles during the period of idleness

These conditions are not merely confined to the shingle trade, but extend generally in the lumber industry along the entire Pacific slope. Already some 260 mill owners in this state and Oregon have signified their willingness to close their mills one day per week for an indefinite period, while to the north the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association are unanimously agreed to follow suit.

To remedy the adverse conditions now prevailing a committee of the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association is about to confer with President J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern Railway, Howard Elliott, of the Northern Pacific, and E. H. Harriman, of the Union Pacific system. While market conditions are to be the primary cause of the conference, the committee is instructed to negotiate for a 40-cent rate into the Missouri river territory, which will enable them to sell in that region and result in the immediate restoration of market conditions here. The principal obstacle the millmen expect to have to overcome is the reported opposition of Mr. Harriman. He is said to be strongly opposed to the concession and to have threatened the Great Northern and Northern Pacific with retaliation if they granted the rate. The millmen are demanding that he attend the conference and the decision of the railroad presidents be made unanimous.

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1x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
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Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The developments of the past week in lumber circles have been negligible in character, neither favoring the buyer nor the seller. The outlook for the crops furnishes some uncertainty, as the season has been so backward that the growth has been slow. Building operations, on the other hand, are starting out well, which has been reflected in an improved country demand for lumber. It is improbable that there will be any important changes in either demand or prices in the near future; rather a moderate volume of business around current values is looked for. There is a very satisfactory demand for lumber in Toronto, and hemlock and the lower grades of pine are particularly firm.

Moore hardwoods are being offered than for some time past, holders apparently being anxious to close out their stocks before the cut of the summer mills comes on the market. While offerings have been heavier no weakness in prices has resulted. Maple has been quite active but the supply has been sufficient to prevent an advance. Birch is also selling freely.

Dissatisfaction is expressed with the shingle demand. Prices are at a point which should encourage dealers to acquire a supply in anticipation of the summer and fall demand, but so far little disposition in this direction has been shown. This may be the result of the uncertainty regarding future prices of red cedar shingles.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Information concerning the log drives has been opposed to a recovery in lumber prices. The drives in both Quebec and New Brunswick are making very satisfactory progress, the different streams being well supplied with water. If the entire production of logs should come out safety, there would be an an ample supply to keep the mills in operation all season and a heavy production of lumber would result unless the manufacturers should decide to restrict the output. However, the critical time has not yet passed and some of the drives may eventually be hung up. Spruce logs are selling at Fredericton at $9.50 per thousand feet, and hemlock at from $4.50 to $5. There is a steady demand for clapboards and the supply has become nearly exhausted, but the production is likely to be somewhat larger than last year.

New Brunswick cedar shingles still hold around $3.40 for extras for Boston delivery. The summer mills are resuming operations, which are likely to be lighter than last year in some localities on account of a small input of cedar logs.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Permits for buildings to the value of $2,300,000 have already been taken out in Winnipeg this year. There is consequently a very active demand for lumber for building purposes. Railway work is also calling for considerable dimension timber, Mr. J. D. McArthur, of Winnipeg, having recently received a contract to build 500 miles of the Canadian Northern line to Edmonton. Building is active at Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster, as well as at interior points in British Columbia. Crop prospects throughout Manitoba and the Territories are favorable, and altogether the outlook is for a larger consumption of lumber by the west than in any previous year. A new scale of prices has been issued by the British Columbia manufacturers, in which moderate reductions are the rule. This will encourage the consumption of lumber and, it is hoped, prevent serious over-production. The latter condition, however, is almost certain to be experienced unless some tax is placed upon imports from the United States.

UNITED STATES.

Compared with one year ago the lumber trade of the United States does not make a very satisfactory showing. The country demand has been slow, but this is believed to be largely due to the backward season. The demand for building lumber has not, until the past two weeks, shown much activity, but a pronounced revival has now set in and the outlook is much improved. In the New York district the feeling is quite hopeful owing to the fact that there are no labor difficulties of any moment. None of the eastern distributing markets are carrying heavy stocks of anything excepting the higher grades of pine, and these will no doubt find a market dnring the season. The stock of box lumber is practically exhausted and prices are very firm. The barn grades have dissapeared also to a large extent, and there is a disposition to mark up prices. From Cleveland, Ohio, comes the report of a large trade in No. 4 boards and No. 1 and 2 common pine. The supply of dry spruce is scarcely equal to the demand, prices at Boston being as follows: 9 in. and under, $19; 10 and 12 inch, $21; randoms, $17.50 to $20.50, the latter figure being asked for 2 x 10 and 12 inch.

The whole shingle market has been unsettled by the weakness of red cedars. The movement inaugurated to close down the shingle mills in Washington did not terminate very satisfactorily, some of the manufacturers opening their mills before the specified date, which resulted in the Interstate Red Cedar Shingle Company rescinding the shut-down injunction. At a meeting of the North-Western Cedar Manufacturers' Association at Escanaba, Mich., on May 6th, it was stated that the production of white cedar shingles would be less than had been expected, as the low price of shingles had discouraged many small operators from putting in logs and wherever possible the timber will be converted into other cedar products. There has been an average decline of about 10 cents in the price of white pine shingles, and the situation at the present time is not satisfactory.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The outlook for lumber in the British market is no doubt improving. The building trade is more active as the result of better weather and the impression that prices will go lower seems to be less general. Some stocks of spruce are said to have been sold at a very low price, but as the exact figure nas been concealed, the trade has accepted the statement with some doubt. Best quality pine deals are moving quite freely, but the inferior qualities are slow of sale. The present stock at the London docks is considerably heavier than one year ago, and until this is reduced there will be enough pressure to sell to prevent an advance in prices. White pine deals on the London docks show an increase of 125,419 pieces; battens, 95,343 pieces; ends, 44,675 pieces; spruce deals, 23,389 pieces; spruce battens, 83,657 pieces; white pine boards, 46,859 pieces; red pine boards, 68,227 pieces. The stock of red pine deals and battens is less than one year ago. Waney and square pine are going into consumption slowly and the stock is heavy. The supply at Liverpool and adjacent ports is 98,000 cubic feet of square pine and 40,000 cubic feet of waney pine, as compared with 29,000 feet and 48,000 feet one year ago. Birch shows a reduction of 88,000 feet from 1903 and 137,000 feet from 1902, and enquiries are more numerous.

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STOCKS AND PRICES.

C. P. Easton & Company are about to commence sawing operations at their new mill near Quebec. They expect to cut about 12,000,000 feet this season.

A statement of the winter port business for the past season shows that the various steamers sailing from St. John, N. B., to the British ports, carried 48,000,000 feet of deals and other long lumber.

John E. Moore, of St. John, N. B., is reported to have sold his winter cut of logs to the St. George Pulp & Paper Company, of St. George. This would indicate that he will not do any sawing at Bonny River this season. Mr. Moore expects that his 3,000,000 feet of logs hung up on the Oromocto river will come out safely.

There has been a slight decline in the price of slack staves and heading, but there is no surplus stock. Jobbers at Buffalo quote dry elm flour barrel staves at $11.50 to $12 for first class; basswood heading, 8 to 8½ cents for first class, 6 cents for second class; coiled hoops, $8.50 to $9 for 5½-foot; $9 to $9.50 for 6-foot.

Large quantities of ties are being taken out in the vicinity of Cranbrook, B. C. Last year the East Kootenay Lumber Company furnished 750,000 ties and this year will repeat the order. In addition 500,000 will be furnished by other companies in the vicinity of Cranbrook, making a total of 1,250,000 ties. Estimated at 20 cents per tie, their total value would be $250,000.

The first vessel to come down the lakes with lumber this year was the steamer James Fisk, loaded with 750,000 feet of white pine at Cutler, Ont., for the Imperial Lumber Company's yards at North Tonawanda. The Imperial Lumber Company have purchased about 10,000,000 feet of white pine in the Georgian Bay district for shipment to Tonawanda by vessel this season.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Parrsboro, N.S.: Steamer Pandosia, for Manchester, cargo deals, value $57,000.

From West Dublin, N.S.: Schooner F. B. Wade, for Porto Rico, 52,000 ft. spruce lumber, 26,000 shingles.

From St. John, N.B.: Schooner Bessie Parker, for City Island, 201,609 ft. deals. Schooner G. H. Perry, for Boston, 120,345 ft. planks, 27,579 ft. scantling. Schooner Effie, for Scituate, 703,000 shingles.

From Halifax, N.S.: Steamer Tunisian, for Liverpool, 26,090 ft. birch deals, value $266; 274,521 ft. spruce deals, value $3,228. Steamer Ulunda, for Liverpool, 121,706 ft. birch deals, value $1,271; 7,877 cubic feet birch timber, value $2,000; 10,172 ft. birch squares, value $160; 53,586 ft. spruce deals, value $694; 56,526 ft. hemlock deals, value $500.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN MARKET.

The lumber trade with South Africa which a few years ago was expected to have played no small part in Canadian business, especially in the line of red and white pine, appears to have fallen exceedingly flat, and there is little, if anything, in prospect for the coming season. This in a large measure is attributed to the conditions prevailing in the United States, the trade there throwing themselves open to supply that market with ready dressed stuff of all descriptions (including doors, sashes and tongued and grooved boards) at prices at which dealers here found it difficult to compete. The American enterprise was particularly marked immediately following the close of the South African war, when cargoes were quickly rushed in, and so complete has been the success that not only has it made itself felt in checking Canadian export, but also in menacing the European markets too.

It might be interesting here to note that within comparatively recent date seven cargoes of lumber consigned to South Africa from the Baltic were reconsigned to the London market, after reaching the South African port, it having been impossible to place it on that market on a paying basis. A condition such as this is the "proverbial straw' which shows the way of the commercial wind and which accounts in a measure for the increased endeavour of the Continental merchants to hold the British trade even at the expense of price.

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THE NEW BRUNSWICK DRIVES.

The New Brunswick log drives are making satisfactory progress. The St. John river was falling steadily on May 8 and 9, but a heavy rain the following day caused a perceptible rise.

R. A. Estey's drive on the Tobique river came out on the 6th inst. Driving operations lasted exactly twelve days, which is considered a record breaker. A large lot of bank logs were received at Springbank last week and purchased by Dunn Bros.

Reports from Fredericton May 10 stated that the Gibson Company's drives on the Nashwaak river and tributaries were moving rapidly. The Arnold Brook and Cross Creek drives were in safe waters and it is believed that the whole drive will be out in the course of a few days.

Very encouraging reports were received on May 12, the water having risen over four feet at Andover and two feet at Edmundston in one day. About 55,000,000 feet of logs were then in the booms of the Fredericton Boom Company, 20,000,000 feet being in the Mitchell boom, and 35,000,000 feet in the booms at Sugar Island and Douglas. A great many new logs were caught at the booms during the past few days, quite a number bearing the private mark of Cunliffe, who has a driv of 17,000,000 feet on the Allegash river for W. H. Murray.

The drives for John A. Murchie on the Big Black river and the Scott Lumber Company on the Wyld Cat river, will probably be out this week. Gilman Bros. & Burden's drive of 4,000,000 feet on the Pokiok stream has reached the mill.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, Glasgow, Scotland, say that business during the month of April was on the whole of a restricted nature, the general feeling of buyers that easier prices are likely to prevail later on evidencing itself in the extreme caution of their operations. The tendency towards easier prices in pine and spruce observable for the past few months has become still further accentuated recently, and the attitude of the market as regards the future is unquestionably pessimistic in tone. In a general way the determining factor as regards the future of prices will be the extent of the import during the summer. Granted moderate shipments, there should be no serious break in prices, but a heavy import would without doubt cause a fall in values, consequent on pressure to force sales. A healthy feature from the consigning point of view is that contracting has this year been of exceedingly limited extent, though as a set-off to this there is a feeling that the general trade of the country is on the wane, and consequently the market will not be able to absorb its normal quantity of wood goods. As to this, much will depend upon the shipbuilding and house-building industries, which are meantime inclined to be inactive. In hardwoods there has been a falling away in the demand recently, and this is particularly observable in the case of low-grade Poplar lumber, which has been arriving greatly in excess of the market's requirements, with a consequent easing of prices.

WHITE PINE.—The import during the month consists of about 200 loads waney pine, part of which was disposed of "ex quay" and the remainder was put into store. The demand has been quiet. One or two sales of second-class waney are reported at prices ranging from 2s. 6d. to 3s., according to size. There has been no movement in square timber.

RED PINE.—There is nothing new to report; the present small stock is being gradually reduced.

OAK.—There has been no import during the month, but stocks are more than sufficient for the present inactive demand. The consumption is small with no immediate prospect of improvement.

ELM.—There has been the usual steady demand for rock elm, and as the stock of first-class is now limited, second-class parcels are moving away more freely. Prices are firm. Stocks of soft wood are still heavy and moving off slowly.

BIRCH (Quebec) There has been no import so far this year, and as the stock on hand is nearly exhausted there is consequently nothing of importance to report. It cannot be said that there is much enquiry, though a few early imports would no doubt find a ready enough market.

NOVA SCOTIA BIRCH.—Apart from Pictou wood imported last summer there is none in stock unsold. Values are round about 18d. for 16-inch average. In birch planks there have been a few transactions at £7 to £7 10s. per standard.

ASH (Quebec)—With no import and no stock of any importance, there is nothing specially to report this month. A few shipments of U. S. logs have come to hand, the best of which have been sold at from 1s. 9d. to 2s. per cubic foot, but a considerable quantity has gone into store.

DEALS, ETC. — Business during the month has been quiet, and the movement from yarded stocks shows a large falling off. The import has been heavy, especially in spruce, the bulk of which has gone into store. Prices are fairly steady. Current values are as under:—Broad First Pine Deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £22 to 24. Second Pine Deals.—11-inch and up, £18 to £20; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third Pine Deals.—11 inch and up, £11 15s. to £14; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £9 10s. to £11. Red Pine Deals.—9 and 11 inch, £11 to £11 10s.; Narrows, £8 10s. to £9. First Pine Sidings and Strips.—9 to 10 inch, £24 to £24 10s.; 11 to 12 inch, £25 to £26; 13 to 14 inch, £27 to £28. Spruce Deals.—9-inch and up, £8 10s. to £9 5s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s.

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Piling—W. Sleeman, 3,000; Holmes & Langstaff, 1,000; Preston-Bell Co., 2,000; Connors & Roberts, 4,000; L. Christie, 500.

Posts—W. Sleeman, 75,000; Holmes & Langstaff, 75,000; Graham & Horne, 40,000.

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CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00	$50 00	1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00	30 00	1 inch siding mill culls	13 00 14 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	27 00	29 00	Cull scantling	12 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	24 00	27 00	1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
2x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50	17 50	1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
2x10 common	18 50	19 00	Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
2x12 common	21 00	22 00	1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 40
3x10 common	19 00	20 00	1½ inch No. 2 Lath	2 90
3x12 common	21 00	22 00	1⅜ in. No. 1 Norway lath	3 10
1x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00	X white pine shingles	1 15
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50	XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts	2 25
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00	XXX white pine shingles	3 15
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	B. C. Shingles	
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00	XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	2 95
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00	XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 15
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00	XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 50
			XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 30
			XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
			XX " 5 to 2 in	2 55

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.
Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$32 00	$35 00	Elm, rock, mill run, 1 to 1¼"	25 00 27 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 1 to 1½ in	27 00	29 00	Elm rock, mill run, 1½"	30 00 30 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 2 to 4 in	28 00	31 00	Hickory, 1sts and 2nds, 1½"	2 36 00 38 00
Ash M R., 1 to 2	22 00	24 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds, 1	1½ 22 00 24 00
Birch M. R. 1 in.	22 00	23 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds, 2	4 25 00 27 00
" 1½ " 2	23 00	24 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1	1½ 38 00 40 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	26 00	27 00	Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2	4 41 00 43 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	26 00	28 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1	1½ 37 00 39 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2	28	30 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2	4 40 00 42 00
p m. r. 1	1¼ 24 00	25 00	Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1	2 60 00 65 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½ 60 00	70 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1	3 85 00 100 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2	4 65 00	75 00		
Elm, soft, mill run 1	1½ 22 00	24 00		
Elm, soft, mill run 2	3 23 00	25 00		

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts.
Square pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	60	69
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	60	66

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	50	55
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	43	48

ASH.

4 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

18 inch	20	22
" "	28	30
" "	30	32
" "	32	36

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00	Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"	15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00	" 6' to 11'x10"	16 0
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00	Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50 20 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00	Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00	Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00	Pine, box boards	12 00 14 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00	Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00	01x1 No. 1 barn	21 0
2 in.	35 00	38 00	1x10 No 2 " "	
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25	1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00	1x8 & 9 No. 2 " "	17 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00	Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40 2 6
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00	No. 2 white pine	2 00 2 25
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16	19 00	Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 15
			Red Pine mill run	2 00 2 15
			Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 35 3 50
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40 2 60
			xx 18 inch	1 40 1 60
			Cedar Shingles xxxx 18 inch	3 30 3 55
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2 75
			xx, 18 inch	1 65 2 00

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	79 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	83 00	2½ and 3 in.	79 00
4 in.	9 00	4 in.	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 0
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 0
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in. and up wide	35 0

SHINGLES, 16 IN.

Pine, XXXX		Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	2
Clear Butts	3 0	Clear Butts	2

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 0	No. 2 White Pine	700
		Hemlock	2 55

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30 32
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40 45
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.	20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23 24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	50	1x10	23 20
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20 22
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	40 47
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common	25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22		

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25 5 53
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 85
Smoothx18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	80 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	21 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1½ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00 46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	Strips	23 00 25 00
			Com. and culls	18 00 20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00 18 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00 27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2nd, rock 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2nd, soft, 6 in & up	24 00 26 00
Common and culls	16 00	18	Common and culls	16 00 18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	22 00	24 00	1st & 2nd, soft	20 0 2 00
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	Common and culls	12 00 1 00

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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

The publishers of the CANADA LUMBERMAN would be pleased to learn the name of the subscriber who on May 17th remitted the sum of $3.00 for subscription from Cœhill Mines P.O., Ont. As no name accompanied the remittance we are unable to credit the amount.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Conditions in the lumber trade are about normal, the volume of demand being perhaps a little less than in the spring of 1903. Some dealers are buying very cautiously, only taking stocks when the price seems to offer an inducement, while others are more courageous and are buying quite liberally practically at the manufacturer's quotations. Mill run pine is, if anything, held a little higher than last year, this increase being intended to cover the additional cost of logging. There has been quite heavy buying of mill culls at last year's figures, but dead culls have not been taken so readily. In the better grades, especially 1½ inch, the demand is slower. Prices now asked are so high that sash and door manufacturers are looking for something cheaper to meet part of their requirements, but as pine is getting less plentiful each year manufacturers are showing little disposition to lower prices. The depleted condition of dry stocks is a sustaining feature of the white pine market.

The scarcity of low grade pine is resulting in benefit to hemlock, which is quite active. Manufacturers have more orders than they can fill and are far behind in shipments. Current prices at the mills on the Georgian Bay for two inch stuff are $12.50 for 12 foot lengths, $13 for 10 to 16 feet, $15 for 18 feet, and $16 for 20 feet. These prices are likely to rule for some time at least.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

An unexpected change in the log drive situation has taken place. While one week ago the indications were that all the new logs would reach the mills, there is now a strong probability that a large percentage of them will be hung up unless rain should check the fall of water in the streams. The St. John river was on the 20th inst. falling rapidly, and it was estimated that 50,000,000 feet of logs would become stranded, at least temporarily. This condition has improved the tone of the lumber market, although dealers are still moving very cautiously in their buying operations. Spruce logs recently sold at Fredericton brought only $9 per thousand feet, while hemlock sold as low as $4.

New Brunswick cedar shingles are selling from $3.25 to $3.40 for extras on Boston rate of freight, the smaller manufacturers seeming a little nervous and accepting the former price. It is doubtful whether there will be much improvement in the shingle market during the summer months.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber demand in the United States is, as a whole, somewhat disappointing. Country trade is slow, for which the backward crop season is largely responsible, and the activity in the cities is not sufficient to counteract the falling off in country orders. From Buffalo eastward, white pine is held very firmly, as stocks have been reduced below an average, and the freight tie-up on the upper lakes has stopped the movement of lumber to the eastern markets. Sales of white pine are not large nor has the demand assumed as large proportions as was anticipated earlier in the season. At a few points, however, increased buying is reported. In Chicago the lower grades and Norway dimension are selling well, the door factories taking large quantities of common boards. In yellow pine prices are inclined to favor the buyer rather than the producer, the latter being inclined to offer concessions in order to effect sales.

Hardwood stocks are accumulating at some points, and for the first time this year the tendency of prices appears to be easier. There has been a decline in the price of white quartered oak owing to production being stimulated unduly by the high prices, but at the decline there has been liberal buying. Red and white oak have held up well. Basswood is quoted at $22 to $24 at the mills, while ash is in limited supply at $20 to $21, and elm at $20 to $22. There is a growing demand for birch.

The call for white cedar products is hardly up to the mark. Prices are not satisfactory, although a slight improvement is reported in some items. The demand for poles is about the best feature of the market. Cedar ties are meeting with increased enquiry, but cedar shingles are very dull.

GREAT BRITAIN.

For the first four months of this year the imports of sawn lumber into the United Kingdom were 651,509 loads, as against 732,726 loads for the corresponding period of 1903. During the month of April only 181,756 loads were imported, compared with 320,373 loads in the same month last year. The lighter imports have been very beneficial to the market, and while the reduction in stocks is proceeding very slowly, the situation is healthier than at any previous time this year. The decline in prices of Swedish deals and battens has been quite marked, but it is now believed to have culminated and a moderate recovery would seem to be the order, particularly as the consumption of lumber is steadly improving. Business for c.i.f. delivery is also more active, and the basis of prices is better understood. The competition of Baltic lumber affected Canadian spruce and Norway pine disastrously, but the prices of white pine are holding up remarkably well, and the indications are that buyers will advance their figures in order to obtain a supply of the higher grades of pine which are so essential for some purposes. More disposition is being shown to operate in Quebec spruce with a view to supplying the wants of the box trade and other customers, and the feeling in regard to this lumber is less pessimistic. A few importers have purchased considerable quantities of New Brunswick spruce, there being a good demand for the smaller sizes.

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STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Steamer Sarmatian is loading a cargo of deals at Halifax, N. S., for the United Kingdom.

The Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Company, of Wardner, B.C., have secured the Baker timber lease above St. Mary's Lake.

The following vessels are loading lumber for South America: Golden Rod and Swansea, at Hantsport, N. S.; Louvima, at Annapolis, N.S.

E. A. LeBel, of Sarnia, has secured the contract of supplying the ties and poles for the extension of the electric street railway to Weesback.

British Columbia red cedar shingles are worth from $3.20 to $3.25 for Extras, and $4 to $4.10 for Perfections, Boston delivery. An early advande is not anticipated.

The second lumber vessel to reach North Tonawanda, N.Y., this season was the steamer Mohegan, carrying 1,200,000 feet of white pine, valued at $27,000, for White, Rider & Frost.

Robert Gass, of Shubenacadie, cut 4,500,000 feet of lumber during last season. He has taken up a large tract of timber land in Labrador, where he will commence operations this summer.

The Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B.C., is asking for tenders up to June 8 for a license to cut timber on a limit situated on Vancouver Island, known as Lot 623 and 624, Clayoquot district, containing 11,434 acres.

The unmarked logs from the drift drive were sold at St. John, N. B., last week. The merchantable spruce, about 47,000 feet, was purchased by Randolph & Baker at $7.20 per thousand, the cedar and pine by Murray & Gregory at $3, and the hemlock by John E. Moore at the same figure.

Under date of May 7th Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, of Barbadoes, say that considerable inroads have been made in stocks lately, and while dealers cannot be said to be bare, they think moderate arrivals of both white pine and spruce would bring fair prices. They value first arrivals of former at $25 to $26 for shippers, $20 to $21 for second quality; spruce at from $19 to $20. A lot of 158,000 Gaspe shingles, ex "Dahome", were sold at $6.10 for 100,000, the balance bringing $7.29. This latter price cannot be regarded as a criterion of value, but as shingles are still scarce, the former price could be obtained for further shipments. There have not been any arrivals of Dimension, and these would bring remunerative prices if quantities were not large. Cedar Laying are not in as great demand as former descriptions, and are valued in the vicinity of $2.15 for fair quality.

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ver, near its confluence with Lake Temiskiming, about 150,000 logs were swept into the lake, the firms interested being the E. B. Eddy Company, J. R. Booth, Rideau Lumber Company, and R.B. Klock. The logs included a considerable quantity of pulp wood. Two steamers owned by the Ottawa Improvement Company were on the lake and were of considerable assistance in collecting the logs. A similar mishap to a boom on the St. Maurice river, near the town of Three Rivers, Que., caused the liberation of 40,000 logs, most of them owned by the Laurentide Pulp Company. These will not be a total loss as the majority of them will be recovered.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., May 19th, 1904. In regard to English deals, the impression seems to have got abroad that the market is off and likely to be less firm. Reports to this effect have been in circulation in lumber selling circles for some months past. This causes a lack of confidence and an eagerness to sell on the part of many dealers that may have a tendency to force prices down. But those who are in a position to judge say that the anxiety is not well founded. While it is true that Canadian spruce will not bring the prices of last year, the falling off in price does not warrant a too pessimistic view of the future. Most of the manufacturers in this section are looking forward, not to extraordinary margins, but to a moderately brisk demand and fairly good prices.

This view of the situation is apparently justified by a marked increase in the number of enquiries and some large sales which were made for early fall delivery.

There is no long lumber of any kind available at this port and there will probably be none until July 1st as the balance of last year's outputs were entirely cleaned up over a month ago and only a few of the mills have received logs to saw. Logs will be coming along freely by the end of May, but not before the date mentioned above will there be any quantity of lumber ready to ship.

In regard to price: There is no doubt that a specification containing say 40 per cent. 7s and 8s, 40 per cent. 9s, and 20 per cent. wides, of a fair average length, would be worth in the vicinity of $12.75 per M., f.o.b. St. John, ⅔ price for fourths and ends.

Pine and hemlock are both scarce and high in price, the former particularly so. The probabilities are that very little of either will be manufactured on the St. John River this year, and even what is procurable will be chiefly American and therefore very high in price. The greater part of the pine manufactured here this year will be used locally. A quantity, not sufficiently large to be important, of hemlock boards will be available some time next month or in July. These will probably bring in the vicinity of $11 per M.

COOPERAGE STOCK.

The Sutherland Innes Company of Chatham, Ont., under date of May 18, furnish the following review of the cooperage stock market:

The season for the production of cooperage stock for placing on the market has been a very backward one this year, and very little of this year's manufacture has, so far, been placed on the market, especially in staves. The weather has been unfavorable up till recently, but now that the weather is getting better it is expected that the coopers will be able to get sufficient stock to keep them running instead of having to lie idle a great part of the time, as they have had to do for the last six months. The stocks at the mills this year vary greatly. At some points good stocks have been put in, while in the northern districts the stocks put in are very light on account of the snow being too deep to do the lumbering satisfactorily.

The supply at the present time is away below the demand, but it is expected, with favorable weather, that this will be rectified in a short time. It is doubtful however if there will be enough stock to go around this year especially if there is a good apple crop, and at the present time reports are that the trees have come through the winter in first-class shape with the exception of Ontario apples, which have been killed to some extent—and a large apple crop is looked for.

The manufacturers of cooperage stock are determined this year that if there is anything like favorable weather during the summer for trucking, they will strain every nerve to get in a supply of logs, so as to be able to furnish all the apple barrel stock required. Prices will be very high on stock made from logs that have been tucked in, as this is a very expensive way of lumbering. The millers, farmers, etc., who contract early are we think, in good shape, and will have an adequate supply of material this year.

The following are the present prices for stock f.o.b. cars Toronto: No 1, 30 in. elm staves, $10.80 net m: No 1, 5 ½ ft. elm hoops $10.00; No. 1, 6 ft. elm hoops $10.50; No. 1, 17 ⅛ in. heading, 8.35 per 100 sett, 12 in. head liners 60 cents net M.

Apple barrel stock.—Millrun 30 in. elm staves, $9.80 net m.; No. 2, 30 in. elm staves, $8.30 net M.; M. R. 17 ⅛ in heading 7 cents per sett. Hoops and liners as above.

We do not anticipate any appreciable change in prices for some little time, the principal trouble being to supply the demand.

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The planing mill of the Ladysmith Lumber Co., Ladysmith, B.C., was destroyed by fire last week.

The saw mills of Price Bros. and the saw and flour mills of H. Petit, M.P.P., at Bryon Bay, 15 miles from Chicoutimi, Que., were destroyed by fire on the 16th inst.

A. F. Bury Austin, wholesale lumber and timber merchant, Montreal, has moved from the Merchants' Bank Building to more commodious offices in the Bank of Ottawa Building, 224 St. James street.

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THE NEW BRUNSWICK DRIVES.

Reports from New Brunswick on May 19th stated that the water in the river was falling rapidly, and that between 40,000,000 and 50,000,000 feet of logs would be hung up unless rain should come very soon. Edgecomb's drive of 2,500,000 feet on Smoky river is making slow progress and it is thought that about half will be hung up. The Kilburn drive for W. H. Murray has not yet reached safe water. He has 6,000,000 feet on the north-west branch of the St. John river. It is reported that Robert Aiken's drive on the Aroostook river is very uncertain.

Thomas Crockett finished driving operations on Blue river several days ago, but he was obliged to abandon a portion of this drive. Morrison Bros. also found it necessary to abandon about 2,000,000 feet.

W. J. Scott, of the Scott Lumber Company, returned last week to Fredericton from a visit to the scene of operations in Quebec. He reported that the drive on little black river had reached safe water, and that the Wild Cat drive was out with the exception of 500,000 feet which were left on the landing.

Randolph and Baker's drive on the Chememsecook river is in difficulties. The contractors let the drive, and their own men, who were hired by a representative of the firm, left in the night a short time afterwards.

The Bartholomew river drive belonging to the Gibson Company is in safe water, and it is quite probable that the Miramichi drive will get into the booms safely. The Dungarvon and Renous River drives have been in safe waters for several days.

The corporation drive on the South-west Miramichi will amount to from 28,000,000 to 30,000,000. Michael Welch leaves about 1,000,000 on the south branch of the Miramichi on account of market being so low. He says that it is cheaper to keep it than to drive it now. Mr. Lynch will also leave about the same amount at the Little South West Lake for the same reason.

The 35,000,000 logs cut on St. Croix waters during the past winter are nearly all in the water and the drives are well under way. The cut is an average one. The first drive is expected to arrive at the Milltown booms this week, when sawing operations will be on in full blast. Murchie & Sons and F. H. Todd & Sons have ample supplies to keep their mills going until the drives come in, their logs having been brought to the mills by rail, but Eaton & Sons have only a sufficient supply to keep two of their mills running part time and will not start the third mill until the new logs arrive.

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The saw-mill of Papineau Bros., at St. George, Man., was burned on May 16th. The loss is $10,000, there being no insurance.

The saw and shingle mill of W. H. Kennedy at Omemee, Ont., together with the stock of lumber and shingles, was destroyed by fire on the 5th inst. The loss is about $4,500.

The large saw-mill of Andrew Haslam, at Nanaimo, B. C., was totally destroyed by fire last week. The mill was equipped with expensive machinery and the loss will be upwards of $100,000.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

The Department of the Interior, Ottawa, is asking for tenders up to June 8th next, for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1,166, comprising 60 square miles to be selected in not more than 16 blocks around Sturgeon Bay of Lake Winnipeg, on Dauphin river; also up to June 15th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1,167, situate in the district of Saskatchewan, in the vicinity of Fox Plain, and comprising 20 square miles to be selected within a prescribed area.

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No. 2	35 45	1x8	23 24
No. 3	30 35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48 52	1x10	23 20
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40	1x8	20 22
Stained saps	32 40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 45
Bracket plank	35 45	" " 2 inch	40 47
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40	Dressing	26 27
Dressing boards, narrow	26 28	Common	25
1x10 inch shippers	21 22		

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 30

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine ex. XXXX	$4 50 $4 75	Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25 5 5
Clear but	3 50 3 75	Hemlock	2 25
Smoot x18	4 50 4 75	Spruce	2 25

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	80 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	31 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up.	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00 36 00	2½ to 4 in.	44 00 46 00
1¼ to 2 in	40 00 42 00	Strips	23 00 25 00
		Com. and culls	18 00 20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00 34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00 18 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00 39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00 27 00
		Com. & good culls	13 00 15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00 29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00 26 00
Common and culls	16 00 18 00	Common and culls	16 00 18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd,	34 00	1st & 2nd, soft	30 00
Common and culls	14 00	Common and culls	14 00

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ANGUS McDONALD, Assignee.
Alexandria, May 14, 1904.

Province of Quebec.

Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries.

Woods and Forests.

Quebec, 21st May, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that, conformably to sections 1334, 1335 and 1336 of the consolidated statutes of the Province of Quebec, the timber limits hereinafter mentioned, at their estimated area, more or less, and in their present state, will be offered for sale at public auction, in the Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, in this city, on WEDNESDAY, 22ND DAY OF JUNE next, at TEN o'clock A.M.

UPPER OTTAWA.

	Area in Square Miles.
Block A, Range 3, No. 11	50
" " " 13	25
" " " 15	18
" " " 16	15½
" " " 17	27
" " " 18	35
" " " 19	27½
" " " 20	22
Range 4, Nos. 10 to 14, each	50
" ½ north of 15	25
" ½ south of 16	25
" 17 to 19 each	50
" ½ north of 20	23
" ½ south of 20	27½
Range 5, Nos. 9 to 23, each	50
Range 6, Nos. 9 to 23 each	50
Grand Lake Victoria, 612a	4
River Ottawa, 603a	2
" " 604a	6½
River du Lievre, N.W. branch, No. 7	50
" " No. 8	50

SAINT MAURICE.

Manouan 1, north	50
Manouan 2, north	24
Manouan 3, north	35
Manouan 1, south	50
Manouan 2, south	50
Manouan 3, south	45
Manouan 8, south	30
Manouan 9, south	21
Bostonnais Island	7½
Bostonnais 4, north	40
Upper Saint Maurice, 6 to 14 each	50
" 15	60
" 16	38
" 17 to 27 each	50
" 28	62
" 29	35
" 30	30
" 31 to 43 each	50
" 44	49
" 45	50
" 46	50
Rear Trenche, 4 East	49
" 5 "	65
" 6 "	50
River Croche A	40
" B	34¾
" C	50
" D	37½
" E	41

SAINT CHARLES

River a Mars, 1	20
River du Moulin, 4	12
Rivers aux Ecorces et au Canot	39
River aux Ecorces, 5	29
" 6	41½
River au Canot, 1	26
Grande Pikauba, 2	38½
" 3	38¾
River Sainte Anne Beaupre, 1	28
" " 2	27
" " 3	37

LAKE SAINT JOHN CENTRE.

River Ouiatchouan, 141	19½
" 142	25

LAKE SAINT JOHN WEST.

River au Saumon 1	46
" 2	49
" 3	41½
" 4	68
" 5	91⅓

SAGUENAY.

Township Callieres	15
Rear Township Callieres	18
River Malbaie 10	60
" 11	57
" 12	54
" 13	49
" 14	28
" 16	32
" 17	37
Saguenay West 1a	10
Part of Saguenay 3 and 4 West	49
River Manicouagan, 7 to 28, each	50
Bergeronnes 1 East	25
River Sainte Marguerite 87	38
Petites Bergeronnes 86a	20
River aux Outardes 2	49
" 3	45
" 4	63
" 5	50
" 6	70
" 7 to 13, each	50
Sault au Cochon, 1 East	30
" 2 "	36
" 3 "	41
" 4 "	33
" 4a "	39
" 5 "	40
" 5a "	39
" 6 "	60
" 7 "	55
" 8 "	46
" 9 "	65
" 10 "	68
" 2 West	55
" 3 "	50
" 4 "	33
" 5 "	38
" 6 "	60
" 7 "	64
River Godbout, No. 1 E (township de Monts)	50
" No. 2 E	25
" No. 3 E	21
River Moisie, 1	25
" 2	25
River Saint-Jean, A	28
" B	40
River Magpie, A	52
" B	42
River au Saumon, 2	41
" 3	74
Rivers Chambers and au Saumon	77
River Natashquan, 1 to 4, each	50

BONAVENTURE WEST.

Township Nouvelle, range 9	2½
" ranges 10 and Centre.	5⅞
Township Milnikek	60½
" Maria	5¾
River Andre, West Br., No. 2	3⅜
River Grand Cascapedia No. 7	30
" Salmon river Branch 2	50
" " 3	35
" " 4	15
" " 5	18

RIMOUSKI WEST.

Township Macqes, range B	2 2/5
" " ranges 3 to 5	1
" " ranges 6 to 9	6

MATAPEDIA VALLEY.

Township Cabot No. 3	5⅞

GRANDVILLE.

Township Chabot, range 1, No. 3	6 1/5
" " " No. 4	6 5/8
Township Parke, No. 4	4½

GASPE WEST.

River Cap Chat, 1	47½
" " 2	45
River Saint Anne, A	50
" " B	45½
" " C	52½
" " D	48
" " E	43¼

GASPE CENTRE.

Sydenham West	20
" East	40
Cap Rosier	3½
Upper Rivers York and Magdalen	483
Township Fox, 5	18

GASPE EAST.

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No limit will be adjudged at less than the minimum price fixed by the department.

The limits will be adjudged to the highest bidder on payment of the purchase price, in cash or by cheque accepted by a duly incorporated bank. Failing payment, they will be immediately re-offered for sale.

The annual ground rent of three dollars per mile, with fire tax, is also payable immediately.

Those timber limits, when adjudged, will be subject to the provisions of all timber regulations now in force or which may be enacted hereafter.

Plans of limits offered for sale are opened for inspection in the Department of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, in this city, and at the office of the Crown lands and timber agents in the different agencies in which said limits are situated, up to the day of sale.

N. B.—No account for publication of this notice will be recognized, if such publication has not been expressly authorized by the department.

S. N. PARENT,
Minister of Lands,
Mines and Fisheries.

OUR WINNIPEG OFFICE.

The publishers of this Journal have recently opened a branch office at No. 310 McIntyre Block, Winnipeg. A resident representative has been appointed who will be exclusively employed in advancing the circulation of this Journal and in keeping our readers informed regarding the latest developments throughout the west. The kind co-operation of our friends in the west is solicited in behalf of the success of this enterprise.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Under the influence of a moderate demand, the lumber market maintains a steady tone. Prospects for the future have been improved by the better outlook for the crops. The bulletin issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture calls attention to the damage to fall wheat by winter killing, but since the beginning of May the weather has been favorable for the recuperation of the crop and the latest reports indicate that many of the fields are making an encouraging recovery. A large yield of grain will likely bring about a heavy demand for lumber in the fall. Present shipments to the United States are not all that might be desired, but dealers report a very satisfactory local trade, with no signs of an early falling off. There may be a readjustment of prices after midsummer on account of the usual inactivity preceding the Presidential election across the border, but the general average is not likely to be reduced materially. Hardwoods are meeting with a ready sale. The old stock is practically cleaned out and dealers have experienced some difficulty in filling orders for certain sizes. Soft elm and birch lead in point of activity. An increased inquiry for beech is reported. One year ago this lumber was selling at $14 for log run, while sales have recently been made at $18. It has been found to be a very satisfactory substitute for certain higher-priced woods.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market is still in an unsettled condition. Some shipments are being made to the United States, but there is very little buying for the British market. The price of merchantable spruce logs is now about $9 per thousand, and that of lumber $11 per thousand. This is a decline of over $2 as compared with the prices ruling one year ago. There is practically no demand for logs at the present time, and mill men who contracted for their supply some time ago at higher prices will sustain heavy losses unless conditions improve. The financial embarrassment of a large Fredericton lumberman, referred to elsewhere, has emphasized the necessity of taking every precaution against possible loss. There are two factors, however, that are favorable to the lumber market. The first is that the stock of dry lumber carried over from last year was very small, and the second is the probability that a large percentage of the logs taken out the past winter will not reach the mills this year.

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The St. John river has fallen fully five feet from the highest level reached this spring. Estimates of the quantity of logs which may be hung up range from 30,000,000 feet to 60,000,000 feet. While there is so much uncertainty as to the log drives, there is little possibility of lumber prices going any lower, while in the natural course of events they should improve somewhat.

UNITED STATES.

The developments in the United States lumber market during the past week call for no lengthy comment. The country demand continues very slow. In some districts there is a disposition to crowd stock on buyers, with the result that prices have an easier appearance. Dealers are not buying in large lots, believing that this is the safest course to pursue until general business conditions improve. Under the influence of warm weather the crops are looking better. Corn planting has been completed and the growth is beginning to make headway. The demand for low grade pine lumber is quite up to the mark, but other grades are dull. Hardwoods are moving in moderate volume, maple, basswood and elm furnishing the most activity. The latter is scarce in the Tonawanda, Buffalo, and other eastern markets, and prices on this lumber are likely to remain very firm throughout the summer. Thick maple sells well.

The demand for shingles is only moderate. Red cedars have declined fifteen cents within the past three weeks. White pine shingles are scarce on account of the lake tie-up, which has kept prices firm. Lath is picking up as the amount of building increases.

GREAT BRITIAN.

Contracting for the future is still being conducted by British lumber merchants upon most limited lines. While there has been some improvement in the demand, there still exists a feeling that existing conditions will prevent more than a very moderate rise in prices from the present basis. Without wishing to inspire false hopes, however, it may be said that prices are not likely to go much lower. The consumption is making considerable inroads upon yard stocks, and as the quantity contracted for is exceptionally small, it is quite possible that when the dealers enter the market to replenish their stocks it will bring about an advance in prices. Representatives of Canadian spruce shippers have experienced a little more success of late in closing contracts, the prices being about £9 10s and £8 15s c.i.f. London for 3x9 inch second and third qualities. Red pine is, if anything, lower in price, sellers having in some instances offered to meet Baltic quotations.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From St. John: Schooner James L. Maloy, for Providence, 35,187 ft. plank, 25,011 ft. scantling, 570,000 laths. Schooner Lena Maud, for Quincy, 1,446,000 cedar shingles. Steamer Manchester Merchant, for Manchester, 558,334 ft. deals, 61.040 ft. scantling, 12,687 ft. ends, 110,260 ft. birch plank, 6,154 ft. birch ends, 6,600 box shooks. Steamer St. John City, for Loneon, 422,983 ft. deals, 159,610 ft. birch plank, 24,517 ft. birch ends, 838 pieces blocks.

From Halifax, N.S.: Steamer Orinoca, for West India Islands, 34,900 ft. spruce lumber, value $654; 30,622 ft. pine lumber, value $653. Steamer Sarmatian, for Glasgow, 178,579 ft. spruce deals, value $2,132; 101,488 ft. hemlock deals, value $894. Brigatine Culdoon, for Wales, 404,269 ft. spruce deals, value $4,258. Steamer Sicily, for Liverpool, 205 tons birch timber, value $1,640; 61,128 ft. birch squares, value $976; 153,805 ft. hemlock deals, value $1,379. Steamer Benedick, for Manchester, 2,278,768 ft. spruce deals, value $26,204.

From Montreal: Steam Sicilian, for Glasgow, 984 pieces deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Milwaukee, for Liverpool. 157 pieces timber, by McLaren Bros.; 11,363 pieces timber, by Cox, Long & Co.; 6,000 pieces timber, by Charlemange Lumber Co.; 13,367 pieces lumber, by W. & J. Sharples; 260 pieces lumber, by J. Kennedy & Co.; 8,148 pieces lumber, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Steamer Teutonia, for Newcastle, 1,661 pieces boards, 18,821 pieces deals and ends, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Bray Head, for Dublin, 5,704 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd; 2,167 pieces deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Canada, for Liverpool, 9,268 pieces deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 4,209 pieces deals, 7,645 pieces boards, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Montreal, for Antwerp via London, 500 pieces timber, by McLaren Bros.; 837 pieces timber, by W. & J. Sharples; 22,118 pieces timber, by McArthur Export Co.; 14,866 pieces timber, by Cox, Long & Co.; 18,333 pieces timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Marina, for Glasgow, 3,694 pieces deals, 2,446 pieces boards, 2,746 pieces ends, by J. Burstall & Co.; 1,491 pieces boards, by R. Cox & Co.; 74 pieces timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Buenos Ayrean, for Glasgow via Liverpool, 1,416 bundles lumber, by Grand Trunk Railway; 8,912 pieces deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Mexican, for Antwerp via London, 4,652 pieces deals, 11,731 pieces boards, by Watson & Todd; 817 pieces walnut lumber, 192 bundles walnut lumber, 936 pieces timber, by Grand Trunk Railway.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, May 23rd, 1904.—Until there is some relief in the way of duty, prices will not amount to much in connection with the trade with the Territories. So much lumber is being dumped into that market that it is completely demoralized, and as the Americans are selling for what it will bring in most cases, prices cannot be maintained by the British Columbia lumbermen. The American wants cash, and he considers it a snap to be able to dispose of the large surplus of rough lumber in some market other than his own. What he loses on that he makes up on the finer grades, for which there a ready demand and good prices in his own country. Then, too, the difference is made up in the middle western states, where a sufficient increase is put on rough lumber to offset the loss of disposing at a sacrifice in the Canadian Territories. What trade comes to this province is only in competition with the ruinous prices inaugurated by the manufacturers in Washington state. This is one of the reasons that the Hastings mill, the largest establishment of the B. C. Mills, Timber & Trading Company, has shut down, and more will follow very soon.

All the Boards of Trade on the Coast,assisted by many in the interior, have taken the matter up, and memorials which have been addressed to the government at Ottawa since 1896 have been supplemented, and a representative deputation will wait on the Government this week to ask for an equalization of the tariffs. Free trade they prefer, but at least an equalization. This deputation is composed of Mr. John, Hendry, president of the B. C. Mills, Timber & Trading Company, of Vancouver; Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, of Victoria, and Mr. Harry Watson, a prominent member of the Vancouver Board of Trade. They will be presented and assisted by the British Columbia members, all of whom favor the lumbermen's requests.

Mr. George McCormick, of Orillia, Ontario, one of the stockholders of the Pacific Coast Lumber Company of this city, and one of the principals in the Kamloops Lumber Company, which has recently been re-organized, was in the city last week. The reputed cause of his flying visit to the coast was to tender the payment of dues on timber on land which was to be auctioned by the Government. He had held it for a number of years, knowing that the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon railway was to go through, and would afford him transportation facilities to get the timber out, and now when the time has arrived, and the railway under course of construction, his dues are refused, and the land with the timber on it will go.

New freight schedules on lumber and shingles have been issued by the C.P.R. to the manufacturers in the Kootenay, who are organized into the Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' Association. A reduction of 2 cents per 100 pounds has been granted. As green lumber weighs about 3,000 pounds to the 1,000 feet, the reduction amounts to 60 cents per 1,000 feet on green lumber, and less on kiln dried lumber. In return for the concession, the lumbermen have agreed to sell their product for $1 per thousand less to the settlers. The reduction is 40 cents to the lumbermen per thousand.

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At a meeting of creditors held at St. John on May 27th, a statement of his affairs showed liabilities of $135,000 and assets of $105,000. The largest creditors are said to be John E Moore, George McKean, The Peoples Bank of New Brunswick, and the Provincial Government, the latter having a claim of $12,000 for stumpage dues. Mr Estey took out last winter over 10,000,000 feet of logs, of which 4,000,000 were sold at $11 per thousand feet.

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2x4, 6 and 8 common	16 50	17 50	
2x10 common	18 50	19 00	
2x12 common	21 00	22 00	
3x10 common	19 00	20 00	
3x12 common	21 00	22 00	
1x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00	
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50	
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00	
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00	
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00	
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00	
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00	
1 inch siding mill culls	13 00	14 00	
Cull scantling		12 00	
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00	
1 1-2 inch flooring		21 00	
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50	
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 40	
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 90	
1⅜ in. No. 1 Norway lath		3 10	
X white pine shingles		1 15	
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25	
XXX white pine shingles		3 15	
B. C. Shingles			
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		2 95	
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 15	
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 50	
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..		2 30	
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.			
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 55	

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Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$32 00	$35 00	
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 1 to 1½ in	27 00	29 00	
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 2 to 4 in	28 00	31 00	
Ash M R., 1 to 2	22 00	24 00	
Birch M. R. 1 in.	22 00	23 00	
" 1½ "	23 00	24 00	
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	26 00	27 00	
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	26 00	28 00	
Basswood, 1½ to 2	28	30 00	
Basswood, M. R. 1	1¼ 24 00	25 00	
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1⅛ 60 00	70 00	
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4.. 65 00	75 00	
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 22 00	24 00	
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3.. 23 00	25 00	
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	25 00	27 00	
Elm rock, mill run 1½"	3.. 27 00	30 00	
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2.. 36 00	38 00	
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½ 22 00	24 00	
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4.. 25 00	27 00	
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 38 00	40 00	
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4.. 41 00	43 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 37 00	39 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4.. 40 00	42 00	
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	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	48	55
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 21 inch average " "	60	69
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average " " & size	60	66

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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	50	55
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	43	48

ASH.

4 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
To average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

	20	22
	28	

OTTAWA, ONT.

MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00
Pine good strips: 1 in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16	19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00	14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00	14 00
1x1 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

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UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00		
1¼ 1½ and 2 in	79 00		
2½ and 3 in.	83 00		
4 in	9 00		
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00		
1¼, 1½ and in	70 00		
2½ and 3 in	79 00		
4 in	83 00		

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in	58 00	4 in	78 00
2in	59 00		

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1in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in	68 00
2in	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

		No. 2 White Pine	700

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	60	63	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	52	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	
1x12 inch shippers	$24	25	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	92		
4/4 Box boards 6" and up		15	
10-in. dressing and better	30	32	
12-in. dressing and better	40	45	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	24	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	22	
1x10	23	20	
1x8	20	22	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	45	
" " 2 inch	40	47	
Dressing	26	27	
Common		25	

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 50

SHINGLES.

awed Pin ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	
Clear bu	3 50	3 75	
Smoot x18	4 50	4 75	
Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25	5 53	
Hemlock		2 25	
Spruce		2 25	

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	80 00		
2½ and 3 in.	85 00		
4 in.	85 00		
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00		
2½ and 3 in.	78 00		
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00		
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00		
2 in	61 00		
3 in.	73 00		
4 in	75 00		
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00		
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00		
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00		
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00		
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00		
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		
1½x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		
2 in		36 00	
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		40 00	
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in		48 00	
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.		35 00	
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		31 00	
6, 8 and 10 in		26 00	
No. 2, 10 in.		23 00	
No. 2, 12 in.		26 00	
No. 3, 10 in.		20 00	
No. 3, 12 in.		22 50	
Box, 1 x 4		17 00	
1 x 6 & up		19 00	
1x10		19 50	
1x12		20 00	
1x13 and up		22 00	
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.		19 00	
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		16 00	

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	34 00	36 00	
1¼ to 2 in	40 00	42 00	
2½ to 4 in.	44 00	46 00	
Strips	23 00	25 00	
Com. and culls	18 00	20 00	

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	
Com. & good culls		16 00	18 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	
1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,		25 00	27 00
Com. & good culls		13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	
Common and culls		18 00	
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up		24 00	26 00
Common and culls		16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard		24 00	
1st & 2nd soft			20 00
Common and culls			12 00

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ANGUS McDONALD, Assignee.
Alexandria, May 14, 1904.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The past week's movement of lumber has been rather disappointing. There has been little evidence of an expansion in the demand, and while the conditions do not justify a pessimistic view of the future, it is believed that the volume of the year's business will compare unfavorably with that of last year. The percentage of the mill production placed under contract is considerably smaller than at the corresponding time one year ago. The lower grades of pine continue quite firm, but on the higher grades the manu-

facturers are said to be occasionally offering slight concessions to buyers. This is probably in sympathy with the trend of the Tnited States market, as eastern dealers contend that they can purchase to better advantage in the Lake Superior district than at the Ontario mills. The local consumption, however, is now and promises to be an important factor in the demand. Hemlock lumber and timber meets with ready sale; and on this class of stock there has been no shading of prices. For 2-inch hemlock, 4 to 10 inches wide and 10 to 16 feet in length,the average price at the mill is $12.50. Lath, with the exception of No. 1 4-foot pine, are slightly weaker, although prices are not quotably changed. Shingles are about holding their own, but with some difficulty.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber has been affected somewhat by the rainy weather during the past week, but still the demand locally and for export to the Eastern States has been fair. There is no material change in quotations. The outlook for clapboards is bright and price changes during the summer months are likely to be in the direction of an advance. Lath prices are still weak, but as the production promises to be light a recovery sooner or later seems assured. Extras and clears in cedar shingles are in good demand, while the lower grades are quiet.

Reports from the drives are more encouraging than last week. Of a total cut of between sixty and seventy millions on the Miramichi river, about eight millions are likely to be hung up. The quantity of stranded logs on the St. John river is now estimated at forty millions. Kilburn's drive of twelve millions for Murray & Gregory, McAllister's drive of ten millions for Cushing & Company, and Cunliffe's drive of fifteen millions for W. H. Murray, are all reported in "safe" waters. It is estimated that there is in the vicinity of ninety million feet of logs in the booms at Douglas and Lincoln.

UNITED STATES.

There has not been a great deal of activity in lumber circles during the past week, but sufficient buying has been done to hold prices firm. The stocks carried by dealers are considerably lighter than one year ago, as the fear of a quiet summer, partly on account of the forthcoming presidential election, has caused buyers to pursue a conservative policy. Retail dealers in the Eastern States are simply buying for requirements. There does not seem to be any pressure to sell, however. The common grades are held very firmly. It is estimated that eighty-five per cent. of the box lumber to be manufactured in the vicinity of Ashland, Wis., this season, has already been sold. No. 4 boards are held at $12 and No. 5 at $6.50 to $7.50. Norway pine, which has been weak for some time, is slowly recovering and the price is now within fifty cents of that which ruled last fall. The hardwood demand has not improved as was expected. Sales are only moderate, while the quantity of stock offered by the mills is increasing, and at some points prices are said to be a little easier. Plain sawed oak is now in more urgent request than quartered sawed stock. Birch is in steady request for interior finish. There is a better tone to lath and shingles. The former are now selling readily at Duluth at $2.60 for No.1, and $2.10 for No. 2. At Boston lath are selling at $3.10 for 1½ inch, and $3.25 for 1⅝ inch.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Any change in the British lumber market seems to havebeen in the direction of an improvement. The opinion is gaining ground that the bottom has been touched in the matter of price, and dealers are showing more disposition to purchase stock for contracts entered into some time ago. They recognize that a costly mistake may be made by neglecting to purchase the necessary supplies at the present low figures. The comsumption of lumber also is more active, building operations in the London district and suburbs being on quite a liberal scale. The Timber News reports the purchase of a quantity of first quality broad pine deals at between £34 and £35 per standard c. i. f. London, and some 11 inch at $31, all wintered deals, also a quantity of this seasons's production at practically the same figures. The second and third qualitiee are moving very slowly. Pine shorts and ends are in light stock, and there is but a small supply of 3 x 7-10 inch in the first and second qualities. There has been some contracting of late for spruce deals, but a number of the largest dealers have not yet arranged for their requirements. Prices are about £8 15s per standard for best quality Quebec spruce.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The contract for the supply of lumber for the city of Winnipeg has been awarded to D. E. Sprague.

Up to the close of last week 74,700 saw logs had this season been delivered at the mouth of the Gatineau river.

The city of Victoria, B. C., recently received tenders for supply of paving blocks, the quotations being $19.75 and $16.66 per thousand for two sizes.

Morris S. M. Long, wholesale lumber dealer, Hamilton, Ont., is supplying the hemlock lumber for a large foundry being erected in Port Colborne.

The first cargo of cedar shingles cut by Alexander Gibson, Marysville, N. B., this season reached St. John last week. The cut of this mill is handled exclusively by J. Willard Smith, of St. John.

The Moulthrop Lumber Company, John's Island, Ont., will cut about 20,000,000 feet of lumber this season, in addition to 5,000,000 feet which will be cut at Thessalon. A portion of this has been sold.

The Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway Commission are asking for tenders up to June 17th for the delivery of 75,000 ties at points on the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario railway approved of by the chief engineer. Tenders are to be addressed to P. E. Ryan, secretary-treasurer, Toronto.

Under date of May 21st, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company refer to the Barbadoes market as follows: "Arrivals during the fortnight have been the Coronia from Shelburne, N. S., with 64,000 feet white pine, 17,000 feet hemlock, and 4,000 feet spruce, and the Catherine from Meteghan with 230,000 feet spruce The cargo of the latter has been sold locally at $20.60 for merchantable and $17 for second quality. Stocks of white pine have been greatly reduced, and we value next arrival at $26 for shippers and $21 for second quality. The Ocamo, on 12th inst., brought 74,000 Gaspe shingles, and the market for these being extremely bare, they were sold at $7.31 per thousand. Should no large arrivals take place, these prices would probably be maintained, but as soon as any appreciable quantity is available, we are sure that values will decline to about $6. Dimension are also much wanted and would realize excellent prices. Cedar Laying are not in any great demand, and we only value these from $2.15 to $2.20 according to quality."

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From Halifax, N. S.: Steamer Florence, for London, 225,072 ft. hemlock deals, value $1,896; 291 pieces hardwood sleepers, value $63.

From St. John, N.B.: Steamer Kronborg, for Brow Head, 2,603,920 ft. deals, 187,254 ft. scantling, 152,055 ft. ends, 214,497 ft. boards. Schooner Seabird, for Loubet, 170,000 shingles, 383,663 ft. deals and scantling, 20,131 ft. pine boards. Schooner Georgia E., for Boston, 12,222 ft. plank, 9,738 ft. scantling. Schooner Walter Miller, for City Island, 164,414 ft. deals. Steamer Dora, for Glasgow and Ayr, 1,756,606 ft. deals, 29, 906 ft. scantling, 34,945 ft. ends. Schooner Frank

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From Parrsboro, N.S.: Steamer Pontiac, for Manchester, 2,191,719 ft. deals, value $27,391; 200,466 ft. battens, value $2,756; 765,879 ft. scantling, value $7,659; 95,770 ft. ends, value $798, by M. L. Tucker for W. M. Mackay. Steamer Ovidia, for Manchester, 2,736,994 ft. deals and boards, value $32,843; 176,373 ft. scantling, value $1,763; 50,008 ft. ends, value $400, by N. C. Nordly for George McKean.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN)

OTTAWA, June 2, 1904.—The future of the lumber trade as far as the Ottawa district is concerned is problematic. True, prices are firm with no likelihood of receding, but just at present business is slow. Some of the firms admit this, and the railways corroborate their statements. Discussing the situation, a railway official said to-day, "The Canadians seem to be losing their grip on the New England market. We are shipping very little into that quarter. The southern woods seem to have driven the Canadian pine out. Our spruce alone seems to be holding its own in the New England market."

Prices in Ottawa show no change from the figures of the past few weeks. All is activity about the mills, at which there seems to be a plentitude of logs. The river is literally floored with last season's stock, of which there will be sufficient to keep the saws going until the new drives come down. The high water in the river interfered with shipping at the Hull docks, delayed the commencement of operations at the Edwards mill at Rockland, and also caused a suspension of operations at the Perley mill at Calumet.

According to some official reports the cut of square timber in the Georgian Bay, Ottawa, and Nipissing districts last winter was considerably in excess of that of previous years. In all about 2,500,000 feet of square timber was cut, as against 2,000,000 feet the season previous. While several firms, including Shepard & Morse, Rideau Lumber Company and the late Robert Hurdman, dropped out of this branch of the business last winter, other firms took it up, cutting principally in the Georgian Bay and Nipissing districts, and partly on the territory that was sold by the Ontario Government last December.

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., June 2nd, 1904.---The market for short lumber is just at present somewhat depressed. The late slump in the price of laths has not been recovered, and it is altogether probable that there will be no change until the large arrivals of the past month have been worked off the Boston and New York markets.

Laths of all kinds, and especially American, are scarce in this vicinity, the wharves being practically bare. A few manufacturers had sold out their season's cut before the drop came.

Taking it altogether, there will not be as many laths manufactured in these parts by 25 per cent. as was the case last year, as the mills are six weeks late in starting and most of the logs are smaller than usual, which latter will cause a scarcity of lath wood. At present there is not more than one million laths available in this county, and these are divided among several mills. These could probably be bought at from $1.90 to $2.00 per M., f.o.b. St. John, for American, and from $1.65 to $1.75 for Provincial.

Shingles: No spruce shingles are at present available. There may be a few later in the season, but the amount will not be important. The demand for the higher grades of cedar shingles is moderately brisk in the U.S. market. Clears are especially in demand, and the manufacturers here are having some difficulty in filling orders for this quality. Extras, too, are easily disposed of, but as there are more of these manufactured than there are of Clears, the stocks increase more rapidly. The call for lower grades is not at all brisk, but this is to be expected, as it has been the case for several years past. Most of these lower grades are disposed of locally at a good figure.

American shingles will be scarcer here than for many years, as in the vicinity of 75 per cent. of the cedar about to be sawn was cut in Quebec and New Brunswick.

There is practically no change in prices, and those mentioned last month will still apply. In regard to the future the manufacturers are not looking for any change of importance. The feeling seems to be that shingles will not be any lower, but, this being a presidential election year, no great stimulation of trade can be looked for.

Clapboards: There are no clapboards to be bought in this vicinity at present. The outlook is that they will be very scarce, and the price will, if there be a change, be higher.

A market that is attracting considerable attention from the manufacturers here just now is that for refuse lumber in the Eastern States, particularly in Boston and vicinity. The demand has steadily increased during the last few seasons, and has been briskly resumed this year. Formerly the lumbermen were glad to get rid of their refuse at any price, but, owing to the demand spoken off, it has steadily increased in value, and it is to-day so scarce that it is difficult to buy even a small lot. American refuse deals can be easily disposed of at $5.00 per M. f.o.b. St. John, and scantling and boards at $6.00 per M.

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McArthur Bros	75,000	"
Mason & Gordon	75,000	"
Graham & Ferguson	80,000	"
George Gordon Company	175,000	"
Booth & Shannon	40,000	"

There are several smaller concerns not in the above list that go to make up the balance. While the above figures may not be absolutely correct, they are generally accepted as being fairly accurate.

Mr. H. K. Egan, of the Hawkesbury Lumber Company, has just returned from a trip over the limits in the Temiskaming country which his firm purchased from the Ontario government at the December sale. Mr. Egan states that he is thoroughly well pleased with the quantity and quality of pine on his firm's new property. It is drained by the Jocko river.

Mr. Wm. Mackie, M.P., also returned from a similar trip. While he declined to speak at length Mr. Mackie admitted that he was satisfied with "the goods."

The Ontario Lumber Company has purchased and is running the Malloch saw mill at Sandy Hook on the Ottawa.

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2 in	38 00 40 00
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1 to 2 in	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	48	52	1x10	23	20
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4 in	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in	58 00	No. 2, 12 in	26 00
2 in	61 00	No. 3, 10 in	20 00
3 in	73 00	No. 3, 12 in	22 50
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 00
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1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in	24 00	1x12	20 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

We must confess to some disappointment with the volume of the lumber demand. Up to the present time the activity which was predicted a month or six weeks ago has not materialized, and midsummer is not usually the time when there is an expansion in business. While the consumption of lumber is moderately active, there is a pronounced disposition on the part of buyers to pursue a conservative policy. Two gentlemen with whom the writer conversed expressed similar views, namely, that they porposed reducing their stocks and would purchase only for requirements. With this attitude so well defined, it is unreasonable to expect much

improvement in trade. If commercial conditions in the United States should show signs of improving, however, it would no doubt give an impetus to the lumber market.

Dry stocks of white pine are nearly exhausted, but the buying of the new cut has not been nearly so vigorous as one year ago, when dealers showed eagerness to acquire stocks. Holders are not receiving many offers for their stocks, and it is not uncommon to meet a person who is of the opinion that the tendency of white pine prices for the next three months will be downward. With this view we are not fully in accord, although we anticipate that there may be some pressure on certain grades. The demand for box material is not as urgent as in the early spring. Some weakness has been displayed by red pine, and it is feared that manufacturers who are compelled to realize this spring will sustain a loss, as the cost of production was heavy.

The hardwood market is about steady. Birch is moderately active at firm prices and thick maple is wanted. Lath are showing more life as the result of building operations.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There has been no material improvement in the spruce lumber market since last writing. Shipments to the United States are more active than last month and considerable exports from Montreal to Great Britain have been made since the opening of navigation. Prices, however, are very low when compared with the cost of production, and under present conditions it is very difficult to effect sales which will show a profit. The South American demand is in a very healthy condition and several Nova Scotian manufacturers have sold a large quantity of lumber for that market. Many of the mills in the province of Quebec have not yet resumed operations, owing to the non-arrival of logs. The water in the St. Maurice river is so high, and the strength of the current so great, that it was considered advisable to hold the logs in the tributaries until there is less danger of the booms being broken away. The sawing season, therefore, will be short, which will have a strengthening effect upon lumber prices.

UNITED STATES.

The white pine trade are awaiting with considerable interest the result of the meeting of the price list committee of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermens' Association to be held this week, as statistics will probably be given out showing the quantity of dry lumber on hand and a forecast made of the probable production. The opinion seems to be gaining ground that the lumber market is weaker. There is no doubt that the manufacturers of southern pine are putting forth greater efforts to secure orders and that there is some accumulation of stock at mills. This statement will apply in a lesser degree to white pine. There is an entire absence of speculative demand, orders being confined exclusively to actual requirements. In the Saginaw Valley Nos. 3 and 4 common lumber are scarce and firm, but other grades are slow. There is still a heavy call for box lumber. The arrivals at Tonawanda in the first five days of this month amounted to 16,685,000 feet, or 5,000,000 feet more than was received in the corresponding days last year. This supply was very acceptable, for pine dealers have found difficulty in filling order owing to the depleted condition of their yards.

Norway pine is meeting with keen competition from yellow pine and hemlock, and in the matter of price the advantage is with the buyer.

The demand for hardwoods is by no means urgent; in fact, it is rather disappointing. Furniture factories are curtailing their output, which is in turn reducing the amount of lumber required for that purpose. Birch is probably the best seller among the northern hardwoods. Thick maple is wanted at Buffalo, and there is a fair demand for elm, which is in light demand.

GREAT BRITIAN.

Buyers of lumber in Great Britian are willing to admit that conditions do not warrant much lower prices. The market has been declining for about a year and prices now asked for lumber look cheap as compared with those ruling in the summer of 1903. It is claimed that last year's prices were in some instances artificial and did not represent the actual value of the lumber, and that for this reason the high prices are not likely to be duplicated in the near future. This, it is quite evident, is the view held by many consumers who expect to be able to purchase their requirements around the prevailing prices. There has been considerable buying at the recent public sales, as dealers have learned that it is possible to obtain bargains. The buying, however, is often at the expense of private business. The better grades of pine deals are held in strong hands, and although sales are difficult, prices are not likely to weaken very much. This cannot be said of spruce, which is offered freely at lower prices. The arrivals at Liverpool during the month of May were 4,840 standards from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, against 2,840 standards in the corresponding month of 1903. Second Quebec deals are said to be quoted at £9 5s., and thirds at £8 15s. per standard c.i.f. London, which represents a decline of about 10s. as compared with one month ago. At a recent public sale third quality deals brought only £9, so that no profit is shown in buying at the figures now asked. Waney pine and elm have hardened slightly in price, but Canadian oak is inclined to heaviness, as, owing to the limited quantity obtainable, the market for it is very narrow.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The boom at Des Joachims, above Pembroke, burst on June 8th, letting loose about 1,000,000 logs.

A statement of the exports from St. John, N.B., during the past winter port season shows that there were exported to the United Kingdom 24,681,677 feet of deals, boards, etc.

The steamer Marselisburg sailed from St. John, N.B., last week, for Brow Head for orders, with 1,430 standards of deals. The Henric Horn sailed from Musquash, N.B., for Garston, with lumber.

E. B. Lloyd, Crown Timber Agent, New Liskeard, Ont., writes that lumbering operations are being carried on successfully in that district. The drives are all out, no logs being hung up. He estimates that the timber taken out by the settlers the past winter will be worth $200,000. It is chiefly spruce, pine, cedar and tamarac.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., June 6, 1904.—Every mill man is anxiously awaiting the announcement of the government in regard to the matter of duty placed before it last Saturday by the deputation at Ottawa. Those who appeared before Sir Wilfred Laurier and the members of his cabinet present were: Their Worships Mayor McGuigan, of Vancouver, and Mayor Keary, of New Westminster; J. G. Scott, manager of the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, Vancouver; John Hendry, president of the B.C. Mills, Timber and Trading Company, Vancouver and New Westminster; and W. C. Wells, formerly Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and who owns large mills at Palliser.

With the Hastings mill closed down, the Chemainus mill contemplating, and others with the step in view, the depression is beginning to be felt. Prices have not been as firm as the manufacturer would wish, owing to the attempt to secure what business there has been in the Territories, which has been cut up by reduced imported lumber.

Loggers, too, are contemplating a close-down of their camps. A meeting has been called of all those operating along the coast for the 16th of the present month to consider this step. Camps have shut down in Washington state, though local loggers are shipping some logs across the line. Besides, nearly all the big mills in Vancouver operate their own camps, which makes a difference to those engaged in supplying. The millmen have warned the loggers that unless a material

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Ontario men are coming to the front in lumbering enterprises in British Columbia, and investing heavily. Last week William Irwin and Alex. Hamilton were in town from Peterboro. Mr. Irwin is a large stockholder in the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, of this city, which is, in fact, composed mostly of Ontario capital, and also in the Kamloops Sawmill Company. This latter company is composed of about the same people as the Okanagan Lumber Company, and the two concerns practically control the trade in the near interior. These are the companies in which George McCormick, M.P., is interested, and it is stated he is about to move his family westward. W. R. Beatty, who formerly represented Parry Sound, is manager of the new mill of the Arrowhead Lumber Company at Arrowhead, and is also one of the directors of the Okanagan Lumber Company. Peter Ryan, of Toronto, is another one with investments in this province.

Other eastern men coming west are those from Minnesota and Wisconsin. Mr. Merrill, of the latter state, has large holdings of choice timber, and Otis Staples, of Stillwater, is now building a mill at Cranbrook, the centre of a very prosperous district. J. P. McGoldrick and associates, of Minneapolis, have in contemplation a large mill at Nelson.

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1x10 No. 2 "		
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 6
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65	2 00

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00		
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	79 00		
2½ and 3 in.	83 00		
4 in.	9 00		
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00		
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00		
2½ and 3 in.	79 00		
4 in.	83 00		

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1½ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	23
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 25	No. 2 White Pine	2 75
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	60	63	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	52	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	
1x12 inch shippers	$24	25	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		92	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up		15	
10-in. dressing and better	30	32	
12-in. dressing and better	40	45	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	24	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	22	
1x10	23	20	
1x8	20	22	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	45	
" " 2 inch	40	47	
Dressing	26	27	
Common		25	

LATH.

Pine	$3 15	Spruce	$3 50

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	
Clear but 1	3 50	3 75	
Smoot x18	4 50	4 75	
Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25	5 53	
Hemlock		2 25	
Spruce		2 25	

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	80 00		
2½ and 3 in.	85 00		
4 in.	85 00		
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	70 00		
2½ and 3 in.	78 00		
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00		
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00		
2 in.	61 00		
3 in.	73 00		
4 in.	75 00		
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00		
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00		
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00		
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00		
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00		
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		
2 in		36 00	
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		40 00	
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in		48 00	
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.		35 00	
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		3 00	
6, 8 and 10 in		26 00	
No. 2, 10 in.		23 00	
No. 2, 12 in.		26 00	
No. 3, 10 in.		20 00	
No. 3, 12 in.		22 50	
Box, 1x4		17 00	
1x6 & up		19 00	
1x10		19 50	
1x12		20 00	
1x13 and up		22 00	
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.		19 00	
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		16 00	

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch, 1¼ to 2 in	34 00	36 00	
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Com. and culls		18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	
Com. & good culls		16 00	8 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	
1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,		25 00	27 00
Com. & good culls		13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in &up	27 00	29 00	
Common and culls	17 00	18 00	
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,		24 00	26 00
Common and culls		16 00	18 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	22 00	24 00	
Common and culls	14 00	15 00	
1st &2nd, soft		20 00	21 00
Common and culls		12 00	13 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The shipment of lumber by both rail and vessel is quite active, but orders for future delivery are not being placed with as much freedom as earlier in the season. It cannot be that retail dealers have replenished their stocks to any extent, as the consumption during the past two months at least must have absorbed as much lumber as was purchased. It is probable that, in anticipation of a quiet summer, dealers are postponing the buying of stock until the early fall, feeling reasonably certain that there will be no important advance in prices. There is a rather easy tone to the common and upper grades of white pine, while box and other low grade stock continue firm. In Toronto a considerable quantity of finishing and flooring lumber is being sold, as many of the buildings commenced in the early spring are reaching a finished condition. Some hardwood manufacturers are showing a little anxiety to move stocks, while others, and the majority, are exhibiting a feeling of confidence and refusing to make concessions to buyers. Mill run soft elm is held at the mill at $23 to $24, with bass-

wood about $1 higher. Birch, which is a good seller, is worth from $21 to $22.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Square timber is said to be showing some weakness, although we have been unable to learn of any sales at prices much below those we are quoting. Owing to the high cost of production, buyers who are unable to obtain a fair price will hold their timber until next year. There is a fairly active demand for waney timber. The spruce lumber market shows no signs of recovery. Some of the manufacturers are considering the advisability of storing their logs until the price improves, as the present selling figures will not cover the cost of production. Spruce clapboards have held up remarkably well; 4-foot boards are bringing $42 to $43 for Boston delivery, while the 6-foot boards are quoted at $56, the latter being a decline of about $4 as compared with the closing figures of last season. Shingle prices are a trifle easier, Extras for Boston delivery selling at $3.30 to $3.35; Clears, $2.80 to $2.85; and Second Clears, 2.25 to $2.35. Stocks at the mills, however, are light, and it will only require a moderate increase in demand to get back to the $3.50 basis for extras.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber manufacturers have no complaint to make in respect to the volume of consumption throughout the North-West. Building operations are absorbing a very large quantity of lumber. The permits issued this year in the city of Winnipeg represent a valuation of nearly $4,000,000,and in Vancouver there have been over 450 houses erected since the first of the year. So much American lumber is being dumped on the Canadian market, however, that the benefit of this activity is lost to the Canadian manufacturer. The outlook in British Columbia is quite gloomy, the president of the British Columbia Loggers' Association having announced that all logging camps in the province would soon be shut down indefinitely, which means that several thousand men will be thrown out of employment.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market of the United States is about stationary and seems, in a measure, to be waiting on the outcome of the crops, which at the present time give promise of an abundant yield. All box grades of pine are in good demand and dry stocks are running low. Some of the eastern markets report an increased demand, while from other districts a falling off in sales is announced. The lower grades are showing more strength and activity than the higher grades. The action of the price list committee of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association has created a stronger feeling of confidence in the situation. After thoroughly considering conditions, it was considered unwise to make material changes in the price list, but several advances were decided upon, including the following: 12-inch No. 1 boards and products, 13 in. and wider, $2; 12-inch No. 1 boards, 10, 14 and 16 feet, 50 cents; 12 feet, $1.50; 18 and 20 feet, $1; 10-inch No. 1 boards, 10 feet, 50 cents; 12 to 20 feet, $1.50; 8-inch No. 1 boards, 12 and 14 feet, 50 cents; 6-inch No. 1 facing, 6 feet, $1; 12 to 20 feet, 50 cents. Norway siding and flooring were reduced by from 50 cents to $2, and 8, 10 and 12 inch D select, $2.

There is not a heavy movement of hardwoods, and the demand is largely for firsts and seconds and culls, leaving common somewhat neglected. Plain sawed oak is firm and in good demand. Dry birch stocks are about cleared out, giving a firmness to that lumber.

GREAT BRITIAN.

The imports of sawn lumber into the United Kingdom during the first five months of this year were 1,031,137 loads, as against 1,177,266 loads for the corresponding period of 1903. As the stocks held at the leading ports are lighter than at the close of last year, it would seem that the consumption has been greater than the import. This is not likely to continue throughout the summer months, as receipts will be more liberal. There has been little change for the better in the lumber situation. Many buyers would like to contract for their supplies, but they fear that after they have placed their orders shippers might make a further cut in prices in order to precipitate sales. This is hardly expected, but there is sufficient doubt regarding the matter to induce a continuance of the non-committal policy. The price of white pine deals is still so high as to restrict the consumption, while spruce deals have so many competitors that the buyer can always obtain his requirements from one source if not from another. The demand for square pine is slow, while waney is a little more active.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Katie F. Troop is loading lumber at Musquash, N. B., for Beunos Ayres.

Pine lumber for the town of Toronto Junction, Ont., will be supplied by A. H. Clemmer, and cedar by W. P. Hartney.

The Dominion Government is asking for tenders up to July 8th for the construction of deep water wharves at Dalhousie and Campbellton, N. B.

Spruce lath by car are quoted at Boston at $3.15 to $3.25 for 1½ in., and $3.25 to $3.35 for 1⅝ in., with the cargo price on standard 1½ inch running from $3 to $3.05.

The first raft descending the Ottawa river from above Bryson, Que., passed over the Calumet slides on June 14th. It belonged to Fraser & Company and was taken out on the Deep River.

It is rumoured that Thomas Mackie, M. P., of Pembroke, Ont., has sold the timber limits in the upper Ottawa district which he purchased at the Ontario Government sale in December last, making a considerable profit.

The unmarked logs in the Restigouche boom were sold at auction at Campbellton, N. B., last week, the merchantable spruce and pine bringing $8.02, battens $6.25, and cedar $6.00. The Wm. Richards Company were the purchasers.

TO HOLDERS OF BIRCH LIMITS.

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

St. John, N. B., June 15th, 1904.—The outlook for Canadian lumber in the United Kingdom is not as encouraging as was the case at this time last month. Dealers are not showing any anxiety to buy or make contracts and there is an increasing eagerness to sell on the part of the manufacturers here and in all parts of the province. Those who have contracts to fill that were left over from last year are filling them now, and such lots as these comprise the greater part of the shipments of the last two months.

But in spite of these facts the manufacturers in this section are not at all discouraged. The opening of the season found their wharves entirely bare and they are practically only beginning to saw. They feel confident that the present depression is merely a reaction from the stimulus of trade last year and that, when some of the surplus has been worked off the markets in the U. K., a sharp recovery will take place. If, however, this view of the situation is not borne out, and the market should become still weaker, it is almost certain that they will close down iheir plants and cease operations entirely, as it will unquestionably be better policy for them to hold their logs until next year than to manufacture at a loss. If this should happen it will mean that there will be practically no logging done in this section of the country next winter.

The impression seems to have got abroad that the stocks of logs in the St. John river were obtained at a low figure. This is not the case. The contracts under which most of these logs were got out

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were made in the early fall of 1903, when prospects were very bright and trade very brisk. Consequently these logs cost a substantial figure, in many cases higher than those contracted for in 1902 and sawn in 1903. It is because of these facts I have said that, if the price of lumber recedes any further, the manufacturers on the St. John will be compelled to shut down the mills or to manufacture at a loss. As, however, any further decline is improbable, it is unreasonable to suppose that any such contingency will arise.

It is hard to make any statement in regard to prices; the market is too unsettled. A specification of spruce deals with the ordinary percentage of 7's, 8's, 9's and 11's, should bring in the vicinity of $12 per M. f.o.b. St. John.

The stream-drivers on the St. John river report satistactory progress. The rains of the past fortnight have caused a rise of water at the head of the river and the drives are being rushed into safe water with the greatest despatch possible. The large drives are practically all out of the brooks and branches into the main St. John. This does not mean that they are sure to come out, for in the event of an extremely dry spell they are apt to hang up in the main river. Several millions were caught in this way last year.

Three millions belonging to Charles Miller are now caught on the St. Francis and five or six millions belonging to Randolph & Baker will also have to be left until next year. This is not considered a large hang-up considering the amount that will in all probability come out, and the gentlemen who own them will not be seriously inconvenienced.

As far as is known at present writing no quantity of any importance beyond the two lots mentioned was left.

The lumber shipments from St. John to trans-Atlantic ports thus far this year have been considerably smaller than for the like period last year. Up to the 31st of May they were about 9,000,000 superficial feet less, and the difference has been increased rather than otherwise during June. Dull markets are of course the explanation of the reduced export.

The following are the total lumber shipments from St. John to trans-Atlantic ports from Jan. 1st to May 31st of this year, with comparison for the like period in 1903 (from Jan. 1st to May 31st):

1904.

	Spruce.	Birch.	Birch Timber
W. M. Mackay	23,910,760	1,585,725	2,317
Geo. McKean.	11,517,710	198,142	....
Other shippers.	9,674,012	199,660	....
	45,112,482	1,983,527	2,317

1903.

	Spruce.	Birch.	Birch Timber
W. M. Mackay	34,618,787	2,523,734	2,806
Alex. Gibson Co., Limited	4,518,450	....	315
Geo. McKean.	11,068,743	82,076	17
Other shippers	3,824,397	189,956	126
	54,030,377	2,795,766	3,264

Only two tons of pine timber went forward this year, and only three in the like period last year.

Of the total shipments all went to ports in Great Britain except 1,657,775 feet of spruce to the Continent in the 1903 period, and 3,464,981 feet to Australia in the period to May 31st of this year.

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From Montreal: Steamer Ionian, for Liverpool, 8,174 pcs. deals and boards, by W. & J. Sharples; 6,740 pcs. deals and ends, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Manxman, for Avonmouth via Liverpool, 53 logs, by W. J. Sharples; 2,731 pcs. boards, 2,918 pcs. deals, 7,952 pcs. boards and ends, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Dominion, for Liverpool, 16,371 pcs. deals, ends and boards by Robert Cox & Co.; 15,448 pcs. deals and ends, 5,403 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Quebec, for Havre and Rotterdam, 8,917 pcs. boards, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Malin Head, for Belfast, 50 pcs. birch timber, by McLaurin Bros.; 8,854 pcs. deals and ends, by Dobell, Becket & Co.; 4,233 pcs. spruce lumber, by Charlemange Lumber Co.; 1,515 pcs. white pine boards, by McArthur Export Co.; 5,189 pcs. pine boards, by W. & J. Sharples; 5,935 pcs. pine boards by Watson & Todd. Steamer Riplingham, for London, 121,787 pcs. deals, ends and boards, by R. Cox & Co.; steamer Naparima, for London, 45,400 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Holmlea, for London, 45,162 pcs. deals and ends, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Monmouth, for Liverpool,

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3x10 common	19 00	20 00	1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 90
3x12 common	21 00	22 00	1¾ in. No. 1 Norway lath		3 10
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	X white pine shingles		1 15
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00	XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.		2 25
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50	XXX white pine shingles		3 15
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00	B. C. Shingles		
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		2 95
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00	XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 15
¼ and 1¼ in box	17 00	18 00	XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 50
			XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.		2 30
			XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
			XX " 5 to 2 in		2 55

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Birch M. R. 1 in.	23 00	24 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 2	" 4.. 25 00	27 00
" 1½ "	2.. 24 00	25 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 38 00	40 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	26 00	27 00	Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 4.. 41 00	43 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	26 00	28 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 1½ 37 00	39 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 in. M. R. 1	28	30 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2	" 4.. 40 00	42 00
	1¼ 24 00	26 00	Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 1	" 2.. 60 00	65 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds..	1½ 60 00	70 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds.. 1	" 3.. 85 00	100 00
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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	28	35

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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	60

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	50	55
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	43	48

ASH.

3 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
Do average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

1¼ Inch	20	22
1½ "	28	30

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Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up	40 00	45 00	Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00	" 6' to 11'x10"		16 0
2 in. x 8 in. and up	50 00	55 00	Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine good strips: 1 in	33 00	35 00	Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	35 00	38 00	Pine, s c. shorts	12 00	14 00
2 in	38 00	40 00	Pine, box boards	12 00	14 00
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1¼ in and 1½ in	30 00	35 00	1x11 No. 1 barn		21 00
2 in	35 00	40 00	1x10 No. 2 "		
Pine, good dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25	1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00	1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00	Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 6
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 6'	18	20 00	No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	16	19 00	Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
			Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15
			Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 35	3 50
			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
			XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60
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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$80 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$70 00
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2½ and 3 in	83 00	2½ and 3 in	79 00
4 in	9 00	4 in	83 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	73 00
1¼ and 1½ in	58 00	4 in	78 00
2 in	59 00		

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1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in	68 00
2 in	50 00		

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1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in	30 00	8 and 7 in	22
10 in	24 00	No. 3, 12 in	21
9 in	23 00	10 in	19 0
8 and 7 in	23 00	9 in	18 00
No. 2, 12 in	25 00	8 in	19
10 in	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in	22 00	1x4	16 00

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1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	33 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine		No. 2 White Pine	2 75

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2½ in	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		92
1 to 2 in	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		15
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	32
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40	45
1 to 2 in	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.		20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12		21
1 to 2 in	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	24
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	22
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	48	52	1x10	23	20
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	1x8	20	22
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	35	45
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	40	47
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	26	27
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Selects 1¼ to 2 in	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in	35 00
2½ and 3 in	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in	32 00
4 in	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in	58 00	No. 2, 12 in	26 00
2 in	61 00	No. 3, 10 in	20 00
3 in	73 00	No. 3, 12 in	22 50
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	16 00
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1½ in	34 00		

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			Com. and culls	18 00	20 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	32 00	34 00	Com. & good culls	16 00	18 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	37 00	39 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	25 00	27 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	15 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	27 00	29 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	26 00
Common and culls	17 00	18 00	Common and culls	16 00	18 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The weather of the past week has been very favorable to lumber activity and we think there has been a slight improvement in the demand. Conservatism still characterizes the action of buyers, however, and there is not likely to be any decided change in the near future. Dealers are not loaded with stock and must continue to buy more or less for requirements. This is about all that is expected during the next two months. The crops are making satisfactory progress and business conditions generally are good.

Late reports regarding square and waney timber confirm the opinion advanced that the outlook is not very encouraging. From what we can learn there appears to be an overproduction, which has come at a time when the consumption is declining. Manufacturers who sold their timber in advance were particularly fortunate, as there has been a decline of fully five cents per cubic foot in the price of waney and a proportionate decline in square timber. The salvation of the market would seem to depend upon a curtailment of operations on the part of manufacturers. If this policy is pursued it should be possible to maintain prices at the present reduced basis, but

if operations are continued with little regard to demand, the result will doubtless be a further decline in values. The wisdom of the former course should be apparent to all operators when it is remembered that the cost of getting out timber has increased during the past few years quite in proportion to the advance in price.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber prices have not suffered a further decline, although the market is still very unsettled. Manufacturers generally will curtail sawing operations as far a possible. There is a very good demand for American specifications. Most of the log drives are nearing the booms, and it is estimated that 34,000,000 feet will be hung up on the St. John river, including 6,000,000 feet on the Aroostook. The amount already in the Douglas and Mitchell booms is about 145,000,000 feet.

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UNITED STATES.

Compared with one year ago the movement of lumber throughout the United States shows a falling off, not marked, but sufficient to prevent any recovery in prices from the decline which has taken place during the past six months. The curtailment in demand has resulted largely from a decreased consumption by the railroads, as building operations are normally active. Many persons are looking for a revival in business after the presidential nominations are over next week, as there is a strong feeling that the business interests of the country are not likely to suffer through a change in the fiscal policy. One of the encouraging signs from a lumber standpoint is an increasing demand for stock from the Eastern States. This is reported by the Lake Superior manufacturers, who are holding prices firmly on the ground that the amount of lumber to be produced this year will be no more than equal to the demand. There is especial firmness in No. 3 and 4 boards. The old stock of No. 4 boards has been entirely cleaned out, and there is a very light supply of No. 3. The decline in the price of Norway flooring has resulted in a heavier movement of that lumber. The weakest grade in pine is shop common, for which inquiries are very light.

Weakness is more pronounced in hardwoods than in pine. Business has been disappointing and stocks have accumulated to a greater extent than was believed possible two months ago. The country demand is lacking. The northern hardwoods, such as birch, basswood, elm, and maple, have declined about $1 per thousand feet, but are steady at the lower prices. Basswood has shown some improvement during the past week, but is still a slow seller, while birch is moving in larger volume.

GREAT BRITIAN.

There has really been no improvement in the British lumber market since last writing. The opinion is expressed that this season is likely to witness heavy consignments, is which case buyers would have no difficulty in being able to purchase anything they may require in reasonable quantities. The fear of such shipments is working against the market and shippers are, if anything, showing greater anxiety to close contracts, with a further shading of prices in some instances. At the recent public sales prices showed further weakness. Concerning spruce deals the Timber Trades Journal says: "The low c.i.f. offers that are reported in respect to spruce deals must be accepted in a qualified sense, and do not bear a full significance unless the specifications are taken into account. From what we can gather the market for 3 x 9 inch deals has not varied much from the position it stood in two or three months ago. Some depression has been experienced, and where shippers pressed sales they have had to make concessions. If what we hear is correct, there has been some slight improvement in the export trade during the past week or two, and from this holders are looking forward to a more active inquiry."

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The first of the season's log drives down the Moria river has begun to arrive at Belleville, Ont. It totals 25,000 pieces.

D. E. Sprague's log drive has started down the Red river for Winnipeg. It contains 6,090,000 feet. Mr. Sprague will also get 6,000,000 feet of logs from Rainy Lake by train.

Robert Aitken, who has been superintending driving operations on the Aroostook river in New Brunswick, has been successful in getting out all his old logs, about 9,000,000 feet.

It is estimated that 30,000,000 feet of saw logs will come down the Sturgeon river this season. J. R. Booth will drive 12,000,000 feet, Gordon Bros. 8,000,000 feet, the Victoria Harbor Lumber Company 8,000,000 feet, Cockburn & Son 2,000,000 feet, and the Nippising Lumber Company less than a million feet.

QUEBEC TIMBER LIMIT SALE.

A sale of Quebec timber limits took place at the Parliament Buildings, Quebec City, on Wednesday, June 22nd, Hon. S. N. Parent, Minister of Lands, Mines and Fisheries, presiding. Mr. P. Blouin, of the Department, acted as auctioneer. There were 1,716¾ square miles of limits disposed of, the total revenue amounting to $259,865.90. The following are the purchasers: McCormack & Co.—Lots 11, 13 and 15, range 3, 93 miles, on Upper Ottawa, at $91 per mile; range 4, Nos. 10 and 11, 100 miles, same price; range 5, Nos. 9, 10, 11, 150 miles, $130 per mile; lot 16, same range, 50 miles, $91 per mile.

Mr. Flood—Four miles, Grand Lake Victoria, at $1,100 per mile.

W. Hendrie—Nos. 603 and 604A, on Ottawa River, containing 8 miles, $501.

Mr. Ritchie—Forty-seven and a half miles at Bostonnais Island, on the St. Maurice, at $101 per mile.

Mr. Dupuis, M.P.P.—Back of River French, on the upper St. Maurice, 164 miles, at $156 per mile.

Mr. Grogan—Lot No. 13, Saguenay, 49 miles, $115 per mile.

Laferriere Lumber Co.—Lots 14 and 16, Saugenay, 60 miles, $130 per mile.

Manicouagan Export Co.—Lot No. 7, River Manicouagan, 50 miles, at $130 per mile.

J. C. Kaine—Three miles and three-quarters at Petit Bergeronnes, at $91 per mile.

W. H. Davis—Lots 1, 2, 3, on river Godbout, 60 miles, $135 per mile. Lots 1 and 2, on river Moisie, at $121 per mile.

H. M. Price—Nos. A and B, on the river St. John, North Shore, 68 miles, Nos. 2 and 3 on Salmon River, 115 miles, and 77 miles on the River Chambers, at $101 per mile.

M. K. Kean—Two miles and a half in new township Bonaventure West, range 9, and five miles, range 9, at $201 per mile.

J. N. Piche—60½ miles in Canton Milenkek, at $135 per mile.

Lefebvre & Marr—5½ miles, Canton Marias, at $155 per mile, 3⅜ miles on River Andre, at $212 per mile.

Senator Edwards—30 miles on Grand Cascapedia River, at $155 per mile, 50 miles on Salmon River, at $185 per mile; branch 3, 35 miles, $190 per mile; branch 4, 15 miles, $205 per mile; branch 5, 18 miles, $215 per mile; 44½ miles, River Bonaventure, $153 per mile; 37¼ miles, River Bonaventure, $290 per mile.

W. Power—River Maepes, 2 2-5 miles, range B, Rimouski West, $201 per mile.

Mme. R. Blais—5¾ miles in Cabot township, Metapedia Valley, $151 per mile.

M. Guerette—Thirteen miles, range 1, Township Chabot, $201 per mile.

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OTTAWA, June 24th, 1904.—Comparatively little lumber is being shipped from the Ottawa district mills these days, either by rail or water. The English market is receiving but small shipments and nothing is going to the United States outside New York and district. About a score of lumber barges were here with coal this week, but only a very few could get lumber as a return cargo to the States.

High water in the Ottawa has interfered with the movement of lumber by barge. However, as the river is dropping to its normal level, the shippers are finding it possible again to work at the docks. Most trouble was experienced at Calumet and Rockland. At the latter point part of the yards was flooded and the tracks will need repairing.

It is likely that the high water will have the effect of reducing the season's lumber cut. The L'Original mills have only been running about half time and the Perley mill at Calumet and the Edwards Company's mill at Rockland were also interfered with by the high water.

Inquiry shows that Ottawa lumber prices are stationary, holding to the figures that have ruled all spring. Dullness is about the word that describes the lumber trade hereabouts at present.

The English market is quiet, so quiet in fact that considerable square timber that was cut for summer sale in the Old Country will be left on the limits until next season. Discussing the square timber end of the business, a leading operator said that present prices are not within eight to ten cents a foot as good as the prices at which sales were made last fall. Fraser & Company and Brennen & Company are two firms that have decided to hold over their square timber on account of the slump in in prices.

From present indications, and for the above reasons, there will be a big decline in the production of square timber next season.

It was persistently rumored recently that Mr. Thomas Mackie, M.P., had sold his newly purchased limits along with others at an advance of $100,000 on the price he paid at the December sale in Toronto. However, Mr. Mackie is purchasing horses and making other arrangements to work the limits himself, so that the talk of sale is groundless.

The high water in the Ottawa river caused a break in the Des Joachims dam above Pembroke lately. About 300,000 logs and pieces of pulpwood were liberated, and it was feared at first that great damage and delay would be caused by the distribution of the logs. However, the logs were all collected by the steamers of the Upper Ottawa Improvement Company within a few days. The company was favored in the work by natural conditions, a strong east wind holding the logs in place. The companies interested were J. R. Booth, W. C. Edwards Company, Hawkesbury Lumber Company, McLachlan Bros. and E. B. Eddy Company.

Reports show that all the log drives are coming along in fine shape and the firms will have to report but few logs as "hung up".

Charles Desmarais, of Hull, has a stock of cedar poles 25 to 60 feet in length at Mellon station on the Pontiac branch of the C.P.R. He is open for offers.

A lumber traveller returned from an American trip reports business in his line better throughout New York state than in the city itself.

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3x12 common	21 00	22 00
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8 and 7 in.		22	
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Present lumber prices show more irregularity, we think, than at any previous time this year. It would not be fair to say that the market is depressed, for the feeling of the trade is quite the reverse; but that there has been shading of prices by more than one concern is admitted. There seems to be more old stock offering than was believed to be available, and the disposition of manufacturers to move the stock is reflected in lower quotations. The common and better grades of the new cut are also offered at concessions ranging from $1 to $3. No. 3 cuts and better are about $3 lower than one month ago. Ten inch box and common is held at the mills at $17, 12 inch at $18, and 5/4 and 6/4 box and common sidings at $16. Mill cull sidings are worth about $12.50, and 10 and 12 inch mill culls $11.50. Hemlock continues very firm, 2 inch in the narrow widths alone showing any decline, and that only 50 cents.

While the hardwood demand is quiet and enquiries few, prices have not declined much. Maple flooring is offered at concessions, partly owing to large arrivals from the United States.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is a very fair demand for spruce lumber for shipment to the United States, boards being worth from $11.50 to $11.75 per thousand f.o.b. St. John. Provincial boards sell about $1.50 below these figures. British deals are about steady at the reduced figures previously named. Cedar shingles are selling freely and there seems to be a disposition to stock up at each favorable opportunity in anticipation of a stronger market later in the year. Laths are, if anything, a little easier,

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UNITED STATES.

The lumber market of the United States is not particularly firm. The consumption has been about up to expectations, but dealers and consumers are buying as little lumber as possible in the hope of being able to depress prices and purchase to better advantage later in the season. Eastern stocks are low and must be replenished from time to time. Good common inch and the box grades in white pine lead in point of demand and in firmness, selects and shop being in more abundant supply and less firm. Dealers do not anticipate much improvement until buying commences for the fall trade, and this is likely to be later than usual on account of the Presidential election. Spruce is in light supply and all offerings at New York are readily taken. There is an active demand for birch at good prices. Ash also sells readily. Certain jobbers at Buffalo are said to have cut the price of quartered oak, offerings of which from the south have been quite liberal of late.

GREAT BRITIAN.

The British lumber market is showing a slightly better tone. The lower qualities of pine deals are difficult to dispose of, but there is a moderate movement of the higher qualities and of spruce. Several cargoes of the latter have recently been placed without any decline in prices, which is regarded as a favorable indication. Dealers have deferred placing in anticipation of a rush to sell, but so far this has not occurred. The quantity of stock offering at London and Liverpool is considerably less than usual at this season of the year. The recognized standard of prices for spruce deals is about £9 10s. per standard c i.f. for 3 × 9 inch second quality, and £8 15s. for thirds. Hardwood planks have been in more active demand, but the supply is ample and no advance in price has taken place.

The woodworking factory of L. P. Morin & Son, at St. Hyacinthe, Que., was burned recently. The loss is about $45,000, with insurance of only $15,000.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company, of Victoria, B.C., are shipping a considerable quantity of lumber into the Northwest.

R. S. Gallop, of Canterbury, B.C., intends taking out about 4,000,000 feet of logs on his timber limits on the Jumbo Fork of Toby Creek.

Sims & Co., of Little Current, Ont., are reported to have sold their cut of white pine lumber to Tonawanda parties, the transaction representing about $50,000.

The Nipissing Lumber Company, Limited, have sold the cut of their Cache Bay mills to Morris S. M. Long, of Hamilton. The consideration was in the neighborhood of $17 per thousand.

Tanner Bros., of Sturgeon Bay, Ont., recently received a raft of timber from French River which contained over 6,000,000 feet and which is one of the largest rafts ever brought down from that river.

The Scott Lumber Company, Fredericton, N.B., this week shipped a cargo of 2,500,000 feet of spruce deals to Liverpool, England. The deals were all manufactured at their Victoria mill since the first of June.

The Crows Nest Pass Lumber Company, Wardner, B.C., have completed arrangements to secure 5,000,000 feet of logs cut at the St. Mary's river camp. The logs will be boomed at Wardner. The company have also purchased 500,000 feet of logs cut by the St. Eugene Mission Indians.

D.V. Mott, of Fernie, B.C., has received the leases for the timber limits purchased by the Elk Lumber & Manufacturing Company. The limits secured include 16,000 acres and contain about 400,000,000 feet of timber. About half of this is tributary to the mill plant at Fernie, while the balance will be converted into lumber at Hosmer, where the company will build a mill.

The plant and stock of the Boston Wood Rim Company, Limited, Toronto, is to be sold by tender.

R. P. Drury is announced to have been appointed receiver of the Vancouver Island Lumber Company, Sidney, B. C.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., July 4th, 1904.—American deals will be scarce on the St. John this season. This is owing to the fact that two or three of the largest American mills will saw all Provincial logs and most of the others will saw American only part of the time. These logs were contracted for last year when prospects were very bright in the United Kingdom and when in a few cases the situation warranted the manufacturing of American logs for the English market.

While the American market, to the country at large, is but a secondary consideration, to St. John it is just as important as the English market, owing to the fact that the much larger number of the mill owners here are Americans. For this reason it has often happened that St. John has enjoyed prosperous seasons when the English market was off and the lumber industry decidedly depressed in other sections.

During the early part of this year the prospects for marketing deals in the United States were not at all bright, but during the last month or two, the demand has increased and the market has shown a decided firmness. The outlook is hopeful just now, although it is freely acknowledged that lower prices than those of last year will prevail all through the season.

Compared with other years, shipments from the provinces are remarkably small and from the Eastern States they are much below the average. The feeling seems to be that until the elections are over no great stimulus can be looked for but that the present prices will be at least maintained. After the elections a greater demand and higher prices are confidently expected.

A specification containing the usual percentage of 6's, 8's, 9's, 10's and 12's would be worth from $13.75 to $14.25 per thousand feet f.o.b. St. John.

As the American logs are cut mostly on the Aroostook river, they are late in arriving; hence there is very little American lumber for sale in this section as yet. American spruce boards are worth from $11.50 to $11.75 per M s. ft. f.o.b. St. John. They are scarce and promise to be even more so. Provincial boards are plentiful and are worth for shipment to the United States $10 per M. Hemlock boards are still hard to obtain and there will probably be very few for sale this season in this vicinity. Prices mentioned last month will still apply.

Freight rates to Boston per schooner are $2.25 per M; to New York, $3.25. Owing to the small quantities going forward, charters are scarce.

Logs are coming along slowly and the mill-men are having a hard time to keep their mills going. While there is an abundance of logs between here and Grand Falls, they are not coming through the booms at Fredericton rapidly enough to keep the mills in cut, and as they have heavy stocks on the way the manufacturers do not care to buy any large quantities. Cedar is particularly scarce, one or two shingle mills being compelled to run at half their capacity for a few days. Advices from up river, however, say that the logs are being rafted rapidly and the mill-men hope to be well supplied before another fortnight has passed.

Prospects for stream driving continue bright and the logs are being rushed into safe water with all possible speed. Recent rains in the up-river districts have raised the river from to two four feet and the conditions for stream-driving are now all that could be desired.

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The trouble has been largely aggravated by the fact that in the state of Washington, as a result of over-production and poor home market, a large number of mills are in liquidation, and the stocks of common lumber are being disposed of at sacrifice prices in the North-West and Manitoba, which is the sole market for the Mountain mills. Even in ordinary times, there being no duty on rough lumber coming into Canada, the American mills can undersell the Canadian, for the reason that machinery and labor cost less and timber limits are to be had at not only a lower original cost, but are less burdensome to carry. It is clearly shown that our opponents to the south can put lumber on the cars for a considerably lower price than we can. The mill men have brought these facts before the Government and requested a duty of $2.00 per M on rough lumber coming into Canada, but although the plea was strongly pressed, and the lumber manufacturers' case was, as they thought, demonstrated beyond argument, nothing was done, and the mistaken idea that the consumer in the North-West was getting the benefit of the lower prices was taken for granted.

These matters were considered at the meeting on June 22nd, and it was shown from personal experience of those present that the consumer is still paying for his lumber on the basis of the Association price, and the middleman in most cases reaps the benefit of the lower price of the imported material. In Southern Manitoba the Canadian mills are practically shut out of the market on account of the disadvantage they suffer in the matter of freight rates. The opinion was expressed that it would not be long before the view would prevail that the North-West farmers who receive the fullest protection and are directly benefitting by the British Columbia markets for their products, should not receive more than the lumber industry, which is now in its infancy in this section, and suffers from a more unequal competition. It was made perfectly clear that there neither was nor is any justification for the statement that a combine exists between the manufacturer and dealer. The policy of the former is to see that the whole North-West is properly supplied, and that the consumer is enabled to get his needs supplied without being subjected to excessive charges, and they realize that, by doing so, a greater quantity of their products can be disposed of. Arrangements with this end in view were begun some months ago whereby the price list was published throughout the whole North-west and now a powerful organization has been formed for the purpose of enabling the manufacturer to open up yards and supply lumber directly to the consumer. No change was made in the price list, save to permit a difference of $1.00 in favor of cedar boards. In fact, in eighteen months there has been no change in the price list, notwithstanding that the cost of logs at the mill has been increasing.

Grading rules were agreed upon after consideration of the report of a committee appointed at a previous meeting for the purpose of considering the question. This matter has been under way for some considerable time, and at first it seemed to some members impracticable to work out any feasable set of rules which would be just to all manufacturers, there being such a very great variety of woods, some of which might have to be treated as constituting a class distinct from others. However, it is now thought the present rules will prove satisfactory and a considerable benefit to the manufacturer and to dealers.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN)

VANCOUVER, June 21st, 1904.—Prices of lumber and shingles in this city, delivered at the mills, are an indication of how utterly demoralized conditions are at present. In fact, prices are so bad and so cut to meet any particular demand or competition, that millmen do not care to make them public. An enquiry of one of the prominent shingle manufacturers as to what the prices of shingles at the mills were, elicited the reply that he did not know, and while this may seem somewhat paradoxical, it is nevertheless true. The figures are quoted from $1.40 to $1.60, according to quality, but are flexible that trade may be secured in what is the worst time that the lumber industry in this province has yet encountered.

Mr. C. M. Beecher, vice-president of the B.C. Mills, Timber and Trading Company, which has just closed its largest mill, the Hastings in this city, remarked the other evening: "The Government at Ottawa seems to think that those members who do not represent the West know the conditions best, but the bad times which are now settling down in earnest will bring Sir Wilfred Laurier and his cabinet to a realization of things, but only after considerable harm has been done." That is a brief summary of the outlook at

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present, particularly on the coast, and all because lumber is one article that the protection in the tariff and in the special clauses will not affect in any way. It is not going too far to say that Vancouver will have a change in politics next election. It has always returned a Liberal during late years, but it will suffer severely from the lumber depression, and if the Liberals dare not grant protection, the people will seek relief from a party whose policy is protection.

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Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	24 00 26 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¾"	25 00 27 00
Elm rock, mill run 1¾" 3	27 00 30 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	36 00 38 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	22 00 24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	25 00 27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	38 00 40 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	41 00 43 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	37 00 39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	40 00 42 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds 2	60 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00 100 00

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	cts.	cts.
Square white pine, measured off, 30 to 40 feet average	40	50
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 20 inch average " "	60	69

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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
In shipping order, " " "	35	40

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 40 to 45 feet	60	70
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	45	55

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Inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
	30	35

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1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
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Pine good strips : 1 in.	33 00 35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00 38 00
2 in.	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00 30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding per M feet, b.m.	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16 20 00
Pine, 10 s and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16 19 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"	15 00
" 6' to 11'x10"	16 0
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50 20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	12 00 14 50
Pine mill culls	1 00 14 00
0x11 No. 1 barn	21 0
1x10 No. 2 "	
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "	17 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40 2 6
No. 2 white pine	2 00 2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 15
Red Pine mill run	2 00 2 15
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 35 3 50
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40 2 60
XX 18 inch	1 40 1 60
Cedar Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 30 3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2 75
XX, 18 inch	1 65 2 00

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	77 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	90 00
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1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	77 00
4 in.	82 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
2in.	59 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
4 in.	78 00

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1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00
2in.	50 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
4 in.	68 00

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

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1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	44 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

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1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 00
8 in.	19 00
1x6	19 00
1x4	16 00

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1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

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Pine XXXX	4 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75

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Uppers, 3 in.	83 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	78 80
4 inch uppers	88 90
Selects, 2½ in up	77 82
1 to 2 in.	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	60 63
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55 56
No. 2	35 45
No. 3	30 35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48 52
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40
Stained saps	32 40
Bracket plank	35 45
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Dressing boards, narrow	26 28
1x10 inch shippers	21 22
1x12 inch shippers	$24 25
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	92
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	15
10-in. dressing and better	30 32
12-in. dressing and better	40 45
Box, 1x10-in.	20
Box, 1x12	21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
1x10	25 26
1x8	23 24
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 22
1x10	23 20
1x8	20 22
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" " 2 inch	40 47
Dressing	26 27
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1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in.	61 00
3 in.	73 00
4 in.	75 00
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No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00
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Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
1¼x10 and 12.	40 00
1½ in.	34 00
2 in.	36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
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6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
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1x10	19 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	22 00
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Com. and culls	16 00 19 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00 33 00
Com. & good culls	15 00 17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00 38 00
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
Com. & good culls	13 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00 28 00
Common and culls	15 00 17 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00 25 00
Common and culls	16 00 17 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The past week has been characterized by a steady trade in lumber at the lower basis of prices which has been established. That there has been no further cutting o any account is regarded as a recognition of the healthy conditions underlying the market. The stock of white pine held at the mills at the beginning of the summer season was by no means large, and the consumption promises to make heavy inroads upon the season's production. One or two Michigan dealers have recently purchased considerable blocks of white pine in the Georgian Bay district. Building operations are responsible for a large local consumption of lumber. In Toronto, for instance, the building permits issued during the first half of this year exceeded all previous records, being valued at $2,629,102 and including 728 dwellings, 25 factories and 23 warehouses. Keener competition is being experienced from yellow pine, but there is now some hope that the Government will protect the Canadian industry by an import duty on United States lumber.

Michigan hardwoods are being shipped into Western Ontario, and with a decreased consumption, the demand for the product of the Canadian mills is slow. Prices, however, are not showing much weakness, and there is a fair demand for soft elm and birch. Hemlock is still held at $12.50 at the mills.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market shows no signs of becoming more active in the near future. Shipments from St. John, N.B., to the United Kingdom are exceptionally

light, while there has been a falling off also in the shipments of provincial lumber to the Eastern States. The prices offered by dealers reflect the easier tone which characterizes the United States market. Spruce clapboards continue to show some strength, prices for Boston delivery being $41 to $42 for Extras and $38 to $40 for Clears. Spruce lath are offered freely at $3 to $3.10 for 1½ inch and $3.15 to $3.25 for 1⅝ inch. Very few cedar shingles of Extra grade are selling above $3.25 on Boston rate of freight, while there are large offerings of the lower grades at recessions from the prices ruling a fortnight ago. The tendency does not seem to be upward.

UNITED STATES.

An analysis of the lumber situation in the United States leads to the conclusion that there has been a slight improvement. The shipments from the head of the lakes during the month of June were 62,000,000 feet, of which 57,000,000 feet were from Duluth. Several transactions are reported for stock for future delivery and there is an increase in the number of enquiries. Business in the Eastern States is quiet, but dealers are doing a fair trade. The recent decline in prices has not stimulated buying to any extent, but orders for small lots are more numerous, which is another indication that dealers are not overloaded with stock. The call is chiefly for common and low grade pine, the better grades being hard to move. In Chicago concessions on prices have been mostly on dimension, shop lumber and better stock. No. 3 and No. 4 boards have not yielded in price, the demand being sufficient to absorb all offerings. Random spruce has declined 75 cents a thousand during the last two weeks and occasionally a sale has been made at $1 less than the spring prices. There is a lessened inquiry for hardwoods which is not easily explained, but it is probable that the vacation season is having its effect and that consumers are still pursuing a policy of curtailment. Even birch is not as active owing to a falling off in the furniture demand, but prices are held fairly firm. Thick maple is the strongest of the northern hardwoods with the demand comparatively brisk. Chicago reports a good demand for white pine lath. Prices range from $3.10 to $3.25, with $2.25 for No. 2. Mixed lath are held at $2.90 for No. 1 and $2 for No. 2, and Norway at $2.60 for No. 1 and $1.85 for No. 2.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The improvement in the British market mentioned last week has become a little more pronounced, with buyers showing a greater disposition to meet the demands of shippers. The latter, on the other hand, seem unwilling to give further concessions and it is probable that prices have touched bottom for the near future at least. The recovery is likely to be slow, but it would be greatly stimulated by an increase in building operations. The receipts of Canadian lumber at the leading ports this year show a decline as compared with the previous two years, but the stock on hand in most lines is still large. Prices for the better grades of pine deals and boards are firm, but the lower qualities are still offered at prices which must leave no margin of profit for the importer. Spruce is not offering in large quantity and there is not likely to be much pressure on the market during the summer months, as shippers will hold their stock in the hope that later developments will be of a favorable character. Birch planks are in good demand and prices are a little better.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Jobbers at Buffalo quote elm flour barrel staves at $11.50 to $12 for first-class and $8 to $8.50 for second; basswood heading, 8 to 8½ cents for first-class and 6 cents for second; coiled hoops, $9.50 to $10 for 6-foot and $9 to $9.50 for 5½-foot.

Under date of July 2nd, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company submit the following report of the Barbadoes market: The arrivals during the fortnight consist of the schooner "Pacific" with 15 M. white pine, 15 M. spruce, and 70 M. hemlock, which being all seconds brought $19, $16 and $14 respectively, and the schooner "Harry Troop" with 58 M. spruce and 22 M. white pine, which brought $19.60 and $18.50 respectively. Our market is now fairly supplied with all descriptions, and as demand after the crop is very small, we cannot look for better prices in the near future. During the period under review, besides the "Bravo" which we advised in our last, the bulk of whose Long Cedar shingles realized in the neighbourhood of $5.55 and $6.30 for extra quality, with $4.15, $5.80, $7.25, $7.80 for 4, 5, 6, 7 inch Dimension respectively, the "Nimrod" has arrived with 680 M. Cedar Laying and 97 M. Long Cedar, which we placed at $2.08 for former and $5.62 for latter. The "Dawn," with 200 M., and the "Utility" with 995 M. Laying to neighbours, have since arrived and prices obtained are about the same as advised above. The "Harry Troop" also had 1,400 M. Cedar Laying which had been previously contracted for by dealers at $2.25, being guaranteed as better quality than the general run, and a cargo of 820 M. offered to arrive is supposed to have been fixed at $2.09, or thereabouts. The market therefore is well supplied especially with Cedar Laying, and we must look for lower prices for future arrivals.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells' Monthly Timber Circular contains the following information in respect to the Glasgow lumber market:

WHITE PINE.—The import during the month has been 1,000 loads waney pine. The stock now consists of about 7,000 loads waney and square, and in view of the reduced consumption and none to rosy outlook, seems more than ample for all prospective requirements.

RED PINE.—Stock is very low but quite ample, there being now hardly any enquiry for this class of timber.

OAK.—There has been no import, and stocks are still heavy, aggregating about 3,700 loads in Quebec and Southern States wood. Enquiries during the month have been of a trivial nature, and prices are rather easier.

ELM.—The stock amounts to 1,663 loads, and shows a satisfactory reduction on the two previous years. This almost wholly consists of second-class and soft elm, there being practically no first-class rock of good size at present in stock. First-class rock is being enquired for, and fresh shipments should meet with a ready market.

QUEBEC BIRCH.—The import during June amounts to about 60 loads, consisting of large wood, which was disposed of from the ship's side at, it is understood, 2s. 1d. for 18-inch average. The stock on hand is trifling, and a few shipments should meet with a ready enough sale, though at the same time there is nothing like an active demand existing.

LOWER PORT BIRCH.—The total import so far this year only amounts to 230 loads, and seems to have been ample for the trade's requirements, as there is still some 86 loads of Pictou wood in the public yards. Values are round about 16½d. for 15-inch average.

QUEBEC ASH.—The import this year has been on a very meagre scale, but notwithstanding this there has been little or no enquiry, which indicates that this once popular wood has gone pretty much out of use. In States ash about 850 logs have been imported during the six months, a considerable proportion of which is still lying in store unsold. There are only occasional enquiries.

DEALS, ETC.—Business during the month has been quiet, and imports continue on a modern scale. Stocks of narrow 1st pine deals are low, and a shipment or two of 7/10 and 3 would meet with a ready market. The stock of 2nd, 3rd, and 4th pine is heavy, and difficult to move. Lower Port Spruce and Pine.—The import has been heavy, and while sales have been made freely, prices are considerably reduced. Current values are as under:—

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(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN)

VANCOUVER, July 4th, 1904.—There is a little improvement in trade with the North-west Territories this month, though nothing to have any particular effect on the depressed conditions. The Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company is one of the companies doing a good business in that market and is shipping upwards of 100,000 feet per day. It is aggravating to lumber manufacturers to think what trade might be done if Canada were preserved for the Canadians instead of allowing Americans to use our markets for their own convenience.

One article in which Vancouver manufacturers should do a brisk business with settlers in the Territories is that of knock-down houses. Mr. E. Mahoney, manager of the Royal City Mills, one of the large local establishments of the B. C. Mills, Timber and Trading Company, patented a model knock-down house a short time ago, and Mr. H. A. Bell, of this city, has gone to Winnipeg where he will attend the Dominion exhibition and set forth the advantages of a structure of this kind. The model is ingenious, and when set up can hardly be told from the ordinary house of carpenter build. It is a fine thing for settlers just starting up in a new country where material and builders are scarce.

Railway building in the North-west, where many hundreds of miles will be laid this year, and also in the southern part of this province, is bringing good business to East Kootenay, as many ties are needed. Many camps have been started up this year in addition to those which have been operating. W. H. Griffith, of Cranbrook, is putting in a plant at Fort Steele Junction; R. O. Jennings and G. Laurie, both of Fort Steele, have each contracts for 50,000; the East Kootenay Lumber Company, which last year supplied the C.P.R. with 1,000,000, has over 150 men at work getting out ties, and 70 or 80 men are working near Kimberley at the same occupation.

The loggers have not yet presented their petition to the government praying for the abrogation of the order-in-council prohibiting export of logs, but their does not seem to be much chance of their wish being acceded to. Some of the millmen would like to see the embargo lifted for a short period anyway to allow the surplus stock to be disposed of, but governments are very conservative and slow to adapt themselves to circumstances, until, perhaps, damaging effects bring the matter prominently to their attention.

The only encouraging feature in the whole situation is the large number of applications for licenses to cut timber on government lands, there being fifteen in last week's Gazette. John Murray, Provincial Government Timber Inspector, has returned from a trip to the interior. He was collecting dues from mills in view of the closing of the fiscal year on June 30th, and reports that returns were prompt and better than he expected.

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2x10 common	19 50	20 00
x12 common	21 00	22 00
2x10 common	20 00	21 00
3x12 common	21 00	22 00
3, x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding common	16 00	17 50
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
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1 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00

1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	14 00 15 00
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Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 40
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	2 90
1⅜ in. No. 1 Norway lath	3 10
X white pine shingles	1 15
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	2 95
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 15
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 50
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in	2 30
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 55

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Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 1 to 1½ in	27 00	29 00
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Ash M R., 1 to 2	22 00	24 00
Birch M. R. 1 in.	23 00	24 00
" 1½ " 2	24 00	25 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	26 00	27 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1½ in	26 00	28 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 m. r.	28 00	30 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½ 60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½ 23 00	25 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3 24 00	26 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼" 25 00	27 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3 27 00	30 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2 36 00	38 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	1 1½ 22 00	24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4 25 00	27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½ 38 00	40 00
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ASH.

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Average 16 inch	30	35

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14 inch	20	22
16 "	28	30
17 "	30	32
18 "	32	34

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2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine, good strips: 2 in	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
ine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
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ine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
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Pine s. c. strips	13 00 15 00
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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	77 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	82 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	58 00	4 in.	78 00
2in.	59 00		

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in., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide.	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6.	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4.	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 25	No. 2 White Pine	2 75
		Hemlock	2 50

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2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	35
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40	42
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.		25
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12		20
1 to 2 in.	60	63	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	31
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56	1x10	25	20
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	26
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	24
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	52	1x10	23	22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	1x8	20	20
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Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	40	44
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Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25

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Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	61 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1 x 6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼ & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
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1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00	45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	2 00	24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	5 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

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Common and culls	3 00	14 00	Common and culls	10 00	12 00

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Selects, 1 to 2 inch	70 00 75 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	60 00 65 00
1¼ to 2 inch	65 00 68 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	43 00 44 00
1¼ to 2 inch	54 00 58 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00 32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	43 00 46 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00 33 00
No. 2	25 00 28 00
No. 3	23 00 26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension	21 00
9 in. and under	19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up	20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up	17 50
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The white pine market is now holding its own, no further concessions to buyers, so far as can be learned, having been made. It is believed that the readjustment of prices which has taken place has been beneficial to the market in that it has encouraged the consumption of lumber. There are already indications that consumers who have kept out of the market as much as possible are now willing to contract for future supplies, and this class of buying is likely to figure prominently in lumber transactions during the next three months. Dealers and consumers have been running along with as little stock as possible, in the hope of being in a position to take advantage of the mid-summer drop in prices which is often experienced. Consequently, they are now prepared to buy. Michigan dealers are also showing a little more interest in the market, and enquiries from the Eastern States are increasing in number. Mr. S.O. Fisher is reported to have recently sold 10,000,000 feet of lumber to be sawn at Blind River, and as he had previously sold 5,000,000 feet, it leaves but 10,000,000 feet of this season's output on the market. Many other large manufacturers have sold an equal percentage, while others are holding their cut for higher prices than can now be obtained.

While there has been a falling off in the demand for hardwoods, prices have not broken to any extent. Some grades are in light supply, as enquiries for stock frequently bring the reply that the lumber cannot be supplied at any price, which would indicate that there is not so much stock on the market as may be supposed.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber is no weaker, for manufacturers refuse to sacrifice their stock. The New York market is taking a considerable quantity of New Brunswick lumber, the demand in that city being quite active for this season of the year, but there has been no visible improvement in shipments to Great Britain. We understand, however, that most of the operators in Western Nova Scotia have placed their entire output under contract, and there is not likely to be as much lumber offering as was expected earlier in the season. There wil be upwards of 30,000,000 feet of lumber hung up on the St. John river, which will reduce somewhat the lumber production of that district. Some consideration has been given to next winter's logging operations, and the disposition seems to be to delay as long as possible making arrangements for work in the woods and to be guided by the market

conditions. If the market does not improve it is quite likely that several manufacturers will greatly curtail their operations and that others will take out no logs whatever. This disposition is a strong argument in favor of maintaining the present prices of lumber.

New Brunswick cedar shingles are offering in excess of the demand and there has been an increased number of sales at the low basis of $3.20 for Extras at Boston rate of freight. This would seem to present a good opportunity for dealers to acquire a supply of shingles, as when the fall trade commences and the Presidential election is out of the way, there will doubtless be a reaction to higher prices.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The aggregate cost of buildings for which permits have been issued so far this year in the city of Winnipeg exceeds $6,000,000. This vast amount of building will call for a large quantity of lumber and is responsible for considerable activity in lumber circles. The consumption throughout the entire North-West is heavy, and as the yield of wheat promises to be the largest on record, dealers are disposed to stock up to some extent in anticipattion of a continuance of the present healthly demand.

A late event of interest to British Columbia lumbermen was the adoption of a 40 cent rate on fir, hemlock and spruce lumber shipped from the Coast mills to Manitoba points. Up to the present time the 40 cent rate applied to fir lumber only, but the C. P. R. have now extended the rate to included spruce and hemlock. It is hoped eventually that a similar rate will be given on cedar also.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber outlook in the United States has brightened and the feeling of confidence is more pronounced. Statistics published by the Construction News shows that in the twenty-three leading cities there was a notable increase in building operations during the month of June as compared with the same month last year. The increase is equal to forty-two per cent. and shows that there has been a marked revival of building. The belief that this activity will continue throughout the season is in part responsible for the feeling of hopefulness which now pervades the lumber trade. The promise of an average yield of wheat and corn is also a favorable factor. Throughout the Eastern States there is a very fair demand for the lower grades of white pine, but it cannot be said that the upper grades are showing much life, and some buyers are still deferring purchases in the hope of being able to buy at lower prices. But dealers are not carrying large stocks and will be compelled to buy moderately if for nothing more than to supply requirements. Therefore, there is likely to be a sufficient movement to prevent prices of uppers from sagging any further, while the lower grades might easily be advanced.

Some business is doing in hardwoods, but it lacks snap. Plain oak is more active than any other lumber, and there has been an improvement of about $2 per thousand. White ash is also a good seller in the Boston market. White pine lath are worth at Buffalo $3.60 for No. 1 and $3 for No. 2 and Norway.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The slightly improved tone which we recently announced has continued. Buyers are a little more willing to acquire lumber when there is anything to commend its purchase. Although the market for Canadian lumber may truly be said to be a little firmer, prices are not quotably higher. The holders of white pine are not willing to sacrifice their stock, knowing that the supply is limited. Red pine is also in strong hands, and as the decline has been considerable an early recovery would be but natural. There has been a little more contracting for spruce deals, the basis being about £9 per standard for Quebec thirds. Of the Canadian hardwoods ash and elmare about the best at the present time. Square and waney pine timber is firm, but the demand is not active.

The improvement in the British market was not reflected in the prices realized at the last public sale in London, when 3 x 9 inch second quality, 12 feet long, brought only £9 10s. per standard. For third quality £7 15s. was obtained. These prices, particularly in the first instance, leave no profit to the importer.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Sturgeon river drive of over 17,000,000 logs was finished last week.

The barque Enterprise is about to load lumber at Wentworth, N.S., for the River Platte.

Forty-seven vessels have reached the Tonawandas this month, with a total of 33,423,061 feet of lumber.

S. O. Fisher, of Bay City, Mich., who stocks the Dolsen & McEwen saw mill at Blind River, Ont., is reported to have sold a block of lumber to go east.

The barge Three Brothers arrived at Owen Sound, Ont., recently from Boyne City, Mich., with about 500,000 feet of hardwood lumber for Keenan Bros., Limited.

The tug Arbutus reeently brought to Owen Sound a raft of 400,000 feet of maple and beech logs for the North American Bent Chair Company. The logs were cut on the peninsula.

The Fredericton Boom Company, Fredericton, N. B., had rafted up to July 15th 46,000,000 feet of logs at the Douglas and Lincoln booms. This is about one-third of the quantity likely to go through the booms this season.

J. D. McLean, Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs, is asking for tenders up to August 19th for the white and red pine, tamarac and cedar timber of 9 inches and over in diameter at the stump, standing and lying on Indian Reserves Nos. 26A, containing 4,850 acres, and 26B, containing 2,600 acres, on Rainy Lake, district of Rainy river.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to 6th July, as reported by the Supervisor of Cullers :

	1902 Cu. Ft.	1903 Cu. Ft.	1904 Cu. Ft.
Waney White Pine....	1,286,662	611,480	987,880
White Pine.....	257,197	80,620	69,920
Red Pine.....	45,231	40	2,000
Oak.....	339,071	380,640	121,760
Elm.....	442,046	216,000	131,400
Ash.....	46,931	34,160	12,240
Birch and Maple....	86,310	132,840	111,690

The exports of lumber from St. John, N.B., sawn at mills owned by Americans, during the three months ending June 30, were valued at $140,793.08, made up as follows: Long lumber, $118,375.16; shingles, $13,065.08; lath, $9,352.84. In the same period the New Brunswick lumber sent from that port to the United States was valued at $71,742.26, made up as follows: Long lumber, $24,124.59; lath, $36,812.93; shingles, $5,807.97; piling, $4,759.40; staves, $237.38.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

OTTAWA, July 18, 1904.—The report of a decline in lumber is not given credence by Ottawa and Ottawa district manufacturers and wholesalers. Careful inquiry failed to show any weakening or tendency to weakening outside the English market. As has been already reported, square timber has dropped about ten cents from the ten per cent. advance at which contracts were made last fall. True, business with the States has been very slack, but the stagnation of trade is not taken as an indication of a weakening in prices. Lumbermen are notorious for their reluctance to figure in print, so that names cannot often be used. A local wholesaler said today, "I would like to know where prices are weakening, it's certainly not around Ottawa. Only last week I was offered a block of high grade lumber, but at an advance of $2 on the figure ruling a year ago."

A manufacturer said, "While there may be isolated instances where prices have become easier, there has been no decline that could be looked on as indicating a weakening in general in any line."

As a matter of fact, the manufacturers would not be affected by any decline, as the Ottawa Valley cut is practically all out of

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hands. None of the present season's cut is ready to ship yet, but with the turn of the summer it will be on the move. Stocks in the States are very low, and must necessarily be replenished ere long. Continued labor troubles across the border have held back the lumber business, and, of course, the old familiar bugbear, Presidential election, has played a similar part. Once Uncle Sam gets away from these there should be resumed activity in the lumber business, and an increased demand for Canadian stuff.

Men are already being hired for early operations on the limits. Wages are ower by $2 to $3 a month, and a further decline is looked for from the high figures that have held good for the past three years.

In a recent issue of THE LUMBERMAN, mill cull sidings were quoted as being $1 higher than ten inch mill culls. According to a local manufacturer the situation should be reversed.

All the logs are now on the Ottawa and its big tributaries. The rush of logs is so great that hundreds of thousands are being held back on the tributaries. For instance, on the Madawaska, Mr. J. B. Booth is holding 400,000 awaiting the time when the booms on the main Ottawa will be releived of their present congested condition. So great was the crush of logs that the Upper Ottawa Improvement Company found it necessary to put in a new boom on the Ottawa at Rocher Capitional about twenty miles above the Des Joachims boom near Pembroke.

The rapid fall of the unprecended high water on the Gatineau, left about 80,000 logs stranded along the low lands. Men are now at work getting these back into the main streams.

TIMBER OPERATIONS AT TEMISKAMING.

Following is a statement of the total quantity and value of timber cut and sold by settlers in the Temiskaming District during the past winter. The purchasers were J. R. Booth, E. B. Eddy Company and the Rideau Lumber Company.

TIMBER	QUANTITY	VALUE
Pine	2,608,894 ft. B.M.	$26,088.94
Spruce	4,089 000 " "	32,712.00
Tamarac	483,934 " Lineal	16,937 69
Cedar	3,641,212 " "	91,030.19
Pulpwood	13,232 Cords	36,388 00
Tamarac Ties	202,029	24,243 48
Cedar Ties	35,558	1,266 96
Jack Pine Ties	4,055	486.60
Cedar Posts	10,572	634 32
		$232,788.18

There were nearly 300 settlers cutting timber, therefore the average amount paid to each settler would be nearly $800. There was also about 750,000 feet of pine cut by the mills for local supply only.

COOPERAGE STOCK.

Messrs. Sutherland, Innes & Company, Chatham, Ont., say: "Until recently the weather has been very unfavourable for summer logging, there being so much rain that the woods are still very wet, and hardly anything has been done in the way of hauling. The consequence is that a great many mills are shut down, having cut out the logs they got in during the winter months, and until we get a dry spell they will not be able to commence running again. The majority of the mills, however, are still running, although some of them only from hand to mouth, and the coopers are being fairly well supplied with material; in fact, we believe we may safely say that this is the first time for nearly 12 months that coopers have been able to get an adequate supply of material to keep them going. This month, however, will deplete the stocks on hand very considerably, and there is likely to be some delay in shipments going forward.

"We, ourselves, are anticipating a rush for apple barrel stock and are keeping a small stock on hand at every mill possible for emergency. The outlook for the apple crop is excellent, and probably more apple barrel stock has been already placed this season than was ever known before in the history of the cooperage industry, as the coopers are determined not to be caught short this year as they were last. There is no doubt there will be quite a scarcity of apple barrel stock later on, but we are in hopes there will be enough to go around to take care of the trade. The demand for flour barrel stock continues good, although it has eased off slightly, while the demand for all other classes of stock continues brisk, and the cement mills are now running stronger than they have done for months.

"Prices for all classes of stock remain firm; if anything there is a slight upward tendency in hoops and heading from a month ago, although it is not very appreciable. The larger manufacturers have been persistent in their prices since the new stock came in, the cheap stock which was offered on the market being made by the smaller manufacturers and in some cases it was considerably off grade. Some of the small mills turn out very good stock indeed, while others turn out very poor stock. We do not mean to say by any means that the large manufacturers are the only parties who turn out good stock.

"Sizing up the whole situation, we should think it was satisfactory both from the manufacturers' and coopers' standpoint; from the manufacturers' standpoint because they are getting a fair profit on the goods they manufacture, and from the coopers' standpoint because they are getting the stock which they require, and are able to get a fair price for their barrels.

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Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	25 00	27 00
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Uppers, 3 in.	83	85
2½ in.	83	85
1 to 2 in.	78	80
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1 to 2 in.	70	72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75
1 to 2 in.	60	63
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55	56
No. 2	35	45
No. 3	30	35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40
Stained saps	32	40
Bracket plank	35	45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28
1x12 inch shippers	$24	27
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19
10-in. dressing and better	30	35
12-in. dressing and better	40	42
Box, 1x10-in.		25
Box, 1x12		20
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	31
1x10	25	20
1x8	23	26
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	24
1x10	23	22
1x8	20	20
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35	42
" " 2 inch	40	42
Dressing	26	25
Common		25

LATH.

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4 in.	75 00	
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1½ in.	34 00	
2 in		36 00
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No. 2, 12 in.		26 00
No. 3, 10 in.		20 00
No. 3, 12 in.		22 50
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1x 10		19 50
1x12		20 00
1x13 and up		22 00
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1¼ to 2 inch	54 00	58 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	43 00	46 00
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No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There has been a fair degree of activity in the lumber market during the past week. Some dissatisfaction is expressed in regard to United States shipments, but business locally compares very favorably with one year ago. Some dealers report that their facilities are taxed to the utmost to fill the large number of small orders which call for immediate delivery, which is an indication that consumers and retail dealers are carrying very light stocks. There is a very fair demand for bill stuff and some difficulty has been experienced in obtaining the necessary material to fill orders. The pine market as a whole is exhibiting strength, and any change in prices is likely to be in the direction of an improvement.

Buyers who have visited the hardwood mills have found that there is not a large quantity of stock offering nor any weakness in prices. Manufacturers seem to have become satisfied that the entire hardwood production will find a market at the prices now prevailing, and accordingly no concessions of consequence are being made. Hardwoods for interior finish are in good demand in Toronto. The furniture and implement factories are also willing buyers of stock. Lath and shingles are moving in some volume at unchanged prices. The consumption of No. 1 pine lath in Toronto is considerable, but there is very little demand for No. 2 excepting in the country districts.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Considerable lumber is changing hands in the Eastern Provinces, notwithstanding the low prices, but it is composed chiefly of small lots, as buyers are not disposed to assume much risk until conditions improve. British deals are fully $2 per thousand lower than one year ago, which leaves little or no profit for the producer.

Manufacturers will hold their logs and lumber rather than sell at the prevailing low prices, and it is probable that the market will recover later in the season. New Brunswick cedar shingles have not strengthened, but on the other hand larger quantities of Extras have been sold on the basis of $3.20 for Boston delivery. As with lumber, the larger manufacturers are holding their stocks.

UNITED STATES.

The good prospect of having a large yield of wheat and corn to sell at high prices has established a strong feeling of confidence in the business community and has perceptibly influenced the lumber market. Retail dealers are anticipating their demands and are laying in a stock for the fall trade. These remarks apply particularly to the agricultural districts, but a better feeling prevails in the Eastern States also on account of an improved outlook for the iron and steel trade. The Buffalo White Pine Association met last week and reaffirmed the price list. Common lumber still shows an advancing tendency and no sales are being made at cut prices. Eastern dealers have picked up several blocks of lumber in the Lake Superior district, which would seem to indicate that the idea of a further decline in prices has been abandoned. Spruce lumber is not being manufactured in large quantities, the supply being no more than equal to the demand. The random cargo market is quiet, but ordered cargoes are active and firm. Quotations at Boston are: 2 × 3-4, 10 feet and up, and 2 × 5-6-7, $16.50; 2 × 8-9, 10 feet and up, and 4 × 4 and up, $17.50; 2 × 10 × 12, $20.

After weeks of inactivity the hardwood market is now showing more life. Soft elm in all grades and thicknesses is one of the best sellers. Plain sawed oak is also in good demand. Furniture manufacturing has not revived in full measure and consequently birch continues dull, but as the supply is not heavy, there is no pressure to sell.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Lumber conditions in Great Britain have improved only in respect to consumption, which is a little more active. While prices are firm, there has been no material advance, although it may be said that there is less pressure to sell. Buyers who deferred making contracts have been rewarded for their procrastination, but considering the present low basis of prices, it would seem unwise to further delay the making of contracts for requirements, and even buying for speculative account would seem to offer a good opportunity for profit. We are told that during the past fortnight prices of spruce cargoes have still further sagged, but that several cargoes have lately been sold to the Bristol Channel ports at the lower figures. It is stated that shippers regard the decline as temporary in character and look for a recovery of some proportions in the early fall. Spruce lumber is now lower than it has been for some years. A quantity of 3 × 9 inch second quality, of Breakey's manufacture, sold recently at public sale at £9 10s. per standard, which is practically c.i.f. prices.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Montgomery Bros., of Buffalo, have received 10,000,000 feet of lumber by lake this season.

Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company have just purchased the unsold stock to be cut this season by Eddy Bros. & Company at Blind River, Ont., estimated at 20,000,000 feet. The lumber will likely be shipped to Saginaw.

At an auction sale held by Churchill & Sims, London, England, on July 13th, a small quantity of Canadian lumber sold as follows: 12-14 feet, 3 x 11 inch unassorted pine, £5 per standard; 12 feet, 3 x 9 inch second quality spruce, £9 10s; 13 feet, 3 x 11 inch third quality spruce, £7 5s.

The American Lumberman says: "Importations of lumber into Canada for April, 1904, were valued at $588,087, as against $436,128 in the like month of 1903. For the period of ten months ended April 30 of the present year, lumber was imported into Canada, largely from the United States, to the value of $4,679,556, as against $2,920,876 in the corresponding period in the year previous. Thus American lumber sent over the line into Western Canada almost doubled in value in the last ten months, as stated. It is not to be wondered at, therefore, that the British Columbians are anxious to dam back this inflow of American lumber by some sort of fiscal legislation."

Messrs. Denny, Mott & Dickson, London, Eng., say of the lumber market: "There has been some demand for waney pine of good dimension but little enquiry for oak and elm. The latter, however, continues to harden in price—owing to the difficulty of shippers finding even the limited quantity to which they have committed themselves for the new season. Quebec oak continues to be difficult to sell, owing to the cheaper, if inferior, American oak being taken for many purposes where the dearer article used to be specified. The spruce market has shown an easier tendency for ordinary specifications but good prices have been realized by shippers for special requirements."

Messrs. S. P. Mussen, Son & Company, of Barbadoes, say: "The only arrivals during the fortnight ending July 16th were the schooner "F. B. Wade" with 62,000 feet of white pine and 2,000 feet of spruce, and the schooner "Nellie" with 15,000 feet of white pine and 32,000 feet of spruce, which were placed in Trinidad. The market is well supplied, and the demand, as usual after the crop, is very light. The lot of 820,000 of Cedar Laying shingles to which we alluded in our last, arrived on the 5th, and while $2.09 was obtained for the bulk of the cargo, $1.86 had to be accepted for the balance, which were not up to quality. The market for these is now well stocked, and although Long Cedar are not held in any quantity, we look to see lower prices in both these grades for next arrivals. Dimensions are in very light supply and a small lot would bring fair prices."

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., July 22, 1904.—Conditions in British Columbia, while not improving to any degree worthy of mention, are not getting any worse. Some lumbermen might say that the latter was impossible, still the mills are running, and though prices are not maintained in their integrity, yet they are sufficiently good that the sawing of the stock of logs on hand is continued. The 40-cent rate on spruce and hemlock to points east of the western boundary of Manitoba will be more of a benefit to the millmen of the interior, where these timbers are mainly sawn. Heretofore, the territory for the 40-cent rate extended only to the Manitoba line, but since American roads decided to extend the territory to all points west of the Missouri river, the C. P. R. was permitted to include Manitoba, which would under those circumstances be non-competitive territory. An extension of the 40-cent rate has been agitated for by the lumbermen, and now their hope is to have it apply to cedar. This the railway company will, however, not do, until the American roads take similar action. Coast lumbermen deal principally in fir and cedar, while spruce is one of the staples of those manufacturers who have their mills in the Kootenay. It is one step, though, to a betterment of rates, and in the present depression is of assistance.

The announcement of Hon. Mr. Fielding that next year something may be done for the protection of the lumber industry is not regarded so much as encouragement as a promise in view of the elections which may come off shortly. The necessity of preserving Canadian markets for the Canadian people, as is done in every industry except that of lumber, has been brought to the attention of the Liberal Government since 1896, and particularly within the last couple of years. The Government cannot plead ignorance of conditions, and in the last speech of Mr. Fielding, when he announced the dumping clause, he carefully excluded the west from any benefits, although providing that the people out this way should pay whatever extra could be charged on goods, and they are many, imported from the east. Hence, the statement that something may be done next year is not taken with all sincerity, and lumbermen here will believe nothing until they either see the duty imposed or have very definite assurance that it will be done.

A story was circulating in the up-country papers to the effect that the Kamloops Lumber Company had sold out their interests in the mills at Kamloops, Enderby and Annis, and had profited considerably by the transaction. Mr. George McCormick is head of this concern, and Mr. Wm. Irwin, of Peterboro, Lieut.-Col. M. Davidson and Lieut.-Col. John McGillivray,

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both of Toronto, are also interested. Mr. D. C. Irwin, of this city, brother of Mr. William Irwin, and who also has shares, states that the deal was one whereby the company purchased several of the smaller holdings of stock, and thus have centralized interests instead of disposing of them.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., July 19th, 1904.—The lumber trade in this vicinity is quite brisk. Low prices prevail in all branches, but the feeling seems to be that they have reached rock-bottom. It is almost certain that when a change occurs it will be more favorable to the manufacturers.

English deals have shown but little change during the last month. Shipments from this port have been quite heavy and the wharves are being kept quite clean. Part of these shipments were the tail-ends of some 1903 contracts, but outside that the demand is fairly brisk. Still it is not so great as to warrant a too pessimistic view of the immediate future. Buyers are cautious, few contracts of any importance are being made, sales are small and mostly for early delivery. Few manufacturers have disposed of any lumber except in the way mentioned, as the prices available do not warrant their tying themselves up to any great extent. They are confidently expecting better conditions and want to be in a position to make the most of them when they do arrive.

According to information received from reliable sources, the principal dealers in the United Kingdom are carrying very small stocks; therefore any stimulation in the demand will be sure to have an immediate effect on prices. This is what the local dealers are hoping for and expecting. If, however, their expectations should fail to be realized, there is very little doubt that, preferring to hold their logs rather than carry a large stock of manufactured lumber or sell at a loss, they would cease operations entirely for a few months.

A specification of merchantable spruce deals of an average length say of 14½ feet, containing say 50 per cent. of 7s and 8s, 35 to 40 per cent. 9s, and 10 to 15 per cent. 11s, would probably bring from $11.50 to $11.75 per M s.ft., f.o.b. St. John.

The logs being sawn in this section this year are somewhat smaller than was the case last year. The result will be a larger percentage of the narrower deals, which, of course, reduces the value of the specification in which they are included.

Freight rates from St. John to the West Coast range from 32s 6d to 35s per standard.

Very little pine or hemlock will be manufactured here this season. Both are growing scarcer year by year and the small lots which are available are mostly American, being cut on the Aroostook river or some of its tributaries. Very little is shipped, as all that is obtained is required for local use and brings a higher price than could be obtained elsewhere.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Benedick, for Barrow-in-Furness, 1,967,677 ft. deals, 160,009 ft.scantling, 85,776 ft.ends, 13,550 ft. boards. Steamer Micmac, for Brow Head, 85,232 ft. scantling, 98,620 ft. ends, 3,065 ft. boards. Schooner Rewa, for New York, 212,002 ft. plank. Schooner Ida M. Barton, for Vineyard Haven, 727,000 laths. Schooner William Marshall, for Philadelphia, 1,537,000 laths. Schooner Norman, for Washington, 1,833,700 lath; schooner Lucia Porter, 1,700,000 laths.

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1¼, 1½ and 2 inch No 2 cuts & better	$44 00 $48 00
1½ and thicker cutting up plank	28 00 30 00
1x10 and 12 Canadian dressing and better	27 00 29 00
1 inch Canada dressing and better	24 00 27 00
1x4, 6 and 8 common	18 50 16 50
2x10 common	19 50 20 00
1x12 common	21 00 22 00
2x10 common	20 00 21 00
3x12 common	21 00 22 00
3x10 and 12 common	20 00 22 00
Inch siding common	16 00 17 50
1 cn strips common	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
Inch strips 4 in. to 8	
1 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00 22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	14 00 15 00
Cull scantling	12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1 1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 40
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	2 90
1½ in. No. 1 Norway lath	3 10
X white pine shingles	1 15
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts.	2 25
XXX white pine shingles	3 15
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	2 95
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	3 15
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 50
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 30
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in	2 55

HARDWOODS—PER M. FEET CAR LOTS.
Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$32 00 $35 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 1 to 1½ in	27 00 29 00
Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 2 to 4 in	28 00 31 00
Ash M R., 1 to 2	22 00 24 00
Birch M. R. 1 in.	23 00 24 00
" 1½ " 2	24 00 25 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	26 00 27 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¾ in	26 00 28 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 m. r. 1 1¾	24 00 26 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds 1½	60 00 70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	65 00 75 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	23 00 25 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	24 00 26 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	25 00 27 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	27 00 30 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	36 00 38 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	22 00 24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	25 00 27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	38 00 40 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	41 00 43 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	37 00 39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	40 00 42 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds " 2	65 00 65 00
Walnut, 1sts and 2nds 1 " 3	85 00 100 00

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WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts
Square white pine, measured off, 30 to 40 feet average	40	65
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	60
" " " 19 to 20 inch average " "	60	95

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
Shipping order, " " "	35	40

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 40 to 45 feet	60	75
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	45	50

ASH.

9 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
Average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 Inch	20	22
16 "	28	30
17 "	30	32
18 "	32	34

OTTAWA, ONT.

MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00 45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00 50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00 55 00
Pine good strips: 2 in	38 00 40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00 30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00 35 00
2 in.	35 00 40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00 25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00 24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16 20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'	18 20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16 19 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00 14 00
Pine, box boards	00 14 50
Pine mill culls	13 00 14 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40 2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00 2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 15
Red Pine, mill run	2 00 2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00 3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40 2 60
xx 18 inch	1 40 1 60
Cedar Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 30 3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50 2 75
xx, 18 inch	1 60 1 70

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	77 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00
4 in.	90 00
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$70 00
1¼, 1½ and in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	77 00
4 in.	82 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	56 00
¼ and 1½ in.	58 00
in.	59 00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
4 in.	78 00

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide	36 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00
2in	50 00
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	63 00
4 in.	68 00

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	30 00
10 in.	24 00
9 in.	23 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	25 00
10 in.	22 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00
No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
10 in.	19 00
9 in.	18 00
8 in.	19 00
1x6	19 00
1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00
Clear Butts	3 00
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 75
Clear Butts	2 75

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 25
No. 2 White Pine	2 75
Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	85 85
2½ in.	83 85
1 to 2 in.	78 80
4 inch uppers	88 90
Selects, 2½ in up	77 82
1 to 2 in.	70 72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72 75
1 to 2 in.	60 63
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	55 56
No. 2	35 45
No. 3	30 35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48 52
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 40
Stained saps	32 40
Bracket plank	35 45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35 40
1x12 inch shippers	$24 27
4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19
10-in. dressing and better	30 35
12-in. dressing and better	40 42
Box, 1x10-in.	25
Box, 1x12	30
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 31
1x10	25 20
1x8	23 26
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 24
1x10	23 22
1x8	20 20
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	35 42
" " 2 inch	40 44
Dressing	26 25
Common	25 28

LATH.

Pine	$3 15
Spruce	$3 15

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine	ex. xxxx	$4 50 $4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 53
Clear but		3 50 3 75	Hemlock 2 25
Smoot	x18	4 50 4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00
4 in.	85 00
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00
4 in.	80 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in.	61 00
3 in.	73 00
4 in.	75 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00
1¼ in.	34 00
2 in	36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
Box, 1x4	17 50
1x6 & up	19 00
1x10	19 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	22 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in. 43 00 45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips 22 00 24 00
			Com. and culls 16 00 19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls 15 00 17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 13 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up, 24 00 25 00
Common and culls	5 00	17 00	Common and culls 16 00 17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft 19 00 21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls 11 00 13 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$83 00 to $85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	70 00 75 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	60 00 65 00
1¼ to 2 inch	65 00 68 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	43 00 44 00
1¼ to 2 inch	54 00 58 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00 32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	43 00 46 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00 33 00
No. 2	25 00 28 00
No. 3	23 00 26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension	21 00
9 in. and under	19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up	20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up	17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up	18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. 1 s	17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s	14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled	17 00

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

Extras	3 20 to 3 25
Clears	2 75
Second clears	2 25 2 30
Clear Whites	2 15 2 25
Extra 1s (Clear whites out)	1 40
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60 1 65

BRITISH COLUMBIA SHINGLES.

Red Cedar Extras, 16 in., 5 butts to 2 in.	3 20
" Eurekas, 18 in.	3 20

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Thursday, the 15th day of September, 1904,

Timber Limits Nos. 1369 and 1370 situate on Dodd Lake which empties into Malaspine Strait in British Columbia, said to contain 6608 acres.

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

The purchasers of each parcel shall pay 10% of the purchase money at the time of sale to the Vendor's solicitors and the balance in 30 days thereafter into Court to the credit of this action without interest.

The Vendors will only be required to furnish such abstracts of title and title deeds or copies thereof or other evidences of title as are in their possession. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of this Court.

Further particulars may be had from Messrs, Bruce, Bruce & Counsell, Plaintiff's solicitors, Hamilton, Ont, Messrs. Washington & Beasley, defendant's solicitors. Hamilton, Ont., and C. Sweeney, Vancouver, B.C.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1904.

J. E. O'RIELLY,
Local Master at Hamilton.

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THE DIAMOND MATCH CO.,
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Wanted, Clear 1 in. Cedar, state price and quantity, also some clear pine. THE JUTTEN BOAT & LAUNCH WORKS, Hamilton, Ont.

SHINGLES FOR SALE

We will have for sale shortly about three millions of shingles. Clear, clear butts, and sound XX. CRATE & SPARHAM, Smith's Falls, Ont.

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

There will be sold by Public Auction at the Clifton House, Burk's Falls, on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER THE 6TH, 1904, at 2 p.m., 44½ square miles Timber Limit, comprising the Township of Chapman in the District of Parry Sound. For further particulars apply to the BRODHAGEN LUMBER CO., Ltd, Brodhagen, P.O., Ont.

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Timber Berths

and new well-equipped Band Saw Mill situate in the Province of Ontario, District of Algoma, as follows:

Township of Kitchener, 36 sq miles, virgin limit.
Township of Roberts, 36 sq. miles. virgin limit.
Berth No. 107, 36 sq. miles.
Berth No. 167, 36 sq. miles.

The above limits contain 100,000 000 feet of good Pine, besides Spruce, Birch, Cedar, etc., situate on Spanish river and convenient to Lake Huron. Also a new, well-equipped Band Saw Mill with Dwelling Houses, etc., convenient for men situate at Spanish. Will be sold en blok or separately. Terms of payment very reasonable. For further particulars apply to

HUGH S. BRENNEN,
Hamilton, Canada.

One hundred and twenty-four timber licenses were issued by the British Columbia government during the past month. This is considered astonishing in the face of the depression in the logging industry on the coast. Most of the licenses, however, are for Kootenay limits.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Lumber conditions during the past week, while not entirely satisfactory show evident signs of improvement, with the assurance of a large yield of grain hroughout the province. The demand during the past week has been steadily maintained local trade being good, in view of the extensive building operations now proceeding in the larger cities. Comparatively little lumber is being shipped to Great Britain, where the market still continues to be effected by the scarcity of money among the general public. Present shipments to the United States are small, dullness being chief feature of that market, although with the result of the presidential campaign a foregone conclusion and the large curtailments in the output of many industries, exporters are confident of a large increase in the demand towards the fall. Prices continue stationary generally holding to the figures that have ruled since spring. There is, however, a possibility of them taking a rise very soon as a large number of logs cut this year will not reach the mills on account of the excessive floods that have raged in various parts of the country.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The demand for spruce lumber continues fairly active, with dimensions and yard orders holding firmiy. Shipments to the United States have been fairly good but there continues to be very little buying for the British market. Hemlock boards are steady at firm prices, while the demand for pine, although the market still continues rather quiet, has increased during the week. New Brunswick cedar shingles have strengthened a little and are now being sold on the basis of $2.90. Lumber prices continue about the same although it is pleasing to note a lessening in the disposition to cut as reported during the past month.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

With the building season at its height in Manitoba and the North-West Territories the market for B. C. shingles has at last assumed a prosperous condition. The mills, for the first time during the past six months, are being run at their fullest capacity. Despite a general lull in the building trade in the Eastern and New England States these shingles continue to make headway in that market. Lumbermen are experiencing a fair improvement in the volumne of trade, the demand from the North-West being much larger with the partial exhaustion of the surplns stocks of the Washington mills. Foreign shipments continue small, Great Britain being overstocked, while the Australian market has sufficient stocks on hand to supply all demands for the next six months.

UNITED STATES.

But slight change has taken place in the condition of the trade during the week, although a universal cheerful tone seems to be prevalent with the expectation that matters will improve before long. Business has been slightly unsettled in the West on account of the packers' strike and other labor troubles, although these are partially offset by the decidedly favorable crop weather. There is a strong feeling that the limit has been reached in the way of weakness with the result that many wholesalers are displaying a tendency to hold what stocks they possess rather than dispose of them at less than a fair valuation, or what will produce a fair margin of profit. The hardwood trade continues the improvement of the preceding week, white pine however with the renewed activity in the box trade being considerably ahead of it. The furniture factories are beginning to buy more freely than heretofore, the demand for cyprus, spruce and hemlock being strongly to the front. Prices have been appreciably strengthened by the general curtailment of production both in the south and west, while a marked tendency to stop cutting is noticeable.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The past week has not heralded any improvement in the condition of the trade here, prices having had a tendency to droop. The business done seems to be more or less of a desultory character, but we are convinced that the reluctance to buy is attributable to the quietness of trade and to the absence of speculation among building contractors. The country has evidently not yet recovered from the results of the South African war, the population having developed extreme caution in their dealings, and until more cash accumulates there is very little likelihood of any improvement. Movements of both pine and spruce are quiet, the low prices of the preceeding week being maintained.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., July 30th, 1904.—The short lumber trade, both American and Provincial, is quite brisk. The demand is steady and somewhat sharper than was the case at this time last month.

American slab laths are worth from $2.15 to $2.20 per M, f.o.b. St. John. Stocks are low and as there are less being manufactured this year than has been the case for many years, they promise to be even scarcer.

Provincial laths are quite plentiful, and although none of the manufacturers are carrying heavy stocks, the chances are that that there will be no scarcity unless an unlooked for demand arises. They can be disposed of at from $1.85 to 1.95 per M. The weekly output of laths in St. John City alone is in the vicinity of 3,000,000. As some of the American millowners are sawing provincial logs, only about 800,000 American laths will be manufactured per week for the balance of the season.

Shipments of laths during June were rather light and for July mediumly heavy. According to all indications all receipts were absorbed by the markets in the New England States which showed no slackness in demand in consequence. The prospects unquestionably lead to the conclusion that laths will be higher but it is probable that the change will not take place before mid-Autumn. Inquiries during the last month have been more frequent and it is a well known fact that few dealers in the New England States have any quantity of any consequence in stock, but they will probably continue in this way until after the election.

Cedar shingles: There is little change in this line. Low grades are selling locally as fast as they can be produced and very few are left for export.

In Boston and vicinity trade is only moderately brisk. Lower prices are the rule this year in shingles as in other lines. It is hard to make any forecast, but the outlook for any immediate rise in price is not very bright. The feeling among the manufacturers and dealers in this vicinity is that the price has not touched the lowest point, but that it will be two months at least before anything more favourable to them can be expected.

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OAK.—The stocks of Canadian and American logs are far too heavy and as the prices asked are very high the consumption for the month was only one-third that of last year. Shippers are strongly advised to send nothing here but their very best lumber, as all inferior grades are simply given away at slaughter prices, the prevailing prices being as low as 36 cents a foot, landed.

SPRUCE.—The position of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce continues to steadily weaken owing to very large shipments and the fear that when the various companies in these provinces commence work upon the immense stock of logs now at hand there will be an excessive supply and a slump in prices will follow in the autumn.

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2x10 common	19 50	20 00	Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1x12 common	21 00	22 00	1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 40
2x10 common	20 00	21 00	1½ inch No. 2 Lath	2 90
3x12 common	21 00	22 00	1⅜ in. No. 1 Norway lath	3 10
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Ash, black, 1sts and 2nd, 2 to 4 in	28 00	31 00	Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½"	2.. 36 00 38 00
Ash M R., 1 to 2	22 00	24 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1	1½ 22 00 24 00
Birch M. R. 1 in.	23 00	24 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2	" 4.. 25 00 27 00
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14 Inch	20	22
16 "	28	30
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2 in. and up	38 00	40 00	1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00
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			Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40 2 60
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10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
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No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
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No. 2	35	45	1x8	23 25
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4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
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Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	10 00 17 00

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1¼ to 2 inch	65 00	68 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	43 00	44 00
1¼ to 2 inch	54 00	58 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	43 00	46 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Under the influence of a fair demand the lumber market has maintained a quiet though steady tone. Much prosperity is evidenced in the province, with the assurance of a good crop of grain, while the future is extremely promising in the building trade and various other departments of industry which all contribute largely to the advantage of the lumber trade, and which give promise of a good fall demand. The increasing competition of the American lumber is being utilized as a strong weapon in the hands of tariff reformers and it becomes increasingly evident that the government while opposed to any increase of duties, for purely protective purposes, will be compelled to yield to the pressure in the fall. Turning from local conditions it is regretable to note that there continues to be very little improvement in the British market, depression being the chief feature, while very few sales are made and practically none at all of square timber, except at ridiculous prices. This fact coupled with the unsatisfactory shipments to United States and the continued uncertainty of that market, has decided many operators upon a curtailment of the cut for the season just entered upon, and a reduction in the wages of their employees. Hardwoods are in steady demand, prices being firm and no concessions obtainable by purchasers.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Reports coming from Quebec and New Brunswick give really no substantial signs that the spruce market is likely to become more active in the near future. There has been an excellent yard demand from the United States during the past week, but, as against this, the shipments to England have been exceptionally light, while with the low pressure on the market prices have not improved. However, their is little possibilty of them going any lower, while in the general course of events the probabilities are they will improve. One of the causes advanced for this continued depression in the export business is that Russian lumbermen, being unable to borrow from their home banks, have been obliged to realize on stocks of lumber at any price, the figures quoted making it impossible for Canadians to compete. At St. Johns, N.B., in view of the continued quietness of the trade the lumbermen are seriously considering the advisability of curtailing the output by closing their mills early in the fall unless an improvement should change the situation. The situation is further accentuated by the increase in stumpage and mileage dues imposed by the Government of New Brunswick, which, it is estimated, will create an increased expenditure of $83,000 out of the St. Johns lumbermen alone. Cedar shingles are selling freely, there being evidence of a stronger market, which was anticipated some time back, appearing in the fall.

UNITED STATES.

From almost every part of the country trade reports this week show hopeful signs of improvement, and while the volumne of trade is still unsatisfactory, there comes an occasional report of a dealer doing good business. In some grades prices are weak, but as a rule these low offerings usually emanate from overstocked mills or those in want of money. Just now there appears a better demand for hemlock on account of the scarcity of low grade pine, and it is noted that this class of lumber is gradually winning a place for itself in spite of all prejudices, upon its merits. With the assurance of a good crop in all sectionn of the country, it becomes increasingly evident that the demand for lumber will show considerable improvement in the fall. Building in the large cities continues heavy and gives promise of holding so until the close of the season. The export trade is still in an indifferent condition, although manufacturers predict that rock bottom prices have been reached and that the advent of early fall will see a resumption of the demand and an increase in prices. The hardwood trade remains active, although the supply has been up to requirements, prices being the same. Very little change has been evidenced within the past week in general lumber prices obtained, western pine remaining firm, cyprus slow of sale and prices easy.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The latest indications to hand of the economic barometer points to fair weather in the near future. It is pleasing to note the healthy condition of the cotton trade and the encouraging reports of improvements in iron and steel. In the lumber business the past week has not heralded any discernible advance, as the country is right in the middle of the holiday season when movements are usually slow. The arrivals though fairly large, have with few exceptions been less than at this time last year, while the demand continues quiet, with ample stocks on hand and consequent low values. Maritime province spruce imports have lately increased in quantity but with the already large stocks on hand there has been a further decline in values. Many buyers have been tempted in the market on account of this continued decline. Quebec spruce has given evidence of a distinct improvement a much better feeling prevailing than for some time past. In pine deals the demand is exceedingly quiet and sales difficult, although prices in the better grades are firm. Birch planks are in good demand, prices being a little better. While the anticipated revival is slow in coming and numbers of consignments remain unsold, it is confidently expected that the opening of the fall season will herald an advance in all branches of the trade.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., August 1, 1904.—A good demand for lumber and especially shingles at the present time improves conditions in the industry on the coast and particularly in the interior, though none of the causes which brought about the depression have been removed. All grades of shingles are being asked for from the Territories and a fair business is being done.

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hardly to be taken as an indication that the industry is thoroughly prosperous, according to the expression of one of the prominent operators. He points out that 97 of the licenses were issued for the interior where there is activity in timber just now. Of the twenty-seven issued to people on the coast, all were renewals except one, showing that the holders of limits are only saving their investments, and waiting for better times.

Still, one or two new enterprises are talked of, besides the re-opening of the Ross-McLaren mills at New Westminster by a company composed of San Francisco capitalists. Ontario people, represented by Mr. Cook of Algoma, have secured large limits in the interior, and are talking of starting a mill near Ymir, while a company dealing in cedar, and which has mills at Ballard, Wa., is purchasing limits on the west coast of Vancouver island, to manufacture cedar for export. Thomas McNaught, of Toronto, has also been in the province lately, and is very favorably impressed with the prospects. He has not expressed himself as to whether or not he will erect a mill, but it is not improbable as so many people from Ontario have become interested in British Columbia during the last year or two. Nearly all of the big lumbermen in the interior are either from Ontario or the Maritime Provinces, with a few from Minnesota and Michigan.

Lumbermen from Winnipeg west to the coast have organized under the Manufacturers' Lumber Company, with a capital of $500,000 under the provisions of the Manitoba Joint Stock Companies Act. The membership includes all of the prominent operators, and principally those of the Kootenays and the interior, with a few from the coast. There are already two Associations in British Columbia, many members of which have joined the company recently organized. It is understood that the B.C. Lumber & Shingle Manufacturers Association, of this city, and the Mountain Manufacturers' Association, of the interior, still retain their integrity, though the new company places all under one management.

Bush fires on the coast have subsided since the rain, though the warm weather which has again followed will likely restart them. The most destructive of them all was that which burnt $200,000 worth of logs, the whole season's cut of the Elk River Lumber Company, and seriously threatened the town of Fernie, a week ago. This company is composed of Minnesota people. Two or three of the mills on the coast have also had narrow escapes from fire. Lumber in the yards of Mr. McLaren's mill at Barnet was discovered to be on fire the other night, but was extinguished with a loss of $700. Galbraith's sash and door factory, New Westminster, was also on fire, but was saved.

The loggers, who are praying for the removal of the export duty on logs saw the premier last week, but he asked them to wait until a full meeting of the executive was present. From the present attitude of the government, the loggers will remain bankrupt.

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1½ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

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No. 1, 12 in.	30 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 25	No. 2 White Pine	2 75
		Hemlock	2 50

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PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	48	5[illegible]	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	40	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank			

1x12 inch shippers	$	24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20
10-in. dressing and better	30	35
12-in. dressing and better	40	42
Box, 1x10-in.		20
Box, 1x12		21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
1x10	25	26
1x8	23	25
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27
1x10	23	24
1x8	22	23
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	32	38
" " 2 inch		

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25 5 53
Clear bu		3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 25
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 23

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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	23 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in	43 00	45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	22 00	24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00	21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00	12 00

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White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$83 00 to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	70 00	75 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	60 00	65 00
1¼ to 2 inch	65 00	68 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	43 00	44 00
1¼ to 2 inch	54 00	58 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	43 00	46 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		20 50
9 in. and under		18 50
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 00
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 00
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 00
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. 1 s		16 50
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1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled		16 50

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Extras		3 20
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Tenders to be in writing, and to be in the hands of the Executors at their head office at Brockville not later than the 12th of September next and to be addressed "The Executors of the Estate of the late John McLaren, Brockville, Ontario. Full particulars will be furnished intending purchasers on application to the Brockville office.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Dated at Brockville the Fourth Day of August 1904.

EMMA MacLAREN
WM. C. MacLAREN
J. E. VALLILLEE
Executors of the Estate of the late John MacLaren.

Log driving on the St. Mary's and Kootenay rivers, in British Columbia, came to an end last week. The Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Company have 5,000,000 feet in their booms at Wardner, and the Moyie Lumber Company have landed nearly 8,000,000 feet of logs in Moyie Lake.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Opinions as to the condition of the lumber market are not universally favorable. The stock of unsold lumber at the mills is no doubt larger than at the same time one year ago, and the movement at the present time does not indicate that the fall consumption will be unusually large. A good trade is promised in most of the cities, where building is active, but the purchasing power of the farming community may be curtailed by a depreciation in the grain yield. There is still a tendency on the part of manufacturers to shade some grades of lumber. Common white pine is holding its own, but all above that grade can usually be purchased at concessions from the prices ruling a month ago. Marked weakness is not anticipated, for the reason that, even if demand should be disappointing, the market will be held steady by the prevailing disposition to curtail the log production next winter. A meeting of lumbermen was recently held at Sudbury to consider the extent of the output and wages to be paid. Several operators stated that they purposed curtailing their output, one of them to the extent of 15,000,000 feet.

In hemlock the tone is stronger than in pine. Some manufacturers have advanced the price of inch stock fifty cents. Hardwoods are moving only moderately, but as the stock is not large there should be no difficulty in marketing it.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Nothing has transpired during the past week to cause increased activity in spruce lumber, orders continuing of a hand-to mouth character. However, the probability that the corporation drive of logs on the St. John river may be hung up has created a better feeling among holders of lumber. The contractor is meeting with much difficulty and is said to be desirous of abandoning the logs. At the annual sale of unmarked and mixed logs of the Fredericton Boom Company held last week, the prices realized were high when compared with the price of deals. Spruce brought $11.10 per thousand feet, pine $7, cedar $6.90, and hemlock $3.75. The outlook for New Brunswick cedar shingles is still discouraging, as there seems to be a considerable quantity offering at the prevailing low prices.

UNITED STATES.

Yellow pine lumber shows a pronounced improvement, the curtailment of production having caused a revival of demand and an advance in prices. Dealers realize that the market is hardening and that the likelihood is that there will be a further advance as soon as the fall movement commences. This improvement has been reflected in white pine, which is showing a little more activity. It is claimed that the stock of white pine lumber at the mill is exceptionally light, and with the guarantee that there will be no accumulation, the natural tendency of price is to harden. This is particularly true in respect to the lower grades, any sluggishness which prevails being confined to the better qualities. There is still a liberal demand for box lumber and prices promise to be strong throughout the fall months. Hemlock prices at Buffalo are reported stronger than they were, influenced by the prospect of a light cut for next season. Random cargoes of spruce are easier, while ordered cargoes are practically at the same level. There is no increase in the consumption of hardwoods, trade generally being backward. House finish is responsible for a considerable demand for such lumber as is suitable for that purpose. Birch and ash are among the leaders in the general demand, but in all departments there is room for improvement. Lath and shingle prices have been sustained.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Although some confidence is expressed in a stronger market, the transactions which are taking place bear little evidence of an early improvement. The stocks are still too heavy for the good of the trade and many holders are showing increased anxiety to close contracts. Even pine deals have been imported in excess of the consumption, with the result that the supply at the leading ports is larger than one month ago. The Liverpool stock is 12,080 standards as compared with 9,430 standards at corresponding time last year and 11,170 standards in 1902. New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce deals are held in stock to the extent of 11,240 standards, which is not an excessive quantity when compared with 10,890 standards in 1903 and 15,640 standards in 1902. Broad first quality pine deals are worth about $160 per standard; 11 inch, $145; second quality pine deals, 11 inches and up $85 per standard; third quality pine deals, 11 inches and up, $60. Red pine deals bring about $50 per standard for 9 and 11 inch and $40 for narrows. Waney and square pine and elm are considered good property, as it is expected that the supply will be inadequate to meet the demand. Oak is quiet and is giving holders some concern.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Stentor has loaded 175,000 feet of lumber at Sayward's mill, Victoria, B.C., for Hong Kong.

The St. Catharines Wood & Lumber Company are operating in the vicinity of North Bay, Ont., getting out pulp wood.

The official report shows that 37,000,000 feet of lumber was used in the vicinity of Calgary, N.W.T., during the year ending June 30th, 1904. 20,000,000 feet was brought in from British Columbia and the balance was manufactured locally.

The annual sale of unmarked and mixed logs of the Fredericton Boom Company was held at the office of A. F. Randolph & Sons, Fredericton, N. B., on August 11, and was characterized by lively bidding and good prices. The purchasers were as follows: Hemlock, $3.75, Hilyard Bros.; cedar, $6.90, Hilyard Bros.; pine, $7.00, T. E. Babbitt & Sons; spruce, $11.10, (battens, 2-3 price), Chas. Miller.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to August 3rd, as furnished by the Supervisor of Cullers:

	1902 Cu. Ft.	1903 Cu. Ft.	1904 Cu. Ft.
Waney White Pine..	1,519,699	1,083,440	1,484,280
White Pine.....	297,570	188,920	148,160
Red Pine.....	59,947	34,000	2,900
Oak.....	505,742	494,040	187,840
Elm.....	527,884	364,080	200,680
Ash.....	68,438	50,760	14,160
Butternut.....			40
Birch and Maple....	90,410	189,560	114,680

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(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

OTTAWA, AUG. 10th, 1904.—At no time during the past year was the lumber business so slack as it is at present. Shipments by rail and water alike have fallen off. The British market is receiving little or nothing, and the movement of stuff to the States is no better.

In the face of this depression, however, prices hold firm, manufacturers evidently having confidence in the future. Of course, the firmness of the Ottawa market is in a large measure due to the fact that most of the stuff being turned out at the mills changed bands some time back at the advanced prices. Thus the manufacturers need no concern, while the dealers are determined to get their own out of their lumber.

In a month's time most of the present season's cut will be on the market, and the increase in purchasable stock may have a depressing effect on prices, unless business picks up.

Discussing market conditions in the Ottawa district to-day a local lumberman said: "Prices are firm and ready stocks light. The market may be expected to right itself. If a man had lumber which he desired to realize on immediately, he would probably have to shave prices some to find a purchaser, otherwise there would be no decline. The stock is needed and no one is going to sacrifice it."

In some circles it is believed that lumber will not shake off the present lethagry until the steel and iron commodities in the States brighten up. The textile strikes in the New England States and the latest builders' strike in New York City are viewed with considerable apprehension in Ottawa lumber circles, as interfering elements in business.

The writer, while in Pembroke a few days ago, made enquiries in lumber circles. The outlook up the line is not considered any too rosy and it is even thought that there will be a drug of stuff on the market this fall.

The movement of the logs on the Ottawa river is causing all kinds of discussion these days. Reference was made lately to the breaking of the Des Joachim boom above Pembroke, whereby over 300,000 logs and pieces of pulpwood were liberated. To prevent a recurrence of the break, a temporary boom was placed the entire width of the river about twenty miles farther up at a point known as Rock Captaine. The logs, pulpwood, etc., jammed up behind it for a distance of four miles. The temporary boom went smash and the logs and pulpwood, variously estimated at from 700,000 to 1,000,000, were liberated. The river for twenty miles is full of the stuff and fears are entertained for the safety of the Des Joachim boom. Officers of the Upper Ottawa Improvement Company in charge of the handling of the logs state that the work is being done as well as can be expected considering the unprecedented high water and record rush of logs.

The sudden death of Mr. Alex. Lumsden, ex M.L.A., was a serious loss to the lumbering and other interests of the Temiskaming district, and in fact the whole Ottawa country, including the city itself. Mr. Lumsden's mills and limits in the Temiskaming country were estimated to be worth over a million dollars. Until a couple of years ago he had charge of all the log driving on the Temiskaming.

A curtailment in the log cut may be looked for in the Ottawa as in other districts this coming fall and winter. The depression in the British market and the seeming uncertainty of the American market have prompted a curtailment on the part of some operators. The free movement of logs this summer also makes it unnecessary to cut so extensively. The production of square timber, on account of the slackness of the English market, will also show a marked decrease.

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2x10 common	19 50	20 00
1x12 common	21 00	22 00
2x10 common	20 00	21 00
3x12 common	21 00	22 00
3x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
Inch strips 4 in. to 8		
1 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00
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1 inch siding mill culls	14 00	15 00
Cull scantling		12 00
1 1-4 inch flooring		20 00
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Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto		14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 40
1½ inch No. 2 Lath		2 90
1⅜ in. No. 1 Norway lath		3 10
X white pine shingles		1 15
XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 25
XXX white pine shingles		3 15
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		2 95
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		3 15
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 50
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in		2 30
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 55

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Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds	$32 00	$35 00
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Ash M R., 1 in. to 2	22 00	24 00
Birch M. R., 1 in. to 2	23 00	24 00
" 1½ " 2	24 00	25 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	26 00	27 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	26 00	28 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 m. r. 1	28	30 00
1¼	24 00	26 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds 1½	60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	23 00	25 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	24 00	26 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	25 00	27 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	27 00	30 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	36 00	38 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 1 1½	22 00	24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	25 00	27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	38 00	40 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	41 00	43 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	37 00	39 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	40 00	42 00
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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

ELM.

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ASH.

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Average 16 inch	30	35

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14 Inch	20	22
16 "	28	30
17 "	30	32
18 "	32	34

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Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00
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Pine good strips: 2 in	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16	19 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00	14 50
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 55
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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.		00
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4 in.		00
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1¼, 1½ and in.	70	00
2½ and 3 in.	77	00
4 in.	82	00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	56	00
¼ and 1½ in.	58	00
in.	59	00
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73	00
4 in.	78	00

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1 in., 7 in. and up wide	36	00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48	00
2in.	50	00
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4 in.	68	00

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1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50	00
1¼x6 in. wide	52	00
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BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

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10 in.	24	00
9 in.	23	00
8 and 7 in.	23	00
No. 2, 12 in.	24	00
10 in.	22	00
No. 2, 9 in.	22	00
8 and 7 in.	22	00
No. 3, 12 in.	21	00
10 in.	19	00
9 in.	18	00
8 in.	19	00
1x6	19	00
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1 in., 6 in. wide	17	00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17	00
1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17	00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18	00

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32	00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33	00
1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34	00
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35	00

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Pine, XXXX	4	00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in. 3 50
Clear Butts	3	00	Clear Butts 2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3	25	No. 2 White Pine 2 75
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Uppers, 3 in.	83	85
2½ in.	83	85
1 to 2 in.	78	80
4 inch uppers	88	90
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82
1 to 2 in.	70	72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75
1 to 2 in.	69	61
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55
No. 2	35	45
No. 3	30	35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	50
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40
Stained saps	32	40
Bracket plank	35	45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40
Common	26	28
1x12 inch shippers	$	24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20
10-in. dressing and better	30	35
12-in. dressing and better	40	42
Box, 1x10-in.		20
Box, 1x12		21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
1x10	25	26
1x8	23	25
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27
1x10	23	24
1x8	22	23
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38
" " 2 inch	38	40
Dressing	24	25
Common		25

LATH.

Pine	$3	00	Spruce $3 00

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Sawed Pin ex. XXXX	$4	50	$4 75
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4 in.	85	00
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70	00
2½ and 3 in.	78	00
4 in.	80	00
Fine common, 1 in.	55	00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58	00
2 in	60	00
3 in.	73	00
4 in.	75	00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39	00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50	00
No. 2, 1 in.	24	00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38	00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36	00
1¼x10 and 12	40	00
1½ in.	34	00
2 in		36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.		40 00
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in		48 00
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.		35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.		32 00
6, 8 and 10 in		26 00
No. 2, 10 in.		23 00
No. 2, 12 in.		26 00
No. 3, 10 in.		20 00
No. 3, 12 in.		22 50
Box, 1 x 4		17 50
1 x 6 & up		19 00
1x10		19 50
1x12		20 00
1x13 and up		22 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.		19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		16 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

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1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st &2nd, soft	19 00	21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00	12 00

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Selects, 1 to 2 inch	70 00		75 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	60 00		65 00
1¼ to 2 inch	65 00		68 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	43 00		44 00
1¼ to 2 inch	54 00		58 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00		32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	43 00		46 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00		33 00
No. 2	25 00		28 00
No. 3	23 00		26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension			20 50
9 in. and under			18 50
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up			20 00
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up			17 00
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up			18 00
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. r s			16 50
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber demand is lacking in snap and in some of the upper grades of pine prices are weaker. Unfortunately, the season has been very unfavorable for fall wheat, and the yield throughout the province is little more than half that of last year. However, this is partially offset by the higher price of wheat as compared with one year ago, although it is doubtful that the present price will be maintained. The strike of builders' laborers in Toronto has curtailed the demand for lumber in that city, as retail dealers will not increase their stocks while uncertainty exists in respect to building operations. There is a very noticeable disposition on the part of operators to curtail the log production the coming season. Two of the largest firms in the Ottawa district are reported to have decided not to operate this winter, and their withdrawal will mean a large reduction in the log crop. Very few firms will operate in square timber, as the low prices of the past season have wiped out any profit in the business.

Soft elm leads the hardwoods in point of demand. Birch is holding its own, but basswood has been showing signs of weakness. Prices of other hardwoods are about steady.

The shingle market is most irregular, influenced by a sharp decline in the prices of B. C. shingles. For Ontario delivery xxxx B.C. cedar shingles are quoted at $2.90, and xxx at $2.70. These quotations, however, cannot be taken strictly as the market price, for several of the smaller manufacturers have cut 10 cents below these figures. White pine and white cedar shingles have sympathized and lower prices are the rule. Lath are also slightly weaker, 1½ inch No. 1 white pine being quoted at $3 for Toronto delivery.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Harvesting operations in Manitoba and the North-West Territories are about to commence, and great interest is shown by all classes of business men in the prospective crop. It seems likely that the yield of wheat will be larger than last year, although reports indicate considerable damage by rust. During the harvesting period the retail demand for lumber is likely to be light, but this should be followed by an active Fall trade. Prices of lumber are about steady, with importations from the United States still being sold below the average market price. The interior mills of British Columbia are making considerable shipments eastward, and the export mills are comparatively busy, foreign shipments this year up to July 30th comprising thirty-seven cargoes. There is no improvement in the logging market and several of the largest camps remain closed. Recent forest fires in British Columbia have destroyed much valuable standing timber.

UNITED STATES.

Lumber prices are practically unchanged as compared with those ruling last week. The advance in the price of yellow pine has been well maintained and it is believed that the curtailment policy which is being pursued will result in a further advance in that class of lumber. The curtailment during the month of July amounted to 144,137,107 feet, which cannot but have a sustaining influence upon prices. The consumption of lumber for building purposes continues fairly active, as is shown by the fact that during the month of July the building permits taken out in twenty-six of the leading cities represented a valuation of $35,000,000, as compared with $29,000,000 for the corresponding month of 1903. Numerous orders for rush shipments indicate that retail stocks are light. Box and cull pine promises to continue scarce and any revival in the general trade would doubtless be followed by an advance in the prices of these grades. The Eastern States market is seasonably quiet, but even in this section the lower grades are scarce and strong in price. Norway and hemlock bill stuff are in good demand, such timber being able to compete successfully with southern pine. In hardwoods, elm, birch, and ash are doing better. Soft elm is scarce and selling at good prices. The supply is limited and we would not be surprised to see considerably higher prices for this class of lumber before the close of the year. Plain white and red oak are also scarce.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Notwithstanding fine weather in Great Britain during the past month, the consumption of lumber has not increased to any extent, and the outlook is somewhat disappointing. The disposition of buyers continues to be to place orders only when they know where they can dispose of the stock, which clearly indicates that there is not much confidence in the future. The depression has prevailed so long that some importers are looking for a reaction in the Fall, but at the present time signs in that direction are lacking. While the general lumber market is weak, it is refreshing to learn that Canadian pine and spruce are holding steady, no doubt due in some measure to light imports. From Manchester comes the report that there is an upward tendency in prices of spruce deals, some importers having recently advanced their quotations five shillings per standard. It is predicted that when the imports slacken off prices will further advance. There are large stocks of spruce deals on hand in Manchester and Liverpool, but it is said that the bulk of this class of lumber has now arrived. First quality pine and spruce deals have sold fairly well in a retail way, but the auction sale prices have not been satisfactory, prices realized being 10s. per standard under the value of the same lumber a few weeks ago.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

It is claimed that yellow pine lumber is now selling $1.50 a thousand higher than in did in June.

Jobbers of cooperage stock at Buffalo quote first-class dry elm flour barrel staves at $10.25 to $10.75; first-class basswood heading, 7½ to 8 cents; coiled hoops, $9 to $9.50 for 5½ foot, and $9.50 to $10 for 6-foot.

At an auction sale held by Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, on August 10th, spruce deals brought the following prices: Ex Holmlea, from Montreal, 10-16 feet 3 × 9 in. second quality, £9 per standard; 10-14 ft. 3 × 7-8 in., £7 10s.; 11-14 ft. 3 × 9 in. third quality, £8 15s.; 11-14 ft. 3 × 7-8, £7 5s.; 11-14 ft. 3 × 9-11 in. fourth quality, £7 5s.; 10-16 ft. 3 × 9 in. second quality, £9; 10-16 ft. 3 × 9 in. third quality, £8 10s. Ex Mount Temple, from Montreal, 16 ft. 3 × 9 in. second quality, £8 15s.; 10-15 ft. 3 × 9, £8 10s.; 10-16 ft. 3 × 8-10, £7 5s.; 9-16 ft. 3 × 7, £7.

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BUSINESS NOTES.

F. Fulmer & Company, lumber operators, St. Martins, N. B., are announced to have made an assignment to E. B. Jones, F. Schofield and C. B. Lockhart, of St. John.

A meeting of the creditors of William Curry & Son, lumber dealers and planing mill operators, Windsor, N. S., was held in Halifax last week. The claims presented aggregated about $23,000. George H. Curry was appointed assignee, and an advisory board was named, consisting of Rufus Curry, W. M. Christie, and C. DeWolfe Smith, to consult with the assignee as to the disposition of the estate, which it is expected will yield about fifty cents on the dollar.

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., August 15th, 1904.—The lumber trade in this vicinity has shown little variation since this time last month. All the mills are running at their full capacity and logs are plentiful. Shipping has been somewhat less brisk during August so far than was the case during July, and the result is apparent in the increasing stocks on the wharves, although the surplus is not yet so great as to cause any inconvenience.

Taken altogether, the outlook for English deals has not changed materially since last writing. The same indifference on the part of buyers, the same lack of stimulus generally, continues. Few orders are being booked and practically no contracts are being made. Careful enquiry leads to the conclusion that orders for September delivery are very small. Whether or not this condition of affairs will continue throughout the Autumn is a question, but the situation looks decidedly that way.

A specification containing the usual percentages of usual widths would be worth on wharf at St. John, from $11.00 to $11.50 per M s. ft, ⅔ price for fourths and ends.

Freights have shown no change from those mentioned last month, viz., 32s. 6d. to 35s. per standard to West Coast of England.

Provincial merchantable boards are plentiful and the demand is not at all brisk. They are worth, at St. John, from $9.75 to $9.85 per M. s ft. These are mostly disposed of in Boston and vicinity.

American deals are scarcer at this port than has been the case for many seasons, as most of the American manufacturers obtained their logs from Quebec and New Brunswick limits. The few that have American logs have been sawing only a few weeks and for this reason very little American lumber is available here as yet. To date the trade in this line has been quite brisk and prices good. Shipments from Maine have been very heavy and whether the market will hold its own or not during the next month is a question. While the dealers here are quite optimistic, the probabilities are that by mid-September prices will not be as firm as they have been.

American deals are usually shipped separately, in two classes, wides and narrows. A specification containing 20 per cent. 6s and 80 per cent. 8s would probably be worth from $13.00 to $13.50 per M s. ft. f.o.b. St. John, and a specification of wides containing say 25 per cent. 9s, 65 per cent. 10s and 10 per cent. 12s should bring from $15.00 to $15.50 per M.

As the American logs are small this year compared with other years past, the proportion of widths in the above specifications would probably be quite hard to obtain, and of course any increase in the percentage of narrow deals would mean a lower price.

Freight to New York from St. John are offering freely at $2.75 per M.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., August 15, 1904.—The saw mills are fairly busy just now, an improvement on the conditions which have existed all along this spring and summer. "If we have not trade at this time of the year when will we have?" is the interrogated way in which a well-known lumberman expressed himself this morning. "It is due, of course, not to any cessation of American importations, but to the increased demand from the Territories. There are a great many people settling there this year, and it is all bringing trade to our mills."

In the Kootenay district the industry is fairly active. There the manufacturers enjoy better rates, and just at present there is a number of mills projected. Timber is being taken up also. Thomas Mc-

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Mr. Adam Hall, who is interested in the Big Bend Lumber Company, has been out inspecting the mill and plant.

Mr. G. M. Campbell, also of Ontario, a shareholder in the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, of this city, was in town this week. Mr. Otis Staples, of Stillwater, Minn., who is erecting a mill near Cranbrook, also passed through Vancouver last week. Mr. E. M. Ferris, of Traverse City,

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Inch siding common	16 00 17 50
Inch strips common	17 00 18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00 24 00
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1 in. mill run	20 00 22 00
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1½	26 00 28 00
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xx 18 inch	1 40 1 60
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1 to 2 in	70 72
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1 to 2 in	69 61
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No. 3	30 35
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No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35 40
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10-in. dressing and better	30 35
12-in. dressing and better	40 42
Box, 1x10-in.	20
Box, 1x12	21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
1x10	25 26
1x8	23 25
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 27
1x10	23 24
1x8	22 23
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	32 38
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1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00
2 in.	60 00
3 in.	73 00
4 in.	75 00
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No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00
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1½ in.	34 00
2 in	36 00
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No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
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1x10	19 50
1x12	20 00
1x13 and up	22 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The close of the month of August finds conditions not altogether favorable to the lumber market. The building strike in Toronto, which is still unsettled, is having a depressing effect and is certain to cause a perceptible decrease in the consumption of lumber, as the season is now getting too late to commence work on large buildings in the hope of having them completed this year. The country demand does not show much activity, small orders for immediate requirement being the rule. Conservatism is to be noticed through ut the course of trade. Under these conditions prices are not likely to advance, but it may also be said that the indications of weakness are becoming fewer. There is an absence of pessimistic sentiment, for manufacturers recognize that they can control the situation by curtailing the production. One authority estimates the reduction in the Ottawa Valley log cut the coming winter at 25 per cent. The Georgian Bay production will also be curtailed.

Hardwoods for finishing purposes are meeting with a fair demand, but the implement and furniture factories are not buying as much stock as one year ago. It may be that they have been holding off

in the hope of a decline in prices, which has not yet materialized.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Lumber manufacturers in the Eastern Provinces are not anticipating much improvement in market conditions this year. The usual lethargy attendant upon the summer season is in effect, and shipments to the Eastern States have fallen off. Prices of lumber for that market are a little easier. Very few shipments to Great Britain will be made during the balance of the season. The manufacturers in both New Brunswick and Nova Scotia have agreed to hold over their lumber rather than sell it at the prevailing low prices. It is recognized that a curtailment of logging operations would be very beneficial in restoring healthy conditions, and this policy is likely to be adopted by all the larger manufacturers. The St. John River output is likely to be reduced 50,000,000 feet, and a corresponding curtailment is anticipated in other districts.

UNITED STATES.

The white pine trade has been unsettled by sensational reports of damage to the wheat crop by unfavorable weather and by rust, the prediction being made that the combined winter and spring wheat yield would not exceed 500,000,000 bushels. Aside from the injury to wheat, however, the indications are that there will be an abundant harvest, as a very heavy crop of corn is promised, and what is equally as important, high prices are being obtained for nearly all farm products. There is not likely to be much activity in the market until after the presidential election, with the exception, of course, of that which is due to stocking up for fall and winter requirements. Pine lumber prices are about steady, with manufacturers feeling confident that the entire stock will be required. It is claimed that the stocks that will be left in the docks to carry over this year will be so small compared with former years, that the manufacturers will prefer to carry them over until next spring rather than sell at lower prices. Spruce lumber is slightly weaker, some random stock having been sold in the Boston market as low as $16 by the car. Hemlock is strongly held, and hardwoods are showing better tone. Plain sawed oak, ash, elm and birch are good sellers, while basswood is slow. The shingle market is in fairly good shape, prices now being low enough to warrant laying in a winter supply.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The reports that come to hand from Great Britain contain very little on which to base anticipation of an early improvement in the lumber market. The general trade of the country is in an unsatisfactory condition, as shown by the falling off in both imports and exports. Money is also tight, brought about no doubt by the large expenditure for the South African war. Lumber imports from most of the countries have this year been light, but the deficiency has been more than made good by the supplies from Russia, where shippers have been forced to realize on their stocks. The absence of demand for deals for export to South Africa has increased the depression in the lumber trade, broad sizes which in an ordinary year would have been shipped to that country having been forced upon unwilling British buyers. The demand for pine deals is very light and the poorer qualities are most difficult to place. Quebec pine deals, however, are not likely to recede much further, as they are largely in the hands of persons who are financially able to hold them. The spruce market is, if anything, lower than last week. A cargo from Shediac, N.B., is reported to have been sold a fortnight ago at £5 15s per standard c.i.f., which is the lowest point reached this year. At the late auction sales spruce prices showed no improvement, 3×11 inch second and third quality bringing £8 12s 6d and £7 5s respectively for Quebec shipments. Buyers are holding off in the expectation that there will be large consignments in the fall. Should this not prove to be the case, a recovery in prices may be expected.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The corporation drive of logs on the St. John river has reached the booms at Fredericton, N.B.

Such general improvement has taken place in the lumber trade on the Coast that the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association, at its meeting held July 29, advanced the price $1 on all fir products. This action was the unanimous vote of all the members present. The advance is the first change that has taken place in the association list since Feb. 5, when a new list was adopted.

The Dalhousie Lumber Company, of Dalhousie, N. B., and Hilyard Bros., of St. John, N. B., have agreed to curtail their logging operations the coming winter by fifty per cent.

A sale of standing pine on Indian lands in the Pigeon river, Fon du Lac, Bois Fortes, Mississippi river, Leech lake and Winnibigoshish reservations will take place November 15th next at the land offices at Duluth, Minn. There will be offered 116,000 acres, estimated by the Government to contain 211,000,000 feet of white and norway pine. No bids for white pine will be received at less than $5 a thousand feet, and $4 for norway.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of August 13th, furnish the following report of the Barbadoes lumber market: "There has not been any arrivals during the fortnight and the position of the lumber market remains virtually unchanged, as the consumption at this season is very limited. Small cargoes of both white pine and spruce would probably be worth in the neighborhood of $26 to $19 respectively, while for large lots prices would be lower. The market for shingles remains as last advised, there being no further arrivals to report, and stocks of Long Cedar having been somewhat reduced, fair prices will be obtained for next arrivals. Dimension are very scarce and immediate shipments would do well. Cedar Laying are in full stock and are not worth over $2 to $2.10."

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1903 A. No. 12927,
In the Supreme Court
BETWEEN—The National Trust Company, Limited, Plaintiff
—AND—
The Sissiboo Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd., Defendant
TO BE SOLD AT
PUBLIC AUCTION
BY H. A. P. SMITH,

Of Digby, High Sheriff of the County of Digby, the person appointed for that purpose by the order for foreclosure and sale referred to below, at the County Court House, in the Town of Digby, in the County of Digby, on

MONDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER,
1904, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon

Pursuant to an order for foreclosure and sale made herein and dated the 29th day of April, 1904, unless before the day appointed for such sale the amount due to the plaintiff company, with its costs, be paid to it or its solicitor.

All the estate, right, title and equity of redemption of the defendants and of all persons claiming or entitled by, from or under the defendants, in and to all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of

LAND

Situate in the County of Digby, described as follows :—(Full particulars may be had on application to the parties whose names are given below.)

TERMS—Ten per cent. deposit will be required at the time of sale ; remainder on delivery of the deed. Full particulars of the above lands and premises can be obtained from the plaintiff's solicitor, at whose office all documents may be inspected.

W. A. HENRY, 88 Barrington St., Halifax, N.S.
Plaintiff's Solicitor.
H. A. P. SMITH,
High Sheriff.
Digby, August 3rd, 1904.

Particulars regarding this property may also be had on application to National Trust Co., Montreal.

Schooner Priscilla, for New Bedford, 790,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

From Parrsboro, N.S. : Schooner Hattie C, for Vineyard Haven, 212,000 ft. spruce boards and scantling, by Newville Lumber Co. Barque Edinburg, for Brow Head, 995,323 ft. deals and battens, 127,779 ft. scantling and ends, by Capt. N. C. Nordby for George McKeen. Barque Ella Sayer, for Newport, 1,701,415 ft. deals, 642,406 ft. scantling, 327,839 ft. deal ends and battens, by M. L. Tucker for W. M. McKay.

From Halifax, N. S. : Steamer Mokta, for Preston, G. B., 1,854,00 spruce deals, value $18,540 ; 212,000 ft. spruce scantling, value $1,272 ; 53,000 ft. spruce ends, value $268. Schooner Shaffner Bros., for New York, 131,844 ft. spruce boards, value $1,572 ; 277,000 ft. laths, value $554, by Thomas Forhan & Co., agents. Steamer Hektos, for Rochefort and Bordeaux, Erance, 1,596,848 ft. spruce deals, value $18,991, by F. A. Gillis, agent. Steamer Briardene, for Manchester, 521,358 ft. birch deals, value $6,244 ; 399,661 ft. pine deals, value $4,792 ; 1,150 ft. spruce deals, value $12,852 ;

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	cts.	cts
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First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
" " " 19 to 20 inch average " "	60	70

RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
to ship order, " " "	35	40

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 40 to 45 feet	60	75
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	45	50

ASH.

10 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
Average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 Inch	20	22
16 "	25	30
17 "	30	32
18 "	32	34

OTTAWA. ONT.

MANFUACTURERS' PRICES.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
2 in. x 8 in. and up.	50 00	55 00
Pine good strips: in	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	35 00	38 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8"		15 00
" 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
2 in	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in	30 00	35 00
2 in	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16	19 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00	14 00
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mil run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles xxxx 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
xx, 18 inch	1 60	1 70

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide		$77 00	
1¼ 1½ and 2 in		77 00	
2½ and 3 in.		80 00	
4 in		90 00	
Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide		$68 00	
1¼, 1½ and in.		68 00	
2½ and 3 in.		77 00	
4 in		80 00	

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide		00	
¼ and 1½ in		57 00	
2 in		58 00	
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide		73 00	
4 in		78 00	

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide		36 00	
1¼ and 1½ cutting		48 00	
2in		50 00	
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.		63 00	
4 in		68 00	

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		50 00	
1¼x6 in. wide		52 00	
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		48 00	
6 in. wide		50 00	

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide		44 00	
1¼ in., 6 in. wide		50 00	
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide		47 00	
in., 6 in. wide		50 00	

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide		30 00	
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		26 00	

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in		29 00	
10 in		24 00	
9 in		23 00	
8 and 7 in		23 00	
No. 2, 12 in		24 00	
10 in		22 00	
No. 2, 9 in		22 00	
8 and 7 in		22 00	
No. 3, 12 in		21 00	
10 in		19 00	
9 in		18 00	
8 in		19 00	
1x6		19 00	
1x4		16 00	

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide		$15 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		17 00	
1 in., 7 in. wide and up		17 00	
1 in., 13 in. and up wide		$17 00	
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide		18 00	

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide		32 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		33 00	
1 in., 10 in. and up wide		34 00	
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide		35 00	

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX		4 00	
Clear Butts		3 00	
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in		50	
Clear Butts		2 50	

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine		3 20	
No. 2 White Pine		2 50	
Hemlock		2 50	

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.		83	85
2½ in.		83	85
1 to 2 in.		78	80
4 inch uppers		88	90
Selects, 2½ in up		77	82
1 to 2 in		70	72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up		72	75
1 to 2 in		69	61
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch		53	55
No. 2		35	45
No. 3		30	35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in		48	58
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in		35	40
Stained saps		32	40
Bracket plank		35	45
Shelving boards, 12-in. up		35	40
Dressing boards, narrow		26	28
1x10 inch shippers		21	22
1x12 inch shippers		$	24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.			25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19	20
10-in. dressing and better		30	35
12-in. dressing and better		40	42
Box, 1x10-in.			20
Box, 1x12			21
No. 1 barn, 1x12		29	30
1x10		25	26
1x8		23	25
No. 2 barn, 1x12		26	27
1x10		23	24
1x8		22	23
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in		32	38
" " 2 inch		38	40
Dressing		24	25
Common			25

LATH.

Pine		$3 00	
Spruce		$3 00	

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine	ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75
Clear bu		3 50	3 75
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18		$5 25	5 53
Hemlock			2 25
Spruce			2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		78 00	
2½ and 3 in		85 0	
4 in		85 00	
Selects 1¼ to 2 in		70 00	
2½ and 3 in		78 00	
4 in		80 00	
Fine common, 1 in.		55 00	
1¼ and 2½ in		58 00	
2 in		60 00	
3 in		73 00	
4 in		75 00	
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		39 00	
1¼ and 1½ in		50 00	
No. 2, 1 in		24 00	
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		25 00	
Dressing 1¼ in		36 00	
1¼x10 and 12		40 00	
1½ in		34 00	
2 in		36 00	
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in		40 00	
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in		48 00	
No. 2 Mou'ding Strips, 1 to 2 in		35 00	
Barn, No. 1, 12 in		32 00	
6, 8 and 10 in		26 00	
No. 2, 10 in		23 00	
No. 2, 12 in		26 00	
No. 3, 10 in		20 00	
No. 3, 12 in		23 50	
Box, 1x4		17 50	
1x6 & up		19 00	
1x10		19 50	
1x12		20 00	
1x13 and up		22 00	
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in		19 00	
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in		16 00	

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	
2½ to 4 in		43 00	45 00
Strips		2	4 00
Com. and culls		16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	
Com. & good culls		15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,		24 00	26 00
Com. & good culls		13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,		24 00	25 00
Common and culls		10 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	
1st & 2nd, soft		19 00	21 00
Common and culls		11 00	12 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$83 00 to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	70 00	75 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	60 00	65 00
1¼ to 2 inch	65 00	68 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	43 00	44 00
1¼ to 2 inch	54 00	58 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	43 00	46 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		20 00
9 in. and under		18 50
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 00
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 00
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 00
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up p. 1 s		16 50
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s		13 50
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled		16

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

Extras	3 20	3 25
Clears	2 75	2 28
Second clears	2 25	2 30
Clear Whites	2 10	2 22
Extra 1s (Clear whites out)	1 40	15 0
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60	1 65

BRITISH COLUMBIA SHINGLES.

Red Cedar Extras, 16 in. 5 butts to 2 in.	3 20
" Eurekas, 18 in., " "	3 55
" Perfections, 5 butts to 2¼ in.	3 85

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Tenders to be in writing, and to be in the hands of the Executors at their head office at Brockville not later than the 12th of September next and to be addressed "The Executors of the Estate of the late John McLaren, Brockville, Ontario. Full particulars will be furnished intending purchasers on application to the Brockville office.

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Dated at Brockville the Fourth Day of August 1904.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There has been some gain in the volume of business during the past week, buying by wholesale and retail dealers being responsible for more activity. Orders for stocking up purposes are expected to be more in evidence during the next few weeks. White pine prices are not likely to recede further, and there is a probability of some advance at least on such grades as are meeting with most favor. From the standpoint of the manufacturer, conditions are satisfactory. Unsold stocks at the mills are larger than one year ago, but there is a feeling of confidence that the demand will eventually absorb the supply, whether the lumber on hand is marketed this year or next year. Mill owners will conduct their logging operations this winter with a view to restricting the production of lumber next season, and mills that are being operated day and night this year will be stocked for day runs only next season.

There is promise of a fairly brisk fall trade in hardwoods. Buyers are showing more interest and are willing to take stock whenever the slightest inducement is offered. Manufacturers generally are adhering to the prices which have ruled for the past month, and, unless general business conditions take an unfavorable turn, hardwood prices are not likely to decline. Birch is still active and there is considerable call for plain oak.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Some orders are being booked for spruce lumber for shipment to the Eastern

States, but British trade is exceptionally quiet and sales made for that market usually represent a loss to the shippers, as the manufacturer's profit has been entirely wiped out by the decline. It is not expected that much improvement will take place this year, although with a reduced log production better things may be expected next spring. Cedar shingles are still weak, there being a tendency to shade prices below $3.20 for the best brands for Boston delivery.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The wheat crop of the North-West is now estimated at 44,000,000 bushels, a shrinkage of 30 per cent. from the first estimate, and somewhat smaller than last year's production. The buying power of the farmer, however, will be almost as great, for the price of wheat is considerably higher than one year ago. The demand for lumber is a little quiet and prices still irregular. The Victoria branch of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association have given notice of a reduction of 10 per cent. in the price of all rough lumber, lath and shingles for delivery in Victoria and district. The general tendency of prices, however, is not downward, for it is learned that some of the largest manufacturers refuse to give concessions to buyers and are looking for an advance in prices at an early date. No improvement in the shingle situation can be reported. One or two small manufacturers are said to be finding difficulty in meeting their obligations.

UNITED STATES.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association held at Minneapolis, Minn., on August 30th, it was decided to make no change in the official price list adopted on June 15th. The secretary reported that there is a decrease in the percentage of dimension being sawed this season as compared with last year; that production at the head of the lakes will be 40 per cent. less than a year ago; that wholesale stocks in the hands of eastern lake jobbers are about half what they were last year; and that retail stocks everywhere are lighter than they have been for several seasons. These conditions are peculiar to white pine, but reflect in a measure the general lumber market. Yellow pine and Pacific Coast lumber have strengthened and have recovered part of the decline which took place earlier in the year. The demand from yard dealers is expanding and orders are usually accompanied by a request for immediate shipment. Manufacturers are holding prices firmly, but some wholesalers are making concessions in order to encourage the demand. Hardwoods are showing more activity and it is believed that the volume of business for August compared favorably with the corresponding month for last year. The demand for birch, elm and maple continues good.

GREAT BRITAIN.

After weighing the different reports that come to hand from Great Britain, the conclusion is reached that there has been some improvement in market conditions during the past week. Business is still far from satisfactory, but more orders are being placed at sellers' figures than previously. Many importers, having bought but a small proportion of their requirements and having relied upon large consignments to be secured almost at their own figures, are discovering that less lumber is offering than they anticipated, and they are therefore showing more disposition to buy than for some time past. First and second quality white pine is almost certain to remain firm, and there is not likely to be such heavy shipments of thirds and fourths as to affect the market perceptibly. The most substantial improvement, however, has been in spruce. Prices are said to have advanced fully five shillings per standard as compared with two weeks ago. The wise policy of the Canadian shippers in refraining from sending goods forward at an unfavorable time is no doubt largely responsible for the improvement. Two cargoes of St. John deals are reported to have been sold recently at £6 2s 6d per standard c. i. f. Liverpool.

TO HOLDERS OF BIRCH LIMITS.

Can you cut birch into Squares, etc. We can also take birch cut on the sweep with a jigger or small band saw. Large quantities required. Write in first instance to "Finance," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The city of Winnipeg will award a contract this week for the supply of from 400,000 to 1,000,000 feet of lumber.

Curry & Thrasher, of Ferguson Falls, Ont., are preparing to commence operations on their timber limit near Deux Rivieres, Ont.

Vigars & Company, of Port Arthur, Ont., have just finished cutting 1,000,000 feet of cedar, which will be shipped to the Peterboro Canoe Company, Peterboro, Ont.

E. H. Heaps & Company, of Cedar Cove, B. C., recently purchased 500,000 feet of spruce logs from the Port Renfrew Lumber Company. The logs were towed from Renfrew to Vancouver, a distance of 140 miles.

At a recent auction sale held by A. F. & D. Mackay, Liverpool, Eng., 27 birch ogs, 8 to 22 feet long, 14 to 22 inches, sold at 14d per cubic foot. Spruce deals from Hopewell Cape, N. B., brought £7 12 6d for 3 x 11 inch, £7 5s for 3 x 9 inch, and £6 for 3 x 7 inch. Spruce scantlings brought £5 17s 6d for 3 x 6 inch, 9 feet and up, and £5 5s for 2 to 4 inch. Spruce boards sold at from £5 12s 6d to £5 15s.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, N. B., last week cleared a tramp steamer from St. John to Bristol, Eng., with a cargo of 1,800,000 feet of spruce deals. This makes the third cargo forwarded by them to Great Britain this season. This firm were recently notified that the schooner Romeo, bound for New Rochelle, N. Y., with a cargo of lumber loaded by them, lost her deck-load in the Bay of Fundy. The cargo was insured.

We are informed by the Montreal Lumber Company, Limited, that they have been given an order for all the lumber to be used in the construction of the plant now being erected at St. Johns, Que., by James Stewart & Company, of New York, for the Singer Manufacturing Company. The approximate quantity is 1,500,000 feet, representing a value of nearly $40,000. When we consider that the buildings are practically fireproof construction and that the lumber is required only for floors and roofing, some idea may be obtained of the extent of the proposed buildings.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN)

VANCOUVER, B.C., August 29th, 1904. —If the Finance Minister would come to the Pacific coast, and observe the condition of the lumber industry, the same as Hon. Mr. Prefontaine did the fishing industry, and take as decisive steps to place it on a better footing, it would be the only proper thing to do. "I came out to see for myself," said Mr. Prefontaine, and as the result of what he saw he took immediate action which will result in benefit to the salmon fishing industry. Ministers who live three thousand miles away from the scene of the British Columbia lumber industry cannot understand the conditions under which it labors, and if Hon. Mr. Fielding saw for himself he would not be slow in taking some action to preserve Canada for the Canadians.

The Railway Commission may bring some re ief. The sessions open here this morning, and before they are all over the lumbermen are going to appear before it, and ask if they cannot have better rates on lumber, seeing that the Government will not assist them with an equitable adjustment of the tariff. The rate for cedar to points east of the western boundary of Manitoba is fifty cents, and the millmen

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Considerable rain fell yesterday and loggers particularly and millmen generally are wishing it was sufficient to check if not extinguish the fires which have been doing so much damage among the timber during the past month. This is the second rain since the first part of June, and during the last month and a half thousands of dollars' worth of timber has been destroyed, besides a number of logging camps. The fires have not been confined to any particular section, but ranged from the timber limits in Alberta to the coast, and on Vancouver island. The whole province has been enveloped in smoke for weeks past, just like a heavy fog.

There is some talk of the stiffening of the price of lumber, but millmen say they cannot see how it will be done. It is now getting on toward the end of the season, and when the demand begins to slacken is hardly the time for prices to go up. Besides there is product in the yards which has been piling up since the slump last spring, and Americans in Washington state have not yet got rid of all their surplus cut. It may stiffen on the Sound, since the export of rough lumber into the Canadian market has preserved the market in the United States from demoralization, to the detriment of Canadian interests.

There is a report that capitalists of Duluth, Minn., have secured 40,000 acres of timber limits on the Duncan river in the Kootenay and will erect a mill of 150,000 feet daily capacity at Procter, near Nelson.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., August 31st, 1904.—The lumber trade in this vicinity is rather more dull than it was during July. The output has not decreased but shipments are somewhat lighter and demand has shown no increased activity. Some large contracts which were held over from last year have now been completed and shipped and many of the wharves are beginning to show greatly increased stocks. It is a well-known fact that many of the manufacturers are expecting an early shut-down, and the probabilities are that New Brunswick will see a duller Autumn in the lumber business than has been the case for many years.

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Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
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1 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
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1 inch siding mill culls	14 00 15 00
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XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	2 90
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	1¼	26 00	28 00	
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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	65 00	75 00	
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	26 00	28 00	
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	27 00	29 00	
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	25 00	29 00	
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	30 00	32 00	
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2	36 00	38 00	
Maple common and better	1 1½	22 00	24 00	
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	25 00	27 00	
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4	40 00	42 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½	44 00	42 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4	42 00	44 00	
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14 Inch	20	22
16 "	28	30
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Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40 2 60
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Spruce, mill run	2 00 2 15
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4 in.	90 00	4 in.	80 00

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in., 8 in. and up wide	00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	78 00
in.	58 00		

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10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
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10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

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1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
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Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	50	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	

1x12 inch shippers	$	24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20
10-in. dressing and better	30	35
12-in. dressing and better	40	42
Box, 1x10-in.		20
Box, 1x12		21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
1x10	25	26
1x8	23	25
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27
1x10	23	24
1x8	22	23
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Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 m.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cutting up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
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			Com. & good culls 13 00 14 00

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1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up, 24 00 25 00
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Fine Common, 1 inch	58 00	63 00
1¼ to 2 inch	60 00	65 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Dealers are booking a considerable number of orders for small lots of lumber and seem to be satisfied with the condition of trade, although it can hardly be said that the fall movement has as yet commenced with full vigor. Holders of lumber appear to have no apprehension as to their ability to dispose of their stocks at satisfactory prices, consequently there is no pronounced pressure on the market. White pine, however, is showing an uneven tendency. Export grades and No. 3 cuts and better have weakened slightly, the common grades remain stationary, while box lumber, mill cull sidings, and dead culls are slightly stiffer from the standpoint of manufacturer's prices. It is not anticipated that prices as a whole will materially change during the next few weeks, and it is almost certain that there will be no further decline. There is a very liberal demand for hemlock at firmer prices. Inch stock is unchanged, but many manufacturers are holding their two inch at an advance of from 50 cents to one dollar. The sizes 2 × 6 and 8 inch, 12 to 20 feet, are showing the most strength. Shingles are steady, while lath prices are a little weaker. No. 2 spruce and hemlock lath are off about 20 cents, and now sell at the mills at $1.60.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

As there is very little activity in lumber shipping circles in the Eastern Provinces, the demand being unusually light, interest is centered on logging operations. In this connection a peculiar situation has arisen. The operators decided to restrict the output of logs by at least 40 per cent., and unless they can secure the necessary help at what they consider reasonable wages, it is quite possible that the production may be still further curtailed. The wages paid last winter were from $28 to $32 per month, and the men are asking $28 this season. Many of the operators are refusing to pay more than $20 per month, and unless they can secure a sufficient number of men at this rate, they will restrict their production accordingly. The general opinion is that while spruce lumber prices have reached bottom, the improvement is likely to be slow. United States shipments have increased of late at unchanged prices. New Brunswick shingles are still dull and weak.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Moderate activity characierizes the lumber trade of Manitoba, the Territories and British Columbia. The outlook for the wheat crop induced some stocking up on the part of dealers a few weeks ago, but

the unfavorable reports regarding damage by rust and frost which have been made public during the past week have caused dealers to assume a more conservative attitude. Competition from United States lumber is not quite as severe as in the midsummer season, due to an improved demand in that market. Nevertheless, the American shippers have cut fully $2 per thousand below the home manufacturers and are still selling lumber below the actual cost of production. The present outlook is for an average volume of business during the fall months, but without much improvement in prices.

UNITED STATES.

Any change in the United States lumber demand has been in the direction of an improvement. In the wheat producing districts the volume of business has fallen off on account of the probable shortage in the yield of that cereal, but in all other sections of the country there has been an increase in the call for lumber. This has not resulted in higher prices, although one or two lines have advanced slightly. In the Lake Superior district No. 1 common boards in white pine are in very light supply and box lumber is none too plentiful. In the Chicago market No. 1 boards are scarce and strong in price, box grades are limited in supply, and No. 2 and 3 boards, though more plentiful than some other grades, are selling well. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers report that sales of white pine are increasing and a sharp revival in demand is anticipated upon the settlement of the labor difficulties in New York, which is expected at an early date.

Better reports come to hand concerning hardwoods, which have been quiet for the past few months. There are signs of an active fall demand, as the large building operations under way in the cities will mean a large consumption of hardwoods for interior work. Plain sawed oak is much in favor, followed by ash, elm and birch. Basswood is not showing much life, but as stocks are not large prices have been well maintained. White pine lath sell readily. In Chicago the market price for No. 1 is $3.10 to $3.25.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The improvement in the British lumber market mentioned in our last report has been maintained, but the fear of consignments is still causing some anxiety. Up to the present time very little Canadian lumber has been received on consignment, and as there is a stiffer tendency in respect to Atlantic freights it is not likely that the market will suffer much from this cause. The light import of Canadian pine has been very beneficial, and has prevented prices from breaking. The volume of lumber offering is falling off and with a fair demand buyers are showing more disposition to secure cargoes. Prices of pine and elm timber are stronger. A considerable quantity of elm of good quality has recently changed hands at advanced prices. There has also been more inquiry for birch planks and shippers are asking higher prices than previously accepted. At Liverpool the prevailing price is from 10d. to 11d. per cubic foot.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Rhodes, Curry & Company, of Amherst, N.S, last week imported from the United States 100,000 feet of oak lumber per schooner Greta, and 70,000 feet of oak timber per schooner Oriole.

The Brodhagen Lumber Company offered for sale at Burk's Falls, Ont., last week, 44½ square miles of timber limits in Chapman township. The highest bid received was $1,600 and the limits were withdrawn.

The Scott Lumber Company have closed down their saw mill at Magaguadavic, N. B., for the season, having decided to hold over until next year about 5,000,000 feet of logs which they have at Magaguadavic Lake. Their Victoria mill at Fredericton, N. B., will be operated until about the middle of November.

The water in the St. John river rose very unexpectedly last week, breaking away the booms between Little Falls and Woodstock. The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, had about 1,000,000 feet of logs carried away, and R.A. Estey lost 180 joints of cedar. At Van Buren, Maine, the St. John Lumber Company is reported to have lost 5,000,000 feet of logs. Most of the logs will no doubt be recovered, but at considerable financial loss.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to September 7th, as reported by the Supervisor of Cullers:

	1902 Cu. Ft.	1903 Cu. Ft.	1904 Cu. Ft.
Waney White Pine..	1,591,600	1,420,040	1,738,880
White Pine.....	298,600	318,920	188,640
Red Pine.....	60,080	52,560	10,080
Oak.....	527,760	772,960	235,520
Elm.....	561,800	407,800	254,120
Ash.....	79,240	54,320	14,640
Basswood		160	
Butternut.....			40
Tamarac		40	
Birch and Maple....	164,800	196,640	114,680

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, in their last report, refer to Canadian lumber as follows:

DEALS, ETC.—Business has slightly improved during the month, though buyers are still unwilling to go in for big lines, contenting themselves with filling up their immediate requirements. Imports continue on a very moderate scale, and prices are practically unaltered. Current values are as under: Broad First Pine Deals—£32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second Pine Deals—11-inch and up, £17 to £19; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third Pine Deals—11-inch and up, £11 to £14; ends and non-dimensions, £9 10s. to £10 10s. Red Pine Deals—9 and 11 inch, £10 to £11; narrows, £7 to £8 10s. First Pine Sidings and Strips—9 to 10 inch, £23 to £24; 11 to 12 inch, £25 to £26; 13 to 14 inch, £27 to £28. Spruce Deals—9-inch and up, £8 to £8 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £6 15s. to £7 10s. Lower Port Spruce—9-inch and up, £7 10s. to £8; 7 and 8 inch, £6 5s. to £7.

WHITE PINE.—The import for this month amounts to 200 loads of waney pine. There has been a fair business done during the month, and the transactions must have amounted to 700 or 800 loads.

OAK.—There have been no imports during the month and no inquiries.

ELM.—There has been some enquiry for elm, and several transactions have taken place of good elm at advanced prices. Second class and soft wood continue to be pressed on the market, but are meeting with a very limited demand.

QUEBEC BIRCH.—The imports for the month consists of about 120 loads, a considerable proportion of which was sold on "ex quay" terms at from 14d. to 2s. per cubic foot, according to specification and quality.

N. B. BIRCH. — There have been no arrivals of logs, but a considerable quantity of plank came to hand, the bulk of which has gone into store.

ASH. — There has been no import of Quebec ash, and there is practically no enquiry. In United States ash the import is unusually light, consisting of about 50 loads, most of which has found its way into store.

SPRUCE DEALS.

The Timber Trades Journal, of London, Eng., in its issue of September 3, says: "The position of spruce deals from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia remains just as it was last week. We cannot trace amongst the merchants in this port any confirmation that the allegation that local buyers had advanced fully 5s. in their offers for cargoes without business resulting. And in point of fact, we decline to believe it until we are furnished with the facts upon which such assertions are based. The spruce market is, as we have said before, probably at its bottom, but there has not been any jump of 5s. or 7s. 6d. per standard so far as we can trace, and if any such offers were floating about we think we should have heard of such advances being made. The fact is there is a lot of fencing going about just now, and half truths are being told as if they were whole truths. We shall wait until we know of real transactions at £6 7s. 6d. to £6 10s. c.i.f. being made in the Liverpool or Manchester market. There is a steamer on the way here with a cargo from St. John, N.B., and when this is marketed we shall have a solid basis to work upon. A cargo has been sold by a Liverpool firm to the Bristol Channel at £6 2s. 6d. c.i.f. This does not look like any advance of 5s. to 7s. 6d. per standard."

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Or White Oak 1" to 1½", ...	80,000 ft.,	"
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BUSINESS NOTES.

S. .E Adam, general merchant and lumberman, Disraeli, Que., is reported to have assigned to V. E. Paradis.

George H. Curry, assignee, is asking for tenders by September 19th for the purchase of the planing mill and other property belonging to the estate of William Curry & Son, Windsor, N. S.

A meeting will be held this week to appoint a curator for the estate of S. E. Adam, general store and lumber, D'Israeli.

The first meeting of the creditors of H. & G. Curwen & Company, lumber dealers, Liverpool, Eng., was held in Liverpool on Angust 30th, at which the official receiver stated that the statement would be somewhat complicated owing to there being assets and liabilities in Newfoundland. It seems that the company acquired a timber concession in Newfoundland, and that for this purpose a considerable sum was advanced to them by creditors. If it is found possible to realize satisfactorily on the assets, it is probable that the estate will show a small surplus.

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1x10 common	19 50	20 00
1x12 common	21 00	22 00
2x10 common	20 00	21 00
3x12 common	21 00	22 00
3x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
Inch strips 4 in. to 8		
1 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00

1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks	15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	14 00 15 00
Cull scantling	13 00 14 00
1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
1-2 inch flooring	21 00
Hemlock, f.o.b. Toronto	14 50
1½ inch No. 1 Lath	3 00
1½ inch No. 2 Lath	2 50
1½ in. No. 1 Norway lath	2 75
X white pine shingles	1 00
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B. C. Shingles	
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" 1½ " 2	25 00	25 00	
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	29 00	30 00	
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	28 00	30 00	
Basswood, 1½ to 2 m. r. 1	30	32 00	
	1¼ 26 00	28 00	
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½ 60 00	70 00	
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	26 00	28 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	27 00	29 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	25 00	29 00
Elm rock, mill run	1¼"	3 30 00	32 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½"	2 36 00	38 00
Maple common and better	1	1½ 22 00	24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 "	4 25 00	27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4 40 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1½ 44 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4 42 00	44 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	"	2 65 00	70 00
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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

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By the dram, according to average and quality 40 to 45 feet	60	75
" " " " 30 to 35 feet	45	50

ASH.

10 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
Average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 Inch	20	22
16 "	28	30
17 "	30	32
18 " "	32	34

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Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x 8 in. and up	48 00	50 00
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Pine good strips: in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn		19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 2 "		17 00
Pine Shorts 6' to 11'x8" 6' to 11'x10"		15 00 16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
2 in	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
ine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
ine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16	19 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00	14 50
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles xxxx 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
xx, 18 inch	1 60	1 70

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1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	77 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	77 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	80 00

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in.	58 00		

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No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide.	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide.	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

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PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	52	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	
1x10 inch shippers	21	22	
1x12 inch shippers	$		24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.			25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20	
10-in. dressing and better	30	35	
12-in. dressing and better	40	42	
Box, 1x10-in.			20
Box, 1x12			21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	22	23	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38	
" " 2 inch	38	40	
Dressing	24	25	
Common		25	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18 $5 25 5 53
Clear bu.		3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 25
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78	00	2 in 36 00
2½ and 3 in.	85	00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in. 40 00
4 in.	85	00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in 48 00
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70	00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in. 35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78	00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in. 32 00
4 in.	80	00	6, 8 and 10 in 26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55	00	No. 2, 10 in. 23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58	00	No. 2, 12 in. 26 00
2 in.	60	00	No. 3, 10 in. 20 00
3 in.	73	00	No. 3, 12 in. 22 50
4 in.	75	00	Box, 1x4 17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39	00	1x6 & up 19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50	00	1x10 19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24	00	1x12 20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38	00	1x13 and up 22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in. 19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36	00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in. 16 00
1¼x10 and 12	40	00	
1½ in.	34	00	

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00 45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	22 00 24 00
			Com. and culls	18 00 19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

During the past week there has not been any definite increase in lumber activity, and some dealers express dissatisfaction with the way in which the fall trade is opening up. It was thought that the decline in manufacturers' prices which occurred during the summer season would stimulate buying early in the fall, but so far this has not materialized to any extent, the number and volume of orders booked being considerably less than one year ago. Retail dealers are not buying with much snap, but appear to be relying upon the heavier stocks that are carried at the mills as an assurance that prices will not advance. In this they may be building upon false ground. A few buying orders from wholesalers would, in our opinion, cause a stiffening of prices, and after the Presidential election in the United States is over there may be a sharp recovery in the grades of white pine which have declined the most. The dealer who buys at present prices for his winter and early spring requirements is not likely to make much of a mistake. Local sentiment has improved on account of the settlement of the strike in the building trades, and there is likely to be an active demand for lumber for building purposes during the next two months, with the most enquiry for finishing material. Hardwoods are rather featureless but maintain their firmness. Another decline has taken place in the price of British Columbia shingles, which are now selling for Ontario delivery at $2.60 for XXX, $2.80 for XXXX and $3.10 for XXXXX. This is a decline of ten cents from the last quotations. White pine shingles are slightly easier in sympathy.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

We cannot report any improvement in the demand for spruce lumber. An occasional order is received for stock for shipment to the Eastern States, and South American specifications are in some demand, but otherwise the market is quiet. Clapboards are selling very slowly but have not weakened in price to any extent. The large mills at St. John have yet about three months for sawing operations, but it is likely that owing to the condition of the market the manufacturers will close down earlier than usual. There is a plentiful supply of lath, which are not in great request, and the expected advance in price has not yet taken place. New Brunswick cedar shingles are reviewed at some length in another column. The range of prices is quiet wide, with the lower grades showing more firmness than Extras.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The crop reports from Mantioba and the Territories have been more favorable during the past week and it is now reasonably certain that the yield will be up to the average. There is a disposition, nevertheless, to buy lumber only for immediate requirements. Many of the retail dealers are now carrying fairly heavy stocks, and as the farmers are not building at the present time, country trade is slow. In Winnipeg, however, the demand continues good and the tendency of prices is to stiffen. One of the Winnipeg dealers recently secured the contract for the lumber for the Eaton departmental store building, amounting in all to upwards of one and a half million feet. The British Columbia mills are not particularly busy, although there is a fair demand for fir and a slight improvement in the call for shingles. For XXX shingles, 6 x 2 inches, the present price is $2.25 for delivery throughout Manitoba and the North-West on a fifty cent freight rate. Current prices at the mills are : XXXXX, $1.70 ; XXXX, $1.50 ; XXX, $1.40.

UNITED STATES.

There is a fair movement of lumber throughout the United States, but conservatism still characterizes operations. The idea is still prevalent in the minds of some dealers that prices will go lower during the winter months, and for this reason stocking up has not been much in evidence. The manufacturers, however, are of the opinion that the fall and winter trade will be of a satisfactory volume, as it is well-known that the stocks of retail dealers throughout the North-Western and Eastern States are very low. Buying for immediate requirements is expected to represent an aggregate amount of business of considerable proportions. Stocks of unsold lumber at the head of the lake are getting low, and it is possible that the cut will be shipped closer to the saws than usual. Half of the lumber to be sawn between now and the close of the season is already sold for eastern shipments. The settlement of the packers' strike in Chicago has been followed by an increased demand for lumber. Building operations are active and there is a large consumption of common boards. While the demand for hardwoods is not particularly strong the condition of the market is satisfactory. Birch and oak are the leaders and the supply does not seem to be as plentiful as earlier in the season.

A scarcity of lath has developed in the Lake Superior district. Stocks seem to have faded away before it was fully realized and the demand is as strong as at any time during the summer. At the recent meeting of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association it was suggested that lath prices might be advanced, and while no change was made, the condition of supply and demand may bring about considerably higher prices in the near future.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Board of Trade returns show that during the first eight months of this year there were imported into the United Kingdom 3,719,278 loads of sawn and plain lumber, a decrease of 173,189 loads as compared with the corresponding period in 1903. The import of Canadian lumber was 762,850 loads, as compared with 871,334 loads in the previous year. It will be seen, therefore, that two-thirds of the decrease in the lumber imports is due to lighter shipments from Canada. This explains in part why Canadian stock has not declined in price as much as the Baltic lumber. The stock on hand, while ample, is not excessive, and prices are about steady. There is still some fear, however, that the bottom has not yet been reached and there is little inclination to purchase in anticipation of an advance in prices this fall. While there has been some improvement of late, it has not been sufficiently marked to entirely restore confidence, and only a few who are willing to take heavy risks are buying in a speculative way. The latest transaction reported from Liverpool for spruce was on the basis of £6 2s. 6d. per standard c.i.f.

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

The volume of business in this line is fairly good but prices are decidedly unsatisfactory. Extras are being freely offered, f.o.b. Boston rate, all the way from $3.00 to $3.25 per M, with the bulk of the sales probably being made at $3.05 or $3.10. Clears are comparatively stiffer and range in quotations from $2.60 to $2.80. Second clears are in most excellent demand and we would call the market stiff at $2.25 to $2.35. Clear whites are quoted at from $2.00 to $2.25, with the bulk of the sales being made at $2.10 to $2.15. Extra No. 1's are mainly sold in the Provinces.

The New Brunswick manufacturers have generally small stocks on hand of extra No. 1's. The manufacturers in the Province of Quebec are not on the average so well cleaned up. While some mills are completely sold out, certain others have fairly long stocks. On the whole, however, we would say that the average stock of extra No. 1's was about the normal and that the fall demand will probably take care of this grade all right.

Our opinion in regard to the future is that the market will eventually adjust itself to the old-time difference in price as between extras and clears. In other words, the clears will shortly bring within 25 or 30 cents per M as much as extras. The stock of clears and second clears is likely to be cleaned up this fall and the probabilities are that the demand will considerably exceed the supply on these two grades.

In spite of the low prevailing prices on extras, and the rather apathetic demand for this grade, still we expect to see the manufacturers at the close of the season with reasonably bare yards.

There is no occasion for any further decline in price on any grades, as extras are now selling at Boston as low as the B. C. red cedar shingles. It may be tha after the Presidential election in the States is over the market will revive, but this may be questionable, and our opinion is that all manufacturers will consult their own interests by going into the woods this winter for a very small stock, and furthermore omitting the winter manufacture to a considerable extent, so as to give the market a chance to recover before spring.

For the average manufacturer there is no profit in shingles at present prices, and the only thing that can bring prices back to a profitable level will be a decided curtailment in the output by the manufacturers concerned.

The saw mill of A. A. Brown at Salisbury, N.B., was burned last week. There was a small insurance.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

P. G. Keyes, Secretary of the Department of Interior, Ottawa, will receive tenders up to October 12th for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 1,176, comprising Sections 21, 22, 23, 26, 27 and 28, in district of Saskatchewan, N.W.T.

Morris S. M. Long, wholesale lumber dealer, Hamilton, has secured the order for the lumber to be used in the construction of a large factory and warehouse for the Paris Plough Company, Paris, Ont. The order calls for 150,000 feet of pine and hemlock.

The Sprague Lumber Company, of Winnipeg, have secured the order to supply 1,500,000 feet of British Columbia fir lumber for the Eaton departmental store building now in course of construction in Winnipeg. There will be 12,000 pieces 3 x 14 and 18.

A dispatch from Fredericton, N.B., dated September 15th, says : "The corporation drive left Perth yesterday, and as the water above the city has risen considerably in consequence of the heavy rain, the logs are expected down very soon. Prominent lumbermen express the opinion that they will all be down in the course of a few days."

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, of Barbadoes, write as follows under date of August 27th : "The fortnight has been quite barren of arrivals and the lumber market shows some signs of improvement. We have sold a cargo of white pine to arrive at $26 for merchantable and $20 for second quality, and we value next arrivals of this at about same prices. Spruce is in light stock, and although this is not the season when there is much enquiry for this class of lumber, yet a small cargo would probably do well. There has not been any arrival of shingles since our last. Long Cedar and Dimension shingles are wanted. Cedar Laying are in fair supply, but would probably realize in the neighborhood of $2 to $2.10 according to quality."

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., September 15, 1904.—The lumber trade has shown no great activity in this vicinity during the last month. Shipments from this port of all kinds of lumber have been very light. This means, of course, an increase in stocks, which are not yet, however, large enough to cause their owners any inconvenience or uneasiness. The market for short lumber has shown no improvement since last writing. Shipments during August and so far during September have been very light compared with the same period last year.

Laths are quite plentiful and promise to continue so. Sales are only fairly brisk and enquiries are fewer than they have been. It is generally felt by dealers here that a rise in price is about due, but the chances are that it will be late in the fall before any increase in demand will affect prices, owing to the stocks which must be got rid of. Provincial laths are worth at present about $1.85 per M, and American $2.15 per M, f.o.b. St. John. Freights to New York on laths are quoted at 65 cents per M.

Cedar shingles are moving quite briskly, although prices have shown weakness during the past two months. Stocks of high grades are only moderate, while the lower grades are practically cleaned up. It is generally felt by those interested that shingles have now reached the rock-bottom figure, and that the next change will certainly be in favor of the manufacturers. This expectation is based on the fact that shipments of shingles have been light and also that the supplies at the lumber yards throughout the Eastern States must be accordingly small. American cedar shingles are worth f.o.b. St. John: Extras, from $2.85 to $2.95; clears, $2.40 to $2.45; 2nd clears, $1.90; No. 1, 90 cents. Freight rates on shingles to Boston are quoted at 22½ cents per M.

Spruce boards are moving slowing. The demand for them is less than has been the case for several seasons past. They are plentiful at $9.75 to $10 for Provincial and $11.50 to $12 for American, all on wharf at St. John.

The outlook is now that large quantities of all kinds of lumber will be wintered at this port, and in some cases it may mean that a cessation of operations will be necessary before the winter sets in, owing to lack of wharf room. With one or two exceptions, the mills on the St. John usually close down about the middle of December, resuming again early in March, but, owing to the conditions mentioned above, the chances are that many mills in this vicinity will have ceased sawing by mid-November.

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Andre Villani, lumber merchant, of Villaniville, Labelle county, Que., has made an assignment. The list of liabilities is an unusually large one, amounting to about $300,000. The estate consists of 200,000 logs in the Rouge river and other business operations in Montreal and different parts of the province. W. H. Walsh, of Montreal, has been appointed provisional guardian of the estate. A meeting of the creditors will be held about the 28th inst.

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1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
1x10 No. 2 "		19 00
Pine good strips: in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16' 18		20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'. 16		19 00
Pine shorts 7 to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00	14 50
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
Lath, per M		
No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine, mil. run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles		
xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles		
xxxx, 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
xx, 18 inch	1 60	1 70

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$77 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$68 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	77 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	77 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	80 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	78 00
in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2 in.	50 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	48	52	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	40	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
1x12 inch shippers	$		24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.			25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19		20
10-in. dressing and better	30		35
12-in. dressing and better	40		42
Box, 1x10-in.			20
Box, 1x12			21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29		30
1x10	25		26
1x8	23		25
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26		27
1x10	23		24
1x8	22		23
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32		38
" " 2 inch	38		40

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18 $5 25 5 53
Clear bu.		3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 25
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	50 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	17 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	24 00	No. 2, 1 in.	19 00
No. 2, 1 in.	38 00	No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	19 50
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	25 00	No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	36 00	1x12 and up	22 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	40 00	Dressing 1¼ in.	19 00
1¼x10 and 12	34 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	
1½ in.		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda;

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00 45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	22 00 24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00 19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00 17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	6 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00 25 00
Common and culls	5 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00 17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00 21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00 12 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	70 00	75 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	58 00	63 00
1¼ to 2 inch	60 00	65 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p.1 s		17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s		14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled		17 00

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

Extras	3 10	3 25
Clears	2 70	2 80
Second clears	2 20	2 30
Clear Whites	2 10	2 20
Extra 1s (Clear whites out)		1 40
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 55	1 65

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Red Cedar Extras, 16 in., 5 butts to 2 in.	3 20

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Lumber is moving more briskly than last week. Dealers who have been running along for some time with light supplies are now stocking up to some extent, and invariably request that the lumber be shipped immediately. The need of the stock and the fear of an inadequate supply of cars for transportation are responsible for this urgency. The most activity is confined to the cities, where the requirement for building purposes is quite large. Common boards in pine are meeting with a ready sale, while hemlock in boards and dimension timber is in steady request. The general hardwood trade is showing more life under the lead of oak and birch. The former is slightly firmer in price, as the supply is by no means large. Basswood still lags, the substitution of other woods last year owing to its abnormal scarcity having affected the demand this season. Interior finishing stock is active, as buildings have now advanced to the point where they are ready for this work.

There is an enlarged demand for pine lath and higher prices are predicted. It is believed that the supply will not last until the mills resume operations next spring, as there is not a large stock at the mills in Ontario and a decided shortage has developed in the Lake Superior district.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Spruce lumber prices are being maintained, but trade is still on the quiet side. There is a fairly active movement of stock in a retail way in Montreal, where building operations are being pushed with some vigor. In the country districts, however, there is not much doing and stocks at the mills are accumulating. The supply of inch lumber in both spruce and hemlock is large and prices of this size are easier. There has been a further decline in the price of square and waney pine timber, the best price obtainable at Quebec for 19 to 20-inch waney being about 65 cents. Square birch is also a shade weaker.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber business in the United States is proceeding along very satisfactory lines. Business in July was better than in August, and September so far has shown a substantial improvement over last month. Evidence develops almost every day that stocks at the producing points are not large and are in strong hands, and there is little doubt as to the maintenance of prices. Wholesale dealers report an increased enquiry for white pine and a larger movement is looked for next month. Eastern retail dealers are finding that it is impossible to secure lumber by making an offer lower than the prices asked by the wholesalers, who in turn have been prevented from lowering their quotations owing to the firm attitude of the manufacturers. The box business is for the first time in many months showing signs of an unsettled condition, and consequently box lumber is not quite as firm as it was. Pennsylvania producers have advanced the base price of hemlock $1 per thousand to $16.50, but the basis at Buffalo continues at $15.50. The advance in the price of yellow pine lumber has been helpful to hemlock. Spruce prices are being well maintained; from the manufacturers' standpoint spruce has not looked so promising for some months as it does now, and as the mills will soon cease operating for the season, prices are not likely to be lower this year.

The demand for hardwood lumber is steadily expanding. Plain oak is said to be selling $2 per thousand higher than it did one month ago, with some doubt as to the ability of the manufacturers to meet the requirement. All other kinds are steady with the exception of basswood, which is being offered occasionally at lower prices. The Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association have adopted a new price list which shows that there is the strongest confidence in the future and that prices are expected to be considerably higher before January.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Reports lately received of the British lumber market have a more optimistic hue than for some time past. There is undoubtedly a better feeling and more disposition to purchase, but the heavy stocks that are carried at many of the ports keep the trade in a depressed condition and prevent any marked recovery in prices. These stocks have accumulated during the past year, when the consumption of lumber was unusually light. For the thirty-six weeks ending September 10th, this year's consumption of deals, etc., at London is some ten thousands standards less than for the corresponding period of 1903. There is still slight danger of further weakness as a result of consignment cargoes, but if no large quantity of stock is forced upon the market in this way, the near future should witness some improvement both in demand and prices. The feeling is gaining ground even among importers that prices have seen their worst. The Timber News states that spruce deals are decidedly firmer and that there is a distinct advance in values. The volume offering is less than usual at this season of the year and there are no indications so far of an excessive supply. Birch planks continue to be asked for, and as the supply is smaller than usual, prices will probably be fully maintained. Birch logs are not in much demand. Hemlock is readily saleable, but shippers have restricted their output and will not now take orders at the figures which have prevailed.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Forster Lumber Company is reported to have purchased the output of the McRae Company's mill at Hosmer, B.C.

The W. & A. McArthur Company, of Little Current, Ont., will take out about 20,000,000 feet of logs during the coming winter.

At St. John, N.B., last week, about 1,000,000 feet of spruce logs belonging to the R. A. Estey Estate were sold to Henry Miller, of St. John, at $9.50 a thousand.

C. H. LaBillois, Commissioner of Public Works, Fredericton, N. B., is asking for tenders up to November 7th for the supply of lumber required for flooring the Marysville steel highway bridge.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, N. B., have been notified that the schooner Annie Harper, loaded by them with lumber for the Boston market, has been wrecked in the Bay of Fundy. It is understood that the cargo was well insured.

The logs belonging to the St. John Lumber Company which broke away at Van Buren during the late freshet, are being rafted at the Mitchell boom at Fredericton, N.B., and will be towed to St. John. They are mostly small logs, averaging only about 1,200 feet to the joint.

The head of the corporation drive on the St. John river was at Bristol, N.B., on September 22nd. There is about 4,000,000 feet in the drive. Although operations at the booms are progressing satisfactorily, it is not believed that the work will be finished this fall, and about 10,000,000 feet of logs may have to be stored for the winter.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, in their report of September 10th, state: "There have been no arrivals in either white pine or spruce during the fortnight, but, as mentioned in our last, we placed a cargo of former for this month's shipment at $26 for shippers and $20 for second quality. In spruce two cargoes have been placed—one for September shipment at $22.50 and $18.50 for shippers and second quality, and one for October shipment at $21.50 and $16.50. There is not much enquiry for white pine just now, but spruce is inquired for, most of the dealers' yards being here, and we think a prompt arrival would do well. The only receipt of shingles to note is 65,000 Long Cedar by the steamer "Ocamo," which were sold at $5.66; both these and Dimension are wanted. The "Success" is looked for with principally Long, which should bring full prices. For Cedar Laying, of usual description, there is not much enquiry, but we understand some Clears and Second Clears have been placed for future delivery at $3.85 and $4 for the former, and $3.45 and $3.50 for the latter. We could not venture a higher valuation than $2.10 for the usual Laying, as dealers always have some."

WISCONSIN HARDWOOD PRICES.

The ninth annual meeting of the Wisconsin Hardwood Lumbermen's Association was held at Oshkosh, Wis., on September 20th. In discussing the price list, Mr. E. P. Arpin, chairman of the Price List Committee, stated that there did not seem to be any trouble in selling log run elm, 2 inch, at $24. No. 3 Common was in good demand and No. 2 was holding up well. A new list was adopted fixing the following prices f.o.b. Wausau freight rate, effective September 20th, 1904.

ASH.—1 inch long run (No. 3 Common out), $22; 1st and 2nd, 1 in., $33; 1 1/4 and 11/2 in., $35; 2 in., $36; 21/2 in. and thicker, $41. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $23; 1 1/4 and 1 1/2 in., $24; 2 in., $25; 2 1/2 in. and thicker, $27. No. 2 Common, 1 in., $12; 1 1/4 in. and thicker $13. No. 3 Common, $10.

BIRCH.—1 in. log run (No. 3 Common out), $20; 1st and 2nd, 1 in. (red out), $30; 1¼ and 1½ in., $32; 2 in., $34; 1 in. red, $40; 1¼ to 2 in. red, $42. No. 1 Common, 1 in. (red out), $19; 1¼ and 1½ in., $21; 2 in., $23; 1 in. red, $29; 1¼ to 2 in. red, $31.

BASSWOOD.—1st and 2nd, 1, 5, 11 in., 8 to 16 ft., $31; 12 in., $34; 13 in. and wider, $37; 1¼ and 1½ in., $34; 2 in., $36. No. 1 Common, 1, 5, 11 in., 8 to 16 ft., $21; 1¼ and 1½ in., $23; 2 in., 26. No. 2 Common, $15 to $16. Box Common, 1 in., $13.50.

SOFT ELM.—1 in. log run (No. 3 Common out), $20; 1¼ to 2 in. log run, $21. 1st and 2nd, 1 in, $29; 1¼ to 2 in., $31; 2½ in. and thicker, $34. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $19; 1¼ to 2 in., $21; 2½ in. and thicker, $24. No. 2 Common, $13. No. 3 Common, $10.

ROCK ELM.—1 in. long run, $18; 1¼ to 2 in. long run, $20. 1st and 2nd, 1 in., $30; 1¼ to 2 in., $32; 2½ in. and thicker, $36. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $18; 1¼ to 2 in., $20; 2½ in. and thicker, $26. No. 2 Common, 1 in., $12; 1 1/4 in. and thicker, $14. No. 3 Common, $8.

SOFT MAPLE.—1 in. to 2 in. long run, $16.

HARD MAPLE.—1 in. to 2 in. log run, $15; 1st and 2nd, 1 in., $24; 1¼ to 2 in., $26; 2½ in. and thicker, $30. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $14; 1¼ to 2 in., $16; 2½ in. and thicker, $20. No. 2 Common, 1 to 2 in., $10; 2½ in. and thicker, $15; No. 3 Common, 1 to 2 in., $7; 2½ in. and thicker, $10.

WHITE OAK.—1st and 2nd, 1 in., $36; 1¼ in. and 1½ in., $40; 2 in., $42; 2½ in. and thicker, $46. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $26; 1¼ and 1½ in., $30; 2 in., $32; 2½ in. and thicker, $36. No. 2 Common, 1 in., $16; 1¼ and 1½ in., $20; 2 in., $22. No. 3 Common, 1 in., $9; 1¼ to 2 in., $10.

RED OAK.—1st and 2nd, 1 in., $38; 1¼ and 1½ in., $41; 2 in., $43; 2½ in. and thicker, $48. No. 1 Common, 1 in., $28; 1¼ and 1½ in., $31; 2 in., $33; 2½ in. and thicker, $38. No. 2 Common, 1 in., $18; 1¼ and ½ in., $21; 2 in., $23; 2½ in. and thicker, $28. No. 3 Common, 1 in., $9; 1¼ in. and thicker, $10.

Official weights as follows, in pounds: Ash, 3,500; birch, 4,000; soft maple, 3,500; hard maple, 4,000; basswood, 2,500; soft elm, 3,000; rock elm, 4,000; oak, 4,000.

IMPORTANT DEAL IN LUMBER PROPERTY.

A large transaction in lumber property was closed last week, when C. M. Bostwick, of St. John, N.B., transferred to the Pejepscot Paper Company, of Brunswick, Maine, all his extensive holdings at Great Slamon River, Kings County, and Martin's Head, St. John County, N.B. The property comprises 100,000 acres of timber limits, chiefly spruce, the Great Salmon river mill, a store, two schooners and several buildings. The price paid is said to have been in the vicinity of $300,000. The property was purchased fourteen years ago by Mr. Bostwick from the Davidson Estate, since which time it has been greatly improved.

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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	65 00 75 00
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Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00 28 00
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1 to 2 in.	70 72	Box, 1x10-in.	20
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1 to 2 in.	69 61	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53 55	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35 45	1x8	23 25
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3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
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No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
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1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
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No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber trade has lost no ground during the past week, as there has been an average movement and prices have been well maintained. There are no signs of weakness, and it is believed that when the elections in this country and the United States are over there will be a revival in the demand for lumber and a stiffening of prices. While the quantity of unsold lumber at the mills will be larger than at the close of navigation last year, it will not be more than enough to supply the demand until the new cut is ready next year. Several of the largest firms will operate conservatively in the woods this winter and will figure upon stocking their mills for days runs only next season. In the face of a restricted production, there is no good reason for a decline in pine lumber prices.

The factory demand for hardwoods is more lively, which is taken to indicate that consumers have been running along with light stocks and are now willing to purchase for their winter requirements at present prices. Interior finish stock is experiencing a good movement, and there has been some improvement in the call for basswood.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Increased activity is reported from some of the spruce districts, although the volume of trade is still small for this season of the year. There is a better feeling in respect to British business, the general opinion being that prices are likely to improve between now and the end of the year. Merchantable spruce deals are worth about $12 at St. John. Dullness prevails in logging circles on account of the contemplated contraction in operations. It is estimated that the coming winter's cut on the Upper St. John river will not be more than 65,000,000 feet, as compared with an average cut of about 120,000,000 feet. Operations on the Miramichi and Restigouche rivers will also be restricted, and in Nova Scotia a policy of curtailment will be followed to a lesser extent. There is an improved demand for lath, but shingles are still weak, with a larger number of sales of Extras at $3.10 for Boston delivery.

UNITED STATES.

Reports from the United States are not so universally favorable as last week, trade in the east in particular being somewhat dull. In Philadelphia and New York the volume of business is by no means satisfactory. In Chicago and district there is a vast amount of building under way and lumber dealers are doing a steady trade, with prices well maintained. The manufacturers in the Lake Superior district make no complaint as to business. The bulk of their output has been disposed of and the small balance is almost certain to be held at firm prices. Dealers are buying southern pine quite liberally and prices have advanced from $1 to $2 per thousand. There is less strength shown by spruce, random cargoes at Boston having sold at slightly lower prices. Hardwoods generally are in good demand. Much of the northern production has passed into the hands of dealers, who are endeavoring to keep up prices. It is predicted that there will be a liberal production of Wisconsin and Michigan hardwood logs the coming winter and

there is consequently some hesitancy on the part of eastern buyers. Plain white and red oak are in fair demand and light supply, soft elm is scarce and basswood is plentiful.

There has been a recovery of about ten cents in the price of red cedar shingles. Reports from Washington state that wholesalers are eager to buy and that the situation shows a distinct improvement. This has been reflected in other kinds of shingles, although no advance in the east has taken place.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Indications are more numerous that the British lumber market is gaining strength. Business in London is brisker and importers are beginning to speculate. If the market were removed from the influence of Baltic shipments, there would probably be a surprisingly quick recovery in prices, but as this is out of the question the improvement promises to be very gradual. Stocks are changing hands more freely between merchant and consumer than has been the case for many months, and prices at the recent public sales have maintained a fairly steady level. Spruce deals are showing unusual strength. One report states: "There has been a much better demand for spruce during the week, and if this were only to continue for a few weeks at the same rate, there would be a substantial rise in prices to record. Stocks of 3x9 unassorted spruce have been cleared by the principal agents at £9 per standard, and many lines of unassorted that sold at £8 5s at the auctions a short time ago have been resold by the buyers at £9 per standards." Importers are beginning to feel that there are not likely to be heavy consignments from Canada, which is doing much towards restoring confidence.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

E. B. Foss & Company, of Bay City, Mich., have imported from the Georgian Bay district about 5,000,000 feet of lumber a month during the season.

Crate & Sparham, of Smith's Falls, Ont., have just bought 400 acres in Beckwith Township, near Franktown, on which there is a considerable quantity of timber.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., last week sold 3,000,000 feet of white pine lumber to the Detroit Lumber Company and Lowrie & Robinson.

The Spanish River Boom Company handled approximately 160,000,000 feet of logs this season. Last year the output was 200,000,000 feet and next year it is likely to be still smaller.

Robert Potts, of Fredericton, N.B., has entered into a contract with the St. John Lumber Company, of Van Buren, Maine, to cut 3,000,000 feet of logs for them during the coming season.

The Pigeon River Lumber Company, of Port Arthur, Ont., will have five camps in operation this winter, three on the Canadian side and two on the American side. It is expected that from 30,000,000 to 35,000,000 feet of logs will be cut.

Hon. E. J. Davis, Commissioner of Crown Lands for Ontario, is asking for tenders by November 15th for the right to cut the red and white pine timber on a number of small parcels of cut-over and burnt-over lands situated in the Townships of Burleigh and Johnson and district of Algoma. The berths in Algoma district include No. 108, on the north shore of Lake Huron, and Berth A, on Dog Lake, 64 miles west of Chapleau.

There is now about 18,250,000 feet of last season's log cut of the provincial operators hung up in the upper St. John river, divided as follows:

	Feet
Randolph & Baker	6,000,000
Cunliffe	1,000,000
Kilburn	1,000,000
Chouinard	1,000,000
Edgecombe & Eaton (McConnell's)	5,000,000
Doucett Landry	1,500,000
Scott Bros	1,500,000
R. A. Estey estate	1,000,000
Hallett	750,000
	18,750,000

In addition to this the St. John Lumber Company at Van Buren were held up for 7,500,000 feet. This company, however, will operate quite extensively this winter. They will get out about 15,000,000 feet. The Van Buren Lumber Company will also operate on a fairly large scale, their estimate being about 10,000,000 feet.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., Sept. 30th, 1904.—Things are somewhat brisker in lumber circles than they have been for some months past. All the mills in this vicinity are running at their full capacity and the annual output of this year promises to be about the average. Logs are coming along very freely and the indications are that there will be perhaps 20,000,000 feet piled and wintered at this port alone. As far as is known at present there have been very few large contracts made with loggers. This is a sure indication of a small cut this winter, as under ordinary conditions the choppers are in the woods by this time.

Many manufacturers are in a position this year where they have to run their mills at a loss or cease sawing altogether, owing to the high price they paid for their logs. As it means a heavy sum of money being tied up for a year at least unless they did so, those who were in that position have preferred to do the former. It may be depended upon that they will not be in a similar condition next year. This means that they will be more cautious in buying and contracting and already the reaction is being felt in logging circles, which fact is indicated in a lack of demand for woodsmen and a consequent falling off in wages in that line ranging from 10 to 15 per cent.

While shingles have not shown any increased activity during the last fortnight, laths appear to be considerably more in demand and those who have any to sell are very hopeful of what the next month will bring forth. Shipments of laths have been fairly heavy since last writing, but the quantity of shingles on the different wharves has increased perceptibly.

The English market looks somewhat brighter than was the case at this time last month. Enquiries are more frequent and the demand has increased to such an extent that those interested are just now feeling very optimistic. Of course, this demand is not by any means heavy, but, compared with the depression of the last few months, it is decidedly encouraging to the manufacturers.

Shipments have been sufficiently heavy to make considerable wharf-room and charters are booked that will relieve any inconvenience from this source for the next two months even if no further sales were made.

Prices have rallied and the indications seem to be, according to the opinions of men who are in a position to judge, that they will be higher yet before the closing in of winter.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN)

VANCOUVER, B.C., September 26, 1904. —The depression in the lumber business has been the cause of a cut in prices of lumber in this city, and the war has been carried on by the millmen until now figures are in many instances as much as 35 per cent. off the list price. It all started in one firm giving a price below the schedule agreed upon by the B C. Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association, and to which all the members subscribed, and of another when hearing it going it still lower. Shingles are being sold for $1.35 and $1.50. "There are times," one of the prominent manufacturers said on Saturday, "when most of us feel we should be put in an asylum until this irrational feeling has worn off. We know we are hurting ourselves and the trade, but still we go ahead."

A feature of the depression in the logging industry is the cornering of the available supply. Especially is this the case in cedar. Most of the independent loggers are in financial difficulties, and since the government has refused to allow export, they have to wait until conditions brighten. They have stopped cutting, and those who have the money are now quietly buying up all the cedar and the fir. By spring logs may take a big jump and will be very high if the winter is as unfavorable as last in getting out timber.

Export of lumber is small. The fleet now loading is only three vessels, the fewest on record. They are the Harold and Halewood at Hastings mill, and the Olivebank at Chemainus. Three charters only are reported, the William H. Talbot, the Admiral Tegethoff and the Balboa. A record was made in loading the Olivebank. She took on 2,5 7,000 feet, the largest cargo ever shipped at Chemainus, and this was put on through one hatch by the Victoria & Vancouver Stevedoring Company in 22 lay-days, an average of 114,000 feet per day.

Several mill fires have taken place during the month. The mill at Kamloops of the Kamloops Lumber Company, of which George McCormick, M.P., is president, was burned, with a loss of $20,000. Some lumber was also burned. Mr. G. F. Fowler, M.P., is on his way west, and when he arrives it will be decided whether the mill will be rebuilt at Kamloops or Savano. Messrs. Braden & Johnston, who have a mill at Salmon Arm, lost the plant and all their lumber. The loss will be about $2,500, with no insurance. Mr. McCormick, when he heard of the misfortune, kindly offered to supply them with a boiler. They will rebuild so as to be ready to cut early in the spring. A watchman slept at the No. 1 mill of the King Lumber Company, near Cranbrook, and the mill was burned, he escaping with difficulty from the burning building. No lumber or logs were burned. Loss $25,000, with some insurance. The Capilano Lumber Company, operating about seven miles from the mouth of the Capilano river, from which Vancouver gets its water supply, has suffered the loss of its saw mill.

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3x12 common	21 00	22 00
3x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
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Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
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1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
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Cull scantling	13 00	14 00

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1-2 inch flooring	21 00
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" 1½ " 2	25 00	00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	29 00	30 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in	27 00	29 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 in. m. r.	30	32 00
1 1¼	26 00	28 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds 1½	60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 " 1½	25 00	27 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 " 3	26 00	28 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00	28 00
Elm rock, mill run 1½" 3	29 00	31 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1½" 2	36 00	38 00
Maple common and better 1 1½	22 00	24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 " 4	25 00	27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	39 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 " 1½	38 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 " 4	41 00	45 00
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16 "	26	28
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2 in.	35 00	40 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
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Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
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No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
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9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
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Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
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Selects, 2½ in up	77	12-in. dressing and better	40 42
1 to 2 in.	70	Box, 1x10-in.	20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	Box, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	69	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35	1x8	23 25
No. 3	30	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	1x10	23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	1x8	22 23
Stained saps	32	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32 38
Bracket plank	35	" " 2 inch	38 40

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Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2¼ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
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1¼ x 10 and 12	40 00		
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1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips 22 00 24 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls 15 00 17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 13 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up, 24 00 25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls 16 00 17 00

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The present condition of the lumber trade is not very different from that which prevailed one week ago. The volume of business is about normal, and there is practically no change in prices. Country shipments are not as heavy as might be expected, but on the other hand there is a more active demand in Toronto, where building operations continue brisk. Attempts to break prices of white pine, on the ground that manufacturers are carrying larger stocks than one year ago, have not been very successful, which leads to the conclusion that white pine is upon a stable foundation. There is no doubt that the percentage of this year's cut still in the hands of producers is considerably larger than at the corresponding time last year, but this is offset by the contemplated curtailment in logging operations the coming winter. Camps were put into the woods later than usual, the general disposition being to curtail the output by about 25 per cent.

Dealers are contracting quite liberally for hardwoods, but have found no difficulty in fulfilling their wants. Prices are quite firm, however, and an active fall demand may bring about an advance in some lines. Basswood is showing more life.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber market of Western Canada does not show much improvement, prices still being somewhat demoralized. The demand in Winnipeg continues active, as the building permits issued during the present year have reached in value $8,000,000. Many other buildings are contemplated this fall and it is expected that the expenditure for the year will be about $10,000,000. The competition from American lumber is less severe than during the summer period, though considerable of the trade is still going across the line. The recent report concerning the withdrawal of the Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' Association from the honorary list of the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association is true in part only. While it has been decided to discontinue the relationship which has existed between the two associations, it is not the intention of the manufacturers to sell directly to consumers, unless, perhaps, in some exceptional cases.

British Columbia shingles are in good demand, the low prices having stimulated buying to some extent. No. 1 are quoted in Winnipeg at $2.10 wholesale, and No. 2 at $1.80. There has been an advance ranging from 15 to 25 cents in the price of lath, which are not plentiful.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber market of the United States as a whole is exhibiting a strength that is encouraging to producers. There is the usual fall movement of northern pine, as there has lately been considerable buying of stock for shipment before the close of navigation. There is very little lumber for sale in the Lake Superior district, which, considered in connection with the moderate demand which has prevailed during the year, is but additional evidence that the supply of white pine timber is becoming exhausted. There has been an advance of 50 cents in the price of No. 1 boards. No. 3 and 4 boards are moving rapidly to supply the box demand, which is more active. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers are booking larger orders for New York. Spruce prices are steady and dealers appear satisfied with the outlook. Some of the eastern mills have already shut down.

The hardwood trade is each day getting into better condition, both inquiries and orders being more numerous. There is a fair stock of hardwoods remaining in the hands of manufacturers, but no greater than is likely to be required before the new cut is ready next year, and if the demand should revive as many predict, a shortage may result. It is estimated that there are 30,000,000 feet of inch maple held by Michigan manufacturers. Thick maple, however, is in light demand and

prices are quite stiff. Maple flooring has also improved. Basswood is looking up and promises to recover from its recent lethargy.

The scarcity of white pine lath in the Lake Superior district, of which previous mention was made, continues, and prices are slightly higher. Mixed lath are more plentiful and proportionately easier in price. Red cedar shingles have recovered in a remarkable manner. Dealers now fear a shortage in the supply and are paying a premium of 10 to 15 cents for prompt delivery. This is partly due to the difficulty in securing transportation, the railroads being overwhelmed by the wheat traffic.

GREAT BRITAIN.

We do not care to state emphatically that the corner has been turned in the depression which has characterized the British lumber market for the past year, but indications undoubtedly point in that direction. On account of the near approach of the close of the importing season, buyers are disposed to close contracts whenever they are offered any inducement. Up to the present time consignment cargoes have been feared, but as freight rates have advanced, the market is not likely to suffer much from this cause. Notwithstanding the present inactivity, the opinion is almost universally held that buyers of deals at present prices will be enabled to realize considerable profit before another importing season is reached. Pine is steady, as practically no stock is being thrown upon the market unreservedly, and there is an increasing demand for the regular lines of spruce. The latest sales of spruce have ranged from £6 5s to £6 12s 6d c. i. f. London, according to specifications and stock. A small carge of Halifax spruce is reported to have been sold for Manchester delivery at £6 10s c. i. f.

At an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., on September 28th, what was termed first quality pine, from Montreal, sold at £16 10s for 10-16 feet, 1½x7 inch, to £18 15s for 2x11 inch, while second quality 3x9 inch brought £13 10s. A small quantity of unassorted spruce from West Bay, N. S., brought from £6 to £6 10s.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The barque Ilos has finished loading lumber at Windsor, N. S., for Buenos Ayres.

The John Harrison & Sons Company, of Owen Sound, Ont., are supplying 450,000 square feet of timber for the new breakwater at Meaford.

Graham & Horne, of Fort William, Ont., have contracted with X. St. Jaques, a contractor from West Superior, to put in 15,000 pieces of piling at Black Bay.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission are asking for tenders up to November 4th for the delivery of 225,000 ties along the right of way north of New Liskeard of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway. Information may be obtained at the office of the chief engineer at North Bay, and tenders are to be addressed to J. W. Pearson, secretary-treasurer, Toronto.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, etc., measured and culled at Quebec up to October 5th, as reported by the Supervisor of Cullers:

	1902 Cu. Ft.	1903 Cu. Ft.	1904 Cu. Ft.
Waney White Pine..	1,815,920	1,618,920	2,020,160
White Pine.....	383,600	390,720	225,160
Red Pine.....	71,160	56,520	15,920
Oak.....	618,680	835,920	247,560
Elm.....	561,880	417,800	254,120
Ash.....	79,920	57,200	14,640
Basswood.....		160	
Butternut.....			40
Tamarac.....		40	40
Birch and Maple....	164,800	196,760	114,680

The following report of the Barbados lumber market is furnished by Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company: "There have been no receipts of either white pine or spruce since our last fortnightly report, neither have we heard of any further transactions. The cargo of white pine which we advised as having sold to arrive should be here shortly. A prompt arrival of spruce would probably bring $22, as dealers are partly bare. The "Success" has arrived from Paspebiac, Que., bringing 1,300,000; of these 969,000 were Long Gaspe cedar, which were placed at $5.76 to $6.27; a small quantity of Dimension brought $4.25, $6.35, $7.35 and $7.50 for 4, 5, 6 and 7 inch respectively. A lot of 113,000 Cedar Laying were sold at $2.20; this sale cannot be considered as a criterion of the market, as it was made to an outsider and could not be repeated."

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

OTTAWA, October 7, 1904.—The summer lassitude in Ottawa district lumber circles promises to be followed by a fall and winter activity. While trade is quiet as yet, prices are holding firm. There seems to be but little surplus stock, and holders are not willing to shade. There is a considerable movement of lumber, but it is confined to the American market. The dullness in the English market continues, and the high-priced Canadian stuff is being displaced by the cheaper Baltic production. The Ottawa district operators are of the opinion that the depression in the Old Country market has about reached its height, and that an improvement must soon follow.

Already manufacturers and dealers are talking next year's prices, and one expressed the opinion that the present season's prices would hold firm, although there might be some shading from the extra high prices. Any break that may occur will, it is believed, be confined to the Georgian Bay district.

Everything points to a shortage in the lumber cut of the present season. While it may not be much less than last season, it certainly will be considerably short of previous seasons.

There is certain to be a large shortage in the output of logs in the Ottawa district this fall and winter, and consequently a corresponding shortage in the lumber cut next summer. Both the Hull Lumber Company and the Estate of Robert Hurdman have decided not to manufacture logs, and other firms will reduce their cut. The freedom with which the logs came down stream this summer promises a big supply for early sawing next summer.

While the Ottawa river is full of logs, there is seemingly great difficulty in getting them down stream. On account of scarcity of logs, the Shepard & Morse Company has found it necessary to shut down its mill at Ottawa.

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Cherry, 1st and 2nds		1½ 60 00 70 00	Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds		2.. 65 00 70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2	4.. 65 00 75 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1	3.. 85 00 100 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1	1½ 25 00 27 00			
Elm, soft, mill run	2	3.. 26 00 28 00			

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT

	cts.	cts
Square white pine, measured off, 30 to 40 feet average	35	45
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	63
" " " 19 to 20 inch average " "	60	7
RED PINE—IN THE RAFT.		
Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
Shipping order, " "	35	40
OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.		
By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55
ELM.		
By the dram, according to average and quality 40 to 45 feet	60	75
" " " 30 to 35 feet	48	55
ASH.		
10 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	30
Average 16 inch	30	35
BIRCH.		
14 Inch	20	22
16 "	6	24
17 "	48	31
18 "	32	34

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MANFUACTURERS' PRICES.

Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.	40 00	45 00	1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
1¼ in. and 1¼ in. x			1x10 No. 2 "	19 00
			1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00

Pine good strips: in.	33 00	35 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	38 00	40 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	25 00	30 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	30 00	35 00
2 in.	35 00	40 00
ine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
ine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16	19 00
Pine shorts 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00	14 50
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles xxxx 18 inch	3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75
xx, 18 inch	1 60	1 70

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$68 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	77 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	80 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	54 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	78 00
in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2 in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1¼ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$ 24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.	25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19 20
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30 35
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40 42
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.	20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	69	61	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23 25
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	48	1x10	23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	38	1x8	22 23
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32 38
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	38 40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	25	40	Dressing	24 25

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18	$5 25 5 55
Clear bu		3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 23
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25

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WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

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2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in	48 00
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Fine common, 1 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	1¼ and 2½ in.	26 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	2 in	24 00
1½ and 1½ in	50 00	3 in.	23 00
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	No. 2, 10 in.	26 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	No. 2, 12 in.	20 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	No. 3, 10 in.	22 50
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	No. 3, 12 in.	17 50
1¼x10 and 12	40 00	Box, 1x4	19 00
1½ in.	34 00	1x6 & up	19 50
		1x10	20 00
		1x12	22 00
		1x13 and up	19 00
		1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	
		Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00	45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	22 00	24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00	21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00	12 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00 to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00	73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00	60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00	63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
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10,000 ft. of 1½ " " "
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

This week finds the lumber trade more active than for a long time, the fine weather being responsible for the increased business. "If this kind of weather continues for a month," remarked a local dealer, "we will have little stock left in our yard." There are practically no complaints of slow trade, while prices are exhibiting considerable strength. Reports from the northern mill districts are universally to the effect that there are no signs of weakness, but on the other hand there is a feeling that there will be no necessity to lower prices in order to market all the lumber that is now in the hands of manufacturers. Compared with a month or six weeks ago, a marked increase of confidence is shown. Some dealers are picking up considerable stock in advance of the Presidential election, as it is thought that prices will stiffen when that event is out of the way. The demand for low grade pine is still a feature, with the upper grades relatively weaker. Of the hardwoods, elm and birch are about the best sellers, but there is a little more inquiry for basswood. Lath prices are stronger and one or two large sales have recently been placed. A manufacturer who has carrried his lath, about six million pieces, all season, because he could not obtain a satisfactory price, recently disposed of the entire quantity at the figure which he had been asking, which is evidence of the improved tone of the market.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The Eastern Canada lumber market is showing more activity as the result of an increased domestic demand. The Dominion Government has under way harbor improvements at several points for which considerable lumber will be required, and the many new buildings and other works about to be undertaken by the Intercolonial Railway is expected to influence the lumber market. Shipments to the United States have also increased and a more hopeful feeling is entertained in respect to British trade. Although considerable lumber will of necessity be carried over the winter, manufacturers show no disposition to reduce prices below their present low basis. Cedar shingles are no more than holding their own and it is still possible to buy good Extras at $3.15 on Boston rate of freight.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Lumber conditions in the West are not improving very rapidly. In Winnipeg there is a good demand for stock and prices are steady at the lower range which has prevailed for some time, but country business is rather disappointing. Many of the retail dealers, anticipating a greater demand than has yet materialized, are now carrying fairly heavy stocks and will need to buy but little during the winter months. Considerable American lumber is still being sold in Winnipeg and Southern Manitoba, although we are informed that the quality of the lumber brought in does not compare with the home product. The final estimate of the North-West wheat crop is 60,000,000 bushels, which is a larger production than last year, and, considering the present market value of wheat, the buying power of the farmer will be considerably above the average, and he should be in a good financial position to undertake needed improvements to buildings.

UNITED STATES.

There has been a marked improvement in the northern pine trade of the United States, and it now appears that the mills will carry a very light stock into the winter. Notwithstanding that the East has bought sparingly, the bulk of this year's production has passed into the hands of dealers and consumers. Prices have stiffened in some districts to the extent of $1 per thousand, although there is no change at Buffalo, Tonawanda and other Eastern wholesale distributing centres. Buffalo dealers report a shortage of certain sizes of barn boards, and some of the higher grades are moving more actively. Southern pine is also firm and the base price of hemlock at New York has been marked up to $17. The spruce market is steady, with indications of firmness during the winter months. The demand for hardwoods has been stimulated by the starting up of furniture and implement factories. Basswood is being inquired for more generally and soft elm sells readily. The oak situation is rather peculiar, there being a decided scarcity of plain stock, while quartered oak is very plentiful and in little demand.

Difficulty in obtaining red cedar shingles owing to a car shortage has caused

more liberal buying of the other kinds, which are firm in price. Lath are still strong, with some dealers holding for a further advance.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British lumber market continues to show improvement of a moderate character and there has been a slight increase in consumption. Consumers are more inclined now to do a little speculative buying than has been the case for some months past. The mahogany market at London has taken a decided turn for the better, and at Liverpool there is an improved demand for all kinds of lumber. Considerable business is being done in pine and spruce, with an upward tendency in prices. Shippers are asking £6 10s per standard for St. John spruce cargoes for delivery on the east coast and are refusing offers five shillings below that figure. A West Bay cargo is reported to have been sold on the Mersey at £6 10s c.i.f. There are some enquiries for square and waney timber, but the consumption is not active and stocks are ample to meet requirements. There is a good demand for rock elm, and as stocks are low prices could be easily advanced.

The feature of the month of September was the small importation of lumber from the wood-producing countries. It is now quite certain that the imports this year will be on a moderate scale compared with last season, and when this is taken into consideration, stocks cannot be considered heavy.

A statement of the London dock stocks on September 30th shows that the supply of pine and spruce is considerably lighter than one year ago. Of pine deals there were 422,488 pieces, as compared with 532,834 pieces one year ago. The stock of red pine deals was 45,892 pieces, as against 81,545 pieces, and the stock of spruce deals 359,260 pieces and 490,029 pieces respectively for the two years. It will be seen that a considerable decrease is shown in each instance.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The last of the St. John river corporation log drive reached the boom limits at Fredericton, N. B., last week.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, N. B., expect to hold over until next season between 8,000,000 and 10,000,000 feet of logs.

Keenan Bros., of Owen Sound, Ont., are offering one and a half million cedar shingles, 10 inch clear butts and better, at $2.35 per M, also one million second class shingles at $1.50.

A two mile timber berth, situated at the head of Canaan river, was sold at the Crown Land office, Fredericton, N. B., last week to George McSweeney and John Crandall for $51 per mile. James Gastro was the applicant.

During the past season about 50,000,000 feet of logs came through the south-west branch of the Miramichi river, in New Brunswick, and about 22,000,000 ft. from the north-west branch. Of this amount at least 15,000,000 feet will be wintered, divided as follows : Richards, 4,500,000 feet ; Lynch, 3,500,000 feet ; Birchall, 2,000,000 feet ; Hutchison, 1,500,000 feet ; Welch, 2,000,000 feet ; Hickson, 1,500,000 feet. Snowball & Company will also winter some logs. Very little preparation has as yet been made for the coming winter's operations, and the cut on the Miramichi is not likely to be much more than half that of last season.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Edmiston & Mitchell's Monthly Timber Circular of September 30th, 1904, contains the following particulars concerning Canadian lumber :

WHITE PINE.—The import of the month amounts to 3,000 loads of waney and 150 loads of square pine. Business is quiet, and there have been no transactions of any importance. Stocks are heavy.

OAK.—The import consists of about 350 loads. The stock of both Quebec and Southern States wood is still heavy and enquiries are few.

ELM.—There is a good demand for rock elm, and a fair business is being done at firm prices. The stock is moderate, and while there is still too much soft wood on hand, it is being gradually worked off.

QUEBEC BIRCH.—The import for September has been trifling and was disposed of from the ships' side. There are a few enquiries in the market from time to time but no special activity in the demand, and moderate though the import has been this year, it has been ample for all requirements. In birch planks, the stock is now considerably less than it has been for some time past, and we shall soon see some improvement in values.

ASH.—Although the stock on hand is small, there is no anxiety on buyers' part to pick it up, and only occasional trifling retail sales are being made at prices which are by no means encouraging, from a shipper's point of view. For American ash logs there is not much demand, and there are several lots in the market unsold.

PINE DEALS.—Business has been rather better during the month, and sales "ex quay" have been more numerous. The import continues light and stocks are moderate. Current values are as under :—Broad First Pine Deals—£32 to £34 ; 11-inch, £29 to £31 ; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £22 to £24. Second Pine Deals— 11-inch and up, £17 to £19 ; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third Pine Deals—11-inch and up, £11 to £14 ; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £9 10s to £10 10s. Red Pine Deals—9 and 11 inch, £10 to £11 ; Narrows, £7 to £8 10s. First Pine Sidings and Strips—9 to 10 inch, £23 to £24 ; 11 to 12 inch, £25 to £26 ; 13 to 14 inch, £27 to £28.

SPRUCE DEALS. —9-inch and up, £8 to £8 10s. ; 7 and 8 inch, £6 15s. to £7 10s. Lower Port Spruce.—9-inch and up, £7 10s. to £8 ; 7 and 8 inch, £6 5s to £7.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 10th, 1904.—It looks as if there will be low prices for lumber all this winter. Since the price war they have not regained, and to-day lumber is selling in some instances as much as $5 lower than the former figure. The result of this is seen in the greater amount of building which is now about to be done. Towards the winter months building generally falls off considerably, as the rainy weather is not favorable. This summer and fall, however, have been unusually fine, and last week the office of the building inspector was besieged with applicants for permits. Most were for residences, but there is a large number of business blocks being erected in the city.

One of the features at the annual provincial exhibition held at New Westminster last week was the display of three "knock-down" houses by the B. C. Mills, Timber and Trading Company. They attracted considerable attention, and were the subject of much favorable comment. They can be erected for at least $200 cheaper than the ordinarily made house, and in appearance and style equal the best. They are made in several styles and sizes, from the two or four roomed house up to eight, and from $150 to $600. The prices are delivered at the mills. A comprehensive catalogue is being issued by the company. The houses are the patent of Mr. E. C. Mahoney, manager of the Royal City Mills, Vancouver, a branch of the company. Mr. Mahoney was formerly of Hamilton.

W. W. Wardrope, of Fernie, whose mill was destroyed by fire a short time ago, having been set by a spark from a C. P. R. locomotive, will probably rebuild at Crow's Nest, where the railway has promised him a siding. Winnipeg men will also be interested.

It is reported that Senator McLaren, of

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H. J. Haskamp, of St. Cloud, Minn., who has large interests in North Dakota, is president of the Great Northern Lumber Company, which will do business in Canada on a large scale, establishing branch offices throughout the Territories. H. N. Clausene, of Northwood, Manitoba, is secretary.

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1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	XXX white pine shingles...	2 75
Inch strips 4 in. to 8			B. C. Shingles	
1 in. mill run.....	20 00	22 00	XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	2 60
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00	XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	2 80
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00	XXXXX 5 to 2 in..	3 15
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks.....		15 00	XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..	2 20
1 inch siding mill culls	14 00	15 00	XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
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" 1½ " 2..		25 00	00	Maple common and better	1 1½ 22 00 24 00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		29 00	30 00	Maple, 1sts and 2nds..	2 " 4.. 25 00 27 00
Basswood, Common and better	1 to 1¼ in	27 00	29 00	Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4.. 39 00 42 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2..		30	32 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1¼ 38 00 42 00
m. r.	1 1¼	26 00	28 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4.. 42 00 45 00
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Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00	Spruce, mill run.....	2 00 2 15
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			XX 18 inch.....	1 40 1 60
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in.....	58 00		

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8 and 7 in.....	23 00	9 in.....	18 00
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10 in.....	22 00	1x6.....	19 00
No. 2, 9 in..... ..	22 00	1x4.....	16 00

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1 to 2 in.....	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.	20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12.....	21
1 to 2 in.....	69	61	No. 1 barn, 1x12.....	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch.....	53	55	1x10	25 26
No. 2.....	35	45	1x8.....	23 25
No. 3.....	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12.....	26 27
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2½ and 3 in.....	78 00		No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.....	35 00
4 in.....	80 00			
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00		Barn, No. 1, 12 in.....	32 00
1¼ and 2½ in.....	58 00		6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
2 in	60 00		No. 2, 10 in.....	23 00
3 in.....	73 00		No. 2, 12 in.....	26 00
4 in	75 00		No. 3, 10 in.....	20 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00		No. 3, 12 in.....	22 50
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00		Box, 1x4.....	17 50
No. 2, 1 in.....	24 00		1 x 6 & up..	19 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00		1x 10	19 50
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in..	25 00		1x12	20 00
Dressing 1¼ in.....	36 00		1x13 and up	22 00
1¼x10 and 12.....	40 00		1¼ and 1½ & 2 in..	19 00
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			Com. & good culls.....	13 00	14 00

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1¼ to 2 inch.....	58 00		63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00		43 00
1¼ to 2 inch.....	50 00		55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch.....	30 00		32 00
1¼ to 2 inch.....	41 00		45 00
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No. 2.....	25 00		28 00
No. 3.....	23 00		26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension.....			21 00
9 in. and under.....			19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up			20 50
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber situation in Ontario calls for no lengthy review, as in few respects does it differ from last week. Business is of an average volume. In Toronto trade is keeping up remarkably well and all the dealers are busy, but some dissatisfaction is expressed with the country demand. The approach of the time for cold weather is operating to curtail the consumption of lumber in the country, and, remembering the cold winter experienced a year ago, dealers are taking every precaution against having to carry a burdensome stock through the winter. Ottawa prices have been shaded in a few instances, but the strong undertone has not been impaired. The stocks at the mills are larger than might be desired, but there are no evidences of more than ordinary anxiety to realize.

Lath prices at the mills are now firmly established at $2.60 for No. 1 white pine and $2.10 for No. 2, this being an advance of 10 cents as compared with the prices at which lath could be purchased one month ago. Shingles are unchanged, although a few of the smaller manufacturers are offering B. C. red cedars a little below $2.60 for XXX. At this price there is no profit, and it is only a matter of time until higher prices will rule.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Lumber market conditions in the Eastern Provinces are gradually getting into better shape. Prices are firmer than they have been for some time and on all sides there is shown a remarkable degree of confidence and a feeling that the bottom has been reached in spruce values. Local and United States trade is improving and there is more inquiry for British specifications. For the American market all of the larger sizes are in strong demand and many of the mills will go into the winter season with a comparatively small amount of unsold stock. No doubt the intention of the operators to greatly curtail work in the woods this winter has had a strengthening effect upon the market. Following the action of the New Brunswick lumbermen, the Maritime Lumbermen's Association of Nova Scotia, at a meeting held at Truro last week, passed a resolution agreeing to reduce the cut this winter by at least one-half, while some of the members announced their intention to suspend operations entirely until prices improve.

New Brunswick cedar shingles are more active but are still selling on the basis of $3.15 for Extras and $2.65 for Clears, Boston delivery. Stocks are not large and some manufacturers are inclined to hold for an advance of 5 to 10 cents.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The recent fire in Winnipeg has further increased the demand for lumber, which was previously of large proportions in that city. All the dealers are busy and are anticipating a continuation of activity well into the winter months. There has of late been very little change in values, although there is less complaint of price-cutting than was the case a few weeks ago. The situation in British Columbia has not improved to any extent, and most of the interior mills are still carrying heavy stocks. Foreign shipments, however, have been fairly good, as during the first nine months of this year forty-seven cargoes were loaded at Vancouver and Chemainus. Exports to Japan have been larger than usual.

UNITED STATES.

The developments of the past week have been favorable to a stable market and to a gradual enhancement of values. From almost every district comes the report of a steady trade at firm prices, while in some instances sharp advances have taken place. White pine lumber is from $1 to $2 higher at the mills than during the summer months, and this is expected to lead to some advance at least by retailers, who up to the present time have been slow to profit by the improved conditions. At Buffalo and Tonawanda cuts and better are selling more actively than at any time this season and the lower grades continue to be in urgent request. Yellow

pine lumber is decidedly stronger. At Kansas City a new list took effect on October 14, which made a general advance of about $1 a thousand over the August list. Uppers were advanced from $1 to $2, Nos. 1 and 2 dimension $1, and all common lumber 50 cents. Similar action has been taken by the manufacturers in the vicinity of St. Louis. Hardwoods have likewise improved as the result of an increased volume of business. Plain white and red oak is still in very light supply and it is predicted that there will be no surplus of this class of lumber at least before next summer. There is a larger movement of basswood, but so far prices have not improved on account of a comparatively heavy stock. Soft elm is much enquired for.

Practically all varieties of shingles are exhibiting a stronger tone. Red cedars have advanced in the eastern markets from 10 to 15 cents, and white cedars have been benefitted slightly by an increased demand. The firm tone of the lath market has not been broken. There is a scarcity of white pine at Chicago as well as in the Lake Superior district. Eastern dealers have taken advantage of the situation and have advanced prices 10 cents during the past week. No. 2 are now selling in the Tonawanda market at $2.85.

GREAT BRITAIN.

It is the general opinion that the next move in the British lumber market will be upward, but whether the improvement that has recently taken place will extend further at the present time is questionable. There is, therefore, a feeling against heavy purchases of lumber lest the expense of carrying the stock should be greater than the recovery in prices. In other words, buyers feel reasonably certain that prices will not be materially higher during the winter months. The past season has been so unsatisfactory that it is likely to influence buyers in their action towards the market next season. The tone at the present time is better than one month ago. A number of transactions in pine are taking place and holders seem satisfied that they will have no difficulty in disposing of their stocks at a profit. Spruce is again reported to be firmer. A sale was recently made at £6 10s c.i.f. Liverpool for a cargo with about 60 per cent. narrows and only a small percentage of 11 inch. From the shippers' stocks 3x9 inch third spruce is selling at £8 5s. c.i.f. London, and from the dock stock at £9 per standard.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Seaman-Kent Company, of Meaford, Ont., are reported to have purchased 2,000,000 feet of maple lumber in Michigan, to be delivered at once.

J. D. McLean, Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs, is asking for tenders until Friday, November 11th, for 25,000 cedar railway ties and 10,000 cedar posts which the Indians of Manitoulin Island are taking out during the coming winter, to be delivered on the shore of Lake Huron, also for 5,000 cedar ties and 10,000 cedar posts to be made by the Indians of Shesheguaning Band.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company's market report of October 8th contains the following particulars of B rbados lumber conditions: "We have to report the arrival of the schooner F. B. Wade, with 24,000 feet of merchantable and 67,000 feet of second quality white pine to our neighbors, which they placed to some dealers who were very bare of this at $26.77 for former and $21.77 for latter, but we do not think next arrival will do so well. The brigatine Dixon Rice from Weymouth, N.S., arrived on the 6th with 176,000 feet of shipping spruce, 17,000 feet second quality and 14,000 feet hemlock, for which we obtained $22, $19 and $19 respectively. This has supplied present requirements, and with two cargoes which we advised in a previous issue as expected in a few weeks, we expect next arrival will meet with lower values. The steamer Oruro brought 1,698 bundles Laying shingles, principally clears and second clears, which had been previously contracted for. These with recent arrivals by the Success have supplied dealers, and the Bravo about due will bring further supplies of both Long Gaspe and Cedar Laying."

LUMBER PRICES AT LONDON.

Messrs. Churchill & Sim, London, England, held an auction sale of lumber on October 12th, at which the following prices were realized for Canadian pine and spruce:

PINE.—Ex. Romford, from Quebec—9-14 ft. 3x10 in. 4th quality, £8 10s. per standard; 9-16 ft. 3x9 in., £8 10s.; 9-16 ft. 3x8 in., £8 5s.; 9-16 ft. 3x7 in., £8; 9-14 ft. 3x6 in., £7 5s. Ex. Everingham, from Miramichi, N. B.—14 ft. 3x9 in. 4th quality, dry, £6 15s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Quebec—6-16 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted red, £8 5s.; 9-16 ft. 3x7-8, £7 10s; 12-15 ft. 3x7 in., £7 10s.; 12-15 ft. 3x8 in., £7 10s. Ex. Milwaukee, from Montreal—12 ft. 3x11 in. 2nd quality, £17 10s. Ex. Mount Temple, from Montreal—10-13 ft. 3x9-10 in., 2nd quality, £15 5s.; 9-13 ft. 3x7-8 in, £13 15s. Ex. Montezuma, from Qnebec, 12 ft. 3x9 in. 2nd quality, £9. Ex. Obi, from Quebec—13 ft. 3x11 in. 3rd quality, £12 5s.

SPRUCE — Ex. Loughrigg Holme, from Quebec—9-13 ft. 3x9 in. 1st quality, £9 10s. Ex. Evangeline, from St. John, N. B.—11 ft. 3x9 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd quality, £7 5s. Ex. Sir John Lawrence, from Baie Verte, N. B.—9-16 ft. 3x8 in. unassorted, £6 10s; 3-18 ft. 3x7 in., £6 5s. Ex. Carisbrooke, from Quebec.—12 ft. 3x9 in. 3rd quality, £8 15s. Ex. Atbara, from Saguenay—16 ft. 3x9 in. unassorted, £9; 13-17 ft. 3x9 in., £8 15s. Ex. Cunaxa, from West Bay, N. S.—3-5 ft. 3x8-13 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd quality, £6 5s; 3-5 ft. 3x7 in. £5 5s; 3-5 2½x7 in., £5 5s; 8-18 ft. 1x6-7 in., £6 5s; 8-18 ft. 1x5 in., £5 5s; 7-18 ft. 1x4 in., £5 10s. Ex. Bernilla, from Quebec—6-8 ft. 3x9-12 in., £6 10s; 6-8 3x7-8 in., £6. Ex. Nordboen, from Quebec—11-14 3x7 in. 2nd quality, £7 15s. Ex. Florence, from St. John, N. B., 10-17 ft. 3x10 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd quality, £7 5s; 3-8 ft. 3x7-9 in., £5 15s; 6-21 ft. 2½x7-8 in. £5. Ex. Mount Temple, from Quebec and Montreal—9-14 ft. 3x9-10 in. 1st quality, £10 15s; 10-14 ft. 3x8 in., £9; 9-16 ft. 3x9 in., £10 10s; 9-14 ft. 3x8 in., £8 15s. Ex. Montezuma, from Quebec—12 ft. 3x9 in. 2nd quality, £9.

The Canadian Timber & Saw Mills, whose property at Trout Lake City, B.C., was recently seized by the sheriff, has been re-organized. The head office will be removed to Revelstoke and Mr. W. Cowan will be manager.

W. J. Pulling & Company, of Windsor, Ont., have shipped 3,000,000 feet of white pine deals to Glasgow, Scotland.

The sash and door factory of Robert McLean at Nash's Creek station, Restigouche county, N. B., was destroyed by fire last week.

The following lumber charters are reported: Steamer Lord Lansdowne, West Bay, N. S., to w. c. England, deals, 40s. November loading; steamer Cunaxa, St. St. John, N. B., to Bristol Channel, deals, 40s; barque San Giuseppe, St. John, N. B., to Rochefort or Bordeaux, 42s 6d.

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 19th, 1904.—The lumber market is slowly but surely recovering from the effects of the depression which existed in so marked a degree earlier in the season. While the results of the improvement have scarcely begun to be felt in the volume of shipments, the prospects are that the estimates of the stocks of manufactured lumber to be wintered at this port will now have to be materially reduced.

An air of optimism is plainly apparent in all those who have lumber of any kind to sell, and that this cheerfulness is justified is indicated by a change in the demeanor of buyers in the United Kingdom and their representatives on this side of the water; enquiries are plentiful and instead of the indifferent attitude of a few months ago, the brokers now show a readiness to do business. This is so especially in regard to the American markets. Contrary to all expectations, the trade in the Eastern States in all lines is very brisk, has improved materially during the last month and is still improving. This being a Presidential election year, a quietness was confidently expected, but this expectation, in spite of all precedents, has proven unfounded.

The probabilities of the market for lath as mentioned in last letter have been fully borne out. Lath are now selling in New York at $3.50 per M. as against $3.00 two months ago. This would mean $2.35 at St. John for the American product and $2.10 for the Provincial. The demand during the last month has been exceptionally heavy and the receipts were far short of supplying it.

The market for boards in United States has not shown any improvement, but is at least holding its own, and the demand for spruce scantling is only moderately brisk.

The demand for spruce deals in the Eastern States is decidedly strong and promises to continue so for the balance of the season. Receipts have been light and stocks on the other end are reported to be greatly depleted.

Wide deals are particularly good and their scarcity causes an anxiety to obtain them that is having a corresponding effect on prices.

Stocks of American lumber at this port and on the St. John River are comparatively light and will continue so for the next six or seven months at least, as several American manufacturers are making English sizes and have no American logs in stock. Merchantable spruce lumber can be sold in New York at prices that will leave the following figures at St. John:

Boards: American spruce, $12 per M.; Provincial spruce, $10.

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Since last writing freight rates have advanced 25 cents per M. They are now quoted at $3 on deals to New York and there is a prospect of their being advanced to $3.25 in the next week or two.

Mr. John E. Moore, lumber manufacturer of this city, was advised on Friday last of the wreck at Gloucester, Mass., of one of his fleet of three-masted schooners, namely, the "Annie M. Allan." She was on her way to New York with a cargo of plaster. The vessel was only partially insured.

MARITIME LUMBERMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

The Nova Scotia Lumbermen's Association held a special meeting at Truro on October 19th, Mr. Alfred Dickie, of Lower Stewiacke, presiding. It was decided to change the name to the Maritime Lumbermen's Association. Amongst other discussions, the subject of the log output for this year was considered and the following resolution adopted:

"Resolved, that in view of the depressed condition of the foreign market, and in the endeavor so far as we are concerned to permit it to return to a living basis, we hereby, as members of the Maritime Lumbermen's Association, agree to reduce our cutting this winter by at least one-half. Some of us agree to suspend operations entirely until markets recover."

The above motion was presented by Mr. Dickie and copies of same were ordered to be forwarded to all members. It was decided to take up the matter of railway freights at the annual meeting in December.

E. R. Thomas, logger, Courtney, B.C., is reported to have assigned to J. McPhee.

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4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20	
10-in. dressing and better	30	35	
12-in. dressing and better	40	42	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	22	23	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38	
" " 2 inch	38	40	
Dressing	24	25	
Common		25	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25 5 55
Clear bu		3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 23
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Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1 x 6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch, 1¼ to 2 in	33 00 39 00	35 00 41 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00	45 00
			Strips	22 00	24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00	19 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

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1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

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1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

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1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00	21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00	13 00

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Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00	73 00
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1¼ to 2 inch	58 00	63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

So long as the weather continues favorable for outdoor work there will be activity in lumber circles. Building operations are being carried on with exceptional rapidity, and the stocks of retail dealers have become somewhat broken. Many of the latter deferred the buying of lumber too long and now find that the concessions which they were offered in the summer months have been cancelled. It may not be a rising market, but it is evident that stocks are more firmly held than at the beginning of October. Importations of American lumber into Western Ontario are increasing and are serving to check any advance which manufacturers might consider was warranted by other conditions. There is not much buying either of pine or hardwoods for speculation, as the disposition seems to be to watch the trade development after the Presidential election in the United States and act accordingly. It is predicted in some quarters that pine lath is destined for higher prices. There has been liberal buying of that commodity, as also of shingles, which are exhibiting a stronger tone.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Those who anticipated an improvement in the demand for spruce lumber in the Fall have not been disappointed. The market is stronger than at any time for months, and it is not improbable that prices will be higher at the end of the year than now. The manufacturers are handling the situation in a masterly way; very little stock is being thrown upon the market at a sacrifice and operations in the woods are being arranged for on a reduced scale. These factors are favorably influencing the market. Clapboards are one of the dullest lines among the American exports. Shingles are unchanged at $3.15 for Boston delivery, while lath are if anything a little firmer.

UNITED STATES.

Activity in lumber has subsided during the week, and the cause may be found in the approach of the election. More attention is being given to political matters than to business. The strength of the market, however, has not been impaired, but on the other hand white and yellow pine are even stronger than last week. Stocks of the latter are broken and the supply is scarcely equal to the demand. There is a larger stock, comparatively, of white pine lumber, but it is mostly in the hands of wholesalers. Dealers and consumers have been pursuing a hand-to-mouth policy and are therefore not well equipped for the winter trade. After the Presidental election there will doubtless be liberal buying for stocking up purposes. Barn grades are very scarce at Buffalo and Tonawanda, with not much hope of materially increasing the supply before the close of navigation. There is a fairly good movement of common pine. Cargo spruce is said to be a little easier, with 2x3, 2x4 and 2x6 offered somewhat liberally. Clapboards are very quiet.

It is now admitted that the input of hardwood logs during the coming winter is likely to be large, but it has as yet had no effect upon lumber prices. Basswood is selling more freely than earlier in the season and birch and soft elm are experiencing a lively demand. There is practically no change in prices.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British lumber market is still irregular, and as the importing season is nearing an end, it is a foregone conclusion that dullness will continue until the close of the year. In London, Hull, and East Coast ports there has been a slight improvement, but in the west of England generally conditions are no better than one week ago. There have been heavy losses in the building trade at Bristol, which has accentuated the depression. Business during the past week has also been disturbed by the North Sea incident, and at time of writing the situation between England and Russia is regarded as somewhat critical. The disposition on all sides is to pursue a very conservative policy in respect to lumber buying. Some of the dealers, however, who have been running along on very light stocks for some time, now find it

necessary to increase their supplies so as to be in a position to meet the wants of their customers during the winter months, and this has made a show of activity. Canadian pine and spruce deals are firm and the business is considered to be on a satisfactory basis. Some reports state that there has been a further advance in spruce, and that several sales have taken place on the basis of £6 10s. per standard c.i.f.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Loveland & Stone, of Cutler, Ont., will put in about 60 per cent. of their last winter's stock of logs. At Byng Inlet, Holland & Graves have camps in operation and are figuring on putting in at least 35,000,000 feet this winter.

P. G. Keyes, Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, will receive tenders up to Wednesday, November 30th, for a permit to cut timber on Berth No. 1187, in the Province of Manitoba, containing an area of 6¼ square miles.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich, Ont., recently sold 2,000,000 feet of pine lumber at within 50 cents a thousand of what was offered last spring. This company will carry over 6,000,000 feet of logs and put in about 15,000,000 feet.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

OTTAWA, October 26, 1904.—Activity is reported from all sides in the lumber business of the Ottawa Valley. The railway people report an increased movement of lumber to New York and other points in the Eastern States. The movement of lumber for export to England also shows an improvement, but it is not so marked as in the case of the American trade. The early approach of the close of navigation on the Hudson canals is one of the reasons for the fall rush of lumber. American dealers have considerable stock standing in the Ottawa district yards, and they are desirous of getting this out before the close of navigation advances the transportation rates.

It is the general impression that the American market is in better shape for business, but local dealers do not hope for much beyond a general sorting up for the Fall.

Reference to the market page will show several changes in the quotations from the Ottawa district, good sidings, strips and shorts all being easier in price.

From the limits come reports of activity in the log and square timber manufacture. Labor is easier to obtain than last year, and the men are working with a better will, and it is believed will stick closer to their jobs than in previous seasons, when, strange to say, high wages made them discontented. It is generally thought that there will be a reduction of fully a third in the log cut and two-thirds in the cut of square and waney timber. Wet weather has interfered to some extent with operations.

From all reports spruce is firmer than it has been for several seasons back.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The cargo and shipments of lumber from British Columbia up to September 30 of this year were as follows :

From	To	Cargo in feet.
Hastings	Cardiff, U.K	1,584,227
Hastings	Sydney, N.S.W.	1,430,308
Hastings	Callao	1,806,123
Chemainus	Antofagasta	573,718
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	28,070
Chemainus	Antofagasta	700,901
Chemainus	Fremantle	1,665,319
Hastings	Sydney	120,857
Hastings	Japan	196,941
Hastings	Iquique	1,369,442
Hastings	Fremantle	1,125,789
Chemainus	Shanghai	1,143,785
Chemainus	Shanghai	1,233,870
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	44,029
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	119,638
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	35,638
Hastings	U. K.	1,009,140
Hastings	Sydney	1,621,165
Hastings	Hong Kong	128,588
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	40,841
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	42,075
Hastings	Hong Kong	153,700
Hrstings	Junin Chili	644,356
Hastings	Osaka, Japan	1,023,654
Chemainus	Iquique	1,819,949
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	25,100
Chemainus	Melbourne	1,204,485
Hastings	Devonport, Eng.	168,017
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	30,716
Hastings	Hong Kong	29,361
Hastings	Yokohama	21,386
Hastings	Havre & Calais	1,308,662
Hastings	Callao	1,700,358
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	37,935
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	58,907
Chemainus	U. K.	2,081,564
Hastings	Iquique	1,134,100
Hastings	Nagasaki, Japan.	348,475
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	23,065
Chemainus	Antofagasta	802,228
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	20,045
Hastings	Yokohama	242,174
Chemainus	Cape Town	2,517,154
Hastings	Callao, Peru	Loading
Chemainus	Sydney	Loading
Chemainus	Antofagasta	Loading
Hastings	East London	Loading

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NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N.B., October 31st, 1904.—The lumber trade has shown no marked change since last writing, and it is unlikely that there will be any during the remaining months of 1904 that will affect the local manufacturers so far as the cut for November and December is concerned. The 10th of December will probably see all save two or three of the mills in St. John and on the St. John River closed down for the season, to resume operations on or about the 1st of March.

Several important logging contracts have been made during the last fortnight. Compared with those of last year a reduction in the price of from 50 cents to $1 per M is the rule. The quantity will not equal that of last year's operations by at least 25 per cent., and the difference will probably be as great as 35 per cent. The wages being paid to woodsmen is from $2 to $4 per man lower than was the case last winter. Owing to the reduction in demand, men are quite plentiful. Horse-flesh is scarce and dear, good horses ranging from $190 to $225 each in price.

This winter, like last, the contracts for American logs are very small compared with what was the rule for many years prior to 1903, several American manufacturers have contracted for Provincial logs only.

Shipments of short lumber have been lighter during the latter half of the month than was the case during the first half. Stocks of cedar shingles are fairly heavy in the high grades ; six to six and one-half millions would probably cover the amount. Orders are booked for immediate delivery that will dispose of at least one-third and very probably one-half of these. Within the last fortnight the shingle trade has shown a considerable stimulus in the New England States. This stimulus has not as yet resulted in any advance in price, which has been uniform and practically stationery during the last two months.

The manifestations of an improvement in the English market, as mentioned a fortnight ago, continue, and the general impression is that the first of the year will find prices and demand equal in every way to the conditions which existed before the slump which took place early in 1904.

The shipments of English deals have been rather light during the last month.

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Stocks are slowly multiplying, but it is an assured fact that sufficient will go forward during November to cover at least what will be manufactured between now and the time for closing down. In that case, taking into consideration the sales which are certain to be made during the winter months to go forward by the winter port steamers, the 1st of March will in all probability find the localwharvesentirely cleaned up so far as English deals are concerned.

The improvement in conditions in the English market has taken place so late in the year that it will probably have little effect on manufacturers' prices or on the volume of shipments during the balance of 1904, but it is confidently expected that when the time comes to resume operations, conditions will be much more favorable.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., October 24th, 1904. —It does not require any person particularly gifted with the powers of observation to see that the lumber industry of British Columbia, from the eastern boundary of the Kootenay to the Pacific Coast, is in a very depressed condition, yet Mr. Robert Kerr, passenger traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who has just returned to the east after a trip to the west, has declared that it is flourishing. In Winnipeg, Montreal and other papers have appeared interviews with him, and all state that the lumber industry was never better. British Columbia lumbermen do not know what particular reason Mr. Kerr may have for thus misrepresenting conditions, for if he kept his eyes shut altogether while in the west he would have heard sufficient to make him aware that the lumber industry is in bad shape. In fact, some disasters may result. If so, he will no doubt affect considerable surprise. The industry could very easily be put in a flourishing condition, for at the present time about 12,000,000 feet of lumber per month comes in from Washington state. The argument has been advanced that if a duty were put on the price of lumber would be increased, but, if so, the government has the remedy in its own hands, and may repeal the duty. On the other hand, the millmen claim the price will be reduced, for with a greater volume of business lesser profits would be satis factory.

Fernie is to have another large mill, which will be erected by those already interested in the Elk Lumber and Manufacturing Company, which has one large mill there now. O. A. Robertson, of St. Paul, F. B. Lynch and O. L. Boynter, of the same city, and G. F. Ditbinner, of Minneapolis, are at Fernie this week looking after the commencement of the construction. They state the machinery will be the finest obtainable, and the capacity will be 100,000 feet in ten hours, with a cost of at least $75,000. These people are reported to have exceedingly large capital behind them, and the enterprises in which they have engaged in the west lead to the belief that this is correct. Besides the Elk Lumber and Manufacturing Company, which is a large concern, they have established a very modern mill on Red Deer Lake, in the Saskatchewan district, establishing the town of Barrows.

Local conditions are unchanged. Lumber is still cheaper than usual, remaining almost at the figure to which it was brought by the rate war, and it is expected that it will be low all winter. Many who had building operations in prospect are taking advantage of the opportunity, which means considerable in the construction of a dwelling.

Lumbermen and mill owners at Edmonton and Strathcona have arranged a new scale of prices which is much below that which has hitherto prevailed.

The Canadian Timber & Sawmills, Limited, whose property at Trout Lake has been in possession of the sheriff, has been reorganized, with three directors in Revelstoke and two in London. W. Cowan, of Revelstoke, who is heavily interested, having taken shares in payment for timber, is the new manager.

G. B. Campbell, of Glencoe, Ont., J. McGregor, Enderby, B.C., P. D. McKellar and H. Healey, of Bellingham, Wash., are cruising about the headwaters of the Tulameen river, in the Similkameen district, looking for timber suitable for ties.

TIMBER SALE.

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1x10 common	19 50	20 00
1x12 common	21 00	22 00
2x10 common	20 00	21 00
3x12 common	21 00	22 00
3x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00
Inch siding common	16 00	17 50
Inch strips common	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00
1 inch siding mill culls	14 00	15 00
Cull scantling	13 00	14 00

1 1-4 inch flooring	20 00
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Clear inch B. C. cedar, kiln dried	50 00
Clear inch B. C. cedar air dried boat lumber	55 00
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Douglas fir dimension timber, 30 to 35 feet	31 00
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1½ inch No. 2 Lath	2 60
1½ in. No. 1 Norway lath	2 75
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XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts	2 00
XXX white pine shingles	2 75
B. C. Shingles	
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.	2 60
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.	2 80
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.	3 15
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in.	2 20
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.	
XX " 5 to 2 in.	3 50

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Quality, 1s and 2s unless otherwise specified.

Ash White, 1 to 2 in 1sts and 2nds		$33 00	$36 00
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" 1½ "		25 00	00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		29 00	30 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in		27 00	29 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2 in m. r.		30	32 00
	1 1¼	26 00	28 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1½	60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	25 00	27 00
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	26 00	28 00
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	24 00	28 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½" 3	29 00	31 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½" 2	36 00	38 00
Maple common and better	1 1½	22 00	24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	25 00	27 00
Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4	39 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 " 1½	38 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 " 4	42 00	45 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	" 2	65 00	70 00
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	cts.	c
Square white pine, measured off, 30 to 40 feet average	35	
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	
" " " 19 to 20 inch average " "	60	75

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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
Shipping order, " "	35	40

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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality 40 to 45 feet	60	75
" " " 30 to 35 feet	48	55

ASH.

10 inches and up, ccording to average and quality	26	30
Average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 Inch	20	22
16 "	26	28
17 "	28	31
18 " "	32	34

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Pine, goo siidings	1x10 No. 1 barn		21 00
	1x10 No. 2 "		19 00
Pine good strips: in.		30 00	34 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.		35 00	38 00
2 in.		36 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.		23 00	28 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.		28 00	35 00
2 in.		34 00	38 00
ine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.		20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips		18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts		16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'		18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.		16	19 00
Pine shorts 6' to 11' x 10"			16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings		16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips		13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts		12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards		00	14 50
Pine mill culls		13 00	14 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine		2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine		2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run		2 00	2 15
Red Pine mill run		2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch		3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch		2 40	2 60
xx 18 inch		1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles xxxx 18 inch		3 30	3 55
Clear Butt, 18 inch		2 50	2 75
xx, 18 inch		1 60	1 70

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide		$75 00	
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.		75 00	
2½ and 3 in.		80 00	
4 in.		90 00	
Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide		$68 00	
1¼, 1½ and in.		68 00	
2½ and 3 in.		77 00	
4 in.		80 00	

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide		54 00	
¼ and 1½ in.		57 00	
in.		58 00	
2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide		73 00	
4 in.		78 00	

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide		36 00	
1¼ and 1½ cutting		48 00	
2in.		50 00	
2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.		63 00	
4 in.		68 00	

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		50 00	
1¼ x 6 in. wide		52 00	
1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide		48 00	
6 in. wide		50 00	

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide		44 00	
1¼ in., 6 in. wide		50 00	
1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide		47 00	
in., 6 in. wide		50 00	

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide		30 00	
1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide		26 00	

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.		29 00	
10 in.		24 00	
9 in.		23 00	
8 and 7 in.		23 00	
No. 2, 12 in.		24 00	
10 in.		22 00	
No. 2, 9 in.		22 00	
8 and 7 in.		22 00	
No. 3, 12 in.		21 00	
10 in.		19 00	
9 in.		18 00	
8 in.		19 00	
1x6		19 00	
1x4		16 00	

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide		$15 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		17 00	
1 in., 7 in. wide and up		17 00	
1 in., 13 in. and up wide		$17 00	
1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide		18 00	

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide		32 00	
1 in., 6 in. wide		33 00	
1 in., 10 in. and up wide		34 00	
1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide		35 00	

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX		4 00	
Clear Butts		3 00	
Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.		3 50	
Clear Butts		2 50	

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine		3 20	
No. 2 White Pine		2 50	
Hemlock		2 50	

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.		83	85
2½ in.		83	85
1 to 2 in.		78	80
4 inch uppers		88	90
Selects, 2½ in up		77	82
1 to 2 in.		70	73
Fine common, 2½ in. and up		72	75
1 to 2 in.		69	61
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch		53	55
No. 2		35	45
No. 3		30	35
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.		45	48
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.		35	88
Stained saps		32	40
Bracket plank		35	45
1x12 inch shippers		$	24
4/4 inch " 13" & up.			25
4/4 Box boards 6" and up		19	20
10-in. dressing and better		30	35
12-in. dressing and better		40	42
Box, 1x10-in.			20
Box, 1x12			21
No. 1 barn, 1x12		29	30
1x10		25	26
1x8		23	25
No. 2 barn, 1x12		26	27
1x10		23	24
1x8		22	23
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.		32	38
" " 2 inch		38	40
Dressing		24	25

LATH.

Pine		$3 00	
Spruce			$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75
Clear but		3 50	3 75
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75
Bound butts, 6x18		$5 25	5 55
Hemlock			2 23
Spruce			2 25

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		78 00	
2½ and 3 in.		85 00	
4 in.		85 00	
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.		70 00	
2½ and 3 in.		78 00	
4 in.		80 00	
Fine common, 1 in.		55 00	
1¼ and 2½ in.		58 00	
2 in		60 00	
3 in.		73 00	
4 in		75 00	
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.		39 00	
1¼ and 1½ in		50 00	
No. 2, 1 in.		24 00	
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in		38 00	
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.		25 00	
Dressing 1¼ in.		36 00	
1¼ x 10 and 12		40 00	
1½ in.		34 00	
2 in			36 00
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.			40 00
No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in			48 00
No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.			35 00
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.			32 00
6, 8 and 10 in			26 00
No. 2, 10 in.			23 00
No. 2, 12 in.			26 00
No. 3, 10 in.			20 00
No. 3, 12 in.			22 50
Box, 1x4			17 50
1x6 & up			19 00
1x10			19 50
1x12			20 00
1x13 and up			22 00
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.			19 00
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.			16 00

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	
2½ to 4 in.		43 00	45 00
Strips		22 00	24 00
Com. and culls		16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	
Com. & good culls		15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	
1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,		24 00	26 00
Com. & good culls		13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up		26 00	28 00
Common and culls		15 00	17 00
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,		24 00	25 00
Common and culls		16 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard		21 00	23 00
Common and culls		13 00	14 00
1st & 2nd, soft		19 00	21 00
Common and culls		11 00	12 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00 to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00	73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00	60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00	63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. r s		17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. r s		14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. r s clipped and bundled		17 00

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Extras	3 10	3 20
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Extra 1s (Clear whites out)		1 40
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 55	1 65

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Red Cedar Extras, 16 in. 5 butts to 2 in.		3 25

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FIRES.

Ford & Greer's saw mill at Stoneleigh, Ont., has been burned, and it is understood that there was no insurance.

The planing mill of E. H. Mann at Peterboro, Ont., was burned a few days ago. The loss is about $7,000 and the insurance $4,500.

The saw mill of the Laurie Lumber Company at Marysville, B.C., was destroyed by fire on October 22. A small quantity of lumber was also burned. The loss is estimated at $5,000.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Fine weather has permitted the continuation of out-door work, a condition which has been reflected in the lumber business. There is a liberal demand for white pine and hardwoods for building purposes, with every indication that this will continue until checked by winter weather. Export boards are a little easier on account of the slackness in the British demand, and prices generally are somewhat irregular owing to the usual desire at this season of the year to reduce stocks. The lower grades of pine are exhibiting the most firmness, 10 and 12 inch mill culls being worth from $12.50 to $13.50 at the mill. One or two sizes of hemlock are also being offered at slight concessions. The feeling is quite general, however, that the present range of prices will be maintained during the winter months. It is reported that next season's production of one of the large Ottawa Valley mills has been purchased by a Quebec shipper at the same price as was paid last year. If this report should be confirmed it would be regarded as a very favorable indication.

As with lumber, lath prices are irregular. A considerable quantity of hemlock and spruce lath is being offered at reduced prices, whereas standard 4-foo pine lath is even firmer than last week, some of the mills now asking $2.70 for No. 1.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

There is a noticeable falling off in the demand for lumber for building purposes, as much of the work is nearing completion and the season is now too late to commence new buildings. Buying by retailers is also light, the disposition being to reduce stocks before the winter sets in. The manufacturing situation has not improved, although the mills are not cutting prices as severely as a few weeks ago, and it is said that some are holding their lumber rather than sell it at the prevailing low prices.

UNITED STATES.

The current lumber demand is remarkably good for an election week. Retail dealers and consumers are stocking up for the winter trade with some liberality, probably on the conviction that there will be a steady enhancement in values. At any rate, business is good and there are no complaints. Accounts are being well met, which is an indication of the healthy conditions prevailing in the lumber trade. The northern pine movement is quite as large as last week, although the scarcity of cars is retarding business to some extent. Chicago wholesale dealers are reported to have placed several large contracts for stock for next season's trade at an advance over the present list. Some items of pine are becoming scarce, particularly in the common grades such as No. 4 and 5 boards. Buffalo and Tonawanda report an increased demand for high grade white pine, which has been comparatively dull for some months past. Box and coarse lumber is wanted as much as ever, some good sized orders having recently been placed by box manufacturers. The condition of the hardwood market is very satisfactory. Prices are well maintained and orders are more numerous. Elm has advanced at the mills more than any other of the low priced hardwoods. Plain oak, both red and white, is still commanding a great deal of attention, while quartered oak shows indications of sharing in the improvement. There is a good call for birch, but nothing very favorable can be said of basswood, of which there are considerable stocks in first hands. The high price of basswood has caused consumers to adopt substitutes wherever possible.

The shingle market is stronger. Red cedar Perfections have been advanced ten cents at Buffalo and are now quoted at $3 60. Lath are scarce and selling freely at good prices.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The late auction sales of umber in London and Liverpool have shown a distinctly better tone, and prices in some instances have hardened. Considerable attention is now being given to the stock on hand at the close of the shipping season, and it appears that it is likely to be less than was anticipated earlier in the year. If it should be found to be no more than sufficient to meet the requirements of the winter and early spring trade, some heavy buying by those who have kept out of the market may result. In London there is a greater tendency to be optimistic and consequently business is more actve. Sales at Liverpool are also more numerous. In pine and spruce the tone is still good. Regular stocks demand fair prices and there is a feeling that the entire supply will be required. Third quality pine deals are by no means plentiful.

The question of the opening prices for next season is being discussed, and it would appear that values are likely to be somewhat higher than those now ruling. Shippers are showing a determination to raise prices to a basis which will give a fair margin of profit.

The schooner Invictus sailed last week from Weymouth, N.S., for Cuba, with lumber.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Taplin, Anderson Company, Limited, Novar, Ont., have sold their past season's cut of hemlock to M. S. M. Long, of Hamilton. The stock comprises about 800,000 feet.

Receipts of lumber at Bay City, Mich., during the month of October were 17,123,714 feet, and at Saginaw 3,761,524 feet. The total receipts of lumber at Bay City from the opening of navigation to November 1st were approximately 87,000,000 feet.

The prices of slack cooperage stock are none too firm, with heading lower. Quotations at Buffalo are : First-class elm flour barrel staves, $10.25 to $10.75; 2nd class, $7.50 to $8; 1st class heading, 7 to 7½ cents ; 2nd class, 5 to 5½ cents ; 6-foot coiled hoops, $9.50 to $10.

Since the opening of navigation a total of 335,211,849 feet of lumber has arrived at the Tonawandas by vessel, as against 350,076,725 feet for the corresponding period last year. While the receipts during the current month may be large, it is a foregone conclusion that this season will not equal last year in respect to the amount of stock received by vessel. Shipments of lumber from the Tonawandas over the Erie canal last month were 24,554,051 feet, the largest for any month of the season.

Logging operations throughout Northern Minnesota are seriously menaced by a scarcity of labor. The logging this winter will be conducted over an extensive area and there will be many exceptionally large camps. The operations on the Indian reservations will be greater this season than they were a year ago. The companies who own timber along the northern boundary line are reported to be contemplating an extensive cut and they are already sending out orders to the employment agencies for men. Along with this there is a desire among the logging companies to get their operations under way at an early day and they are therefore pressing in their demands for men. At no point in northern Minnesota are there very many men desirous of going to work and the condition is working a serious interruption with logging plans. The present scarcity of men has already raised the rate of wages, and from $30 to $35 per month is freely offered. Free transportation is readily granted. The employment agencies in the northern towns have been striving hard to secure men to fill their orders but thus far they have found it an impossible undertaking.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Halifax, N.S. : Steamer Florence, for London, 56,121 ft. hemlock deals, value $505 ; 27,964 ft. spruce deals, value $344, by Furness, Withy & Co., agents. Schooner Leah A. Widden, for New York, 40,373 ft. spruce scantling, value $400 ; 780,000 ft. spruce lath, value $1,600.

From Montreal : Steamer Tunisian, for Liverpool, 7,784 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples ; 36,850 pcs. ends, by R. Cox & Co.; 5,640 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Kensington, for Liverpool, 16,749 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by R. Cox & Co.; 3,263 pcs. deals and ends, by Dominion Line ; 9,479 pcs. deals, 8,884 pcs. boards, 2,862 pcs. ends, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Montcalm, for Bristol, 762 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 2,050 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Milwaukee, for Liverpool, 4,946 pcs. lumber, by J. Burstall & Co.; 521 pcs. lumber, by E. H. Lemay ; 1,485 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd ; 2,441 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 2,752 pcs. pine deals, by Grand Trunk Railway.

From St. John, N.B. : Steamer Orinoca, for Antigua, 25,000 shingles. Steamer Orinoca, for Barbados, 1,493 bdls. banana crate shooks, by A. Cushing & Co.; 189,250 shingles, by Canadian Pacific Railway. Steamer Orinoca, for Demerara, 1,000 banana crates, by A. Cushing & Co. Schooner Otis Miller, for New York, 74,000 laths. Schooner Agnes May, for Neponset, 21,566 ft. deals, 15,862 ft. plank, 33,601 ft. scantling, 656,000 cedar shingles. Steamer Alcides, for Glasgow, 600 box shooks, 25,494 ft. deals and battens, 9,135 ft. ends, 30,281 ft. birch squares. Schooner Annie A. Booth, for City Island, 229,866 ft. deals. Steamer St. John City, for London, 32,642 ft. birch plank, 1,694 ft. ends. Schooner Pricilla, for Boston, 107,353 ft. plank, 50,707 ft. scantling. Schooner Manual R. Cuza, for New York, 714,200 ft. laths. Schooner G. H. Perry, for Boston, 147,282 ft. spruce plank, 4,730 ft. spruce scantling. Barque Actæon, for Tralee, Ireland, 452,888 ft. spruce deals, 21,439 ft. spruce deal ends. Schooner Romeo, for Westerly, R.I., 44,685 ft. plank, 5,082 ft. scantling, 5,278 ft. pine boards, 984,000 cedar shingles. Schooner Ida May, for Weymouth, Mass., 92,532 ft. boards, 16,000 ft. clapboards, 450 ft. shingles. Steamer Cunaxa, for Cardiff and Barry, 1,801,309 deals and battens, 474,925 ft. scantling, 69,414 ft. ends.

WHITE PINE STOCKS AT THE MILLS.

Mr. F. H. Ruger, of the Rogers-Ruger Company, Superior, Wis., gives the AMERICAN LUMBERMAN his views of the white pine stocks at the head of the lakes, which we reproduce below :

"At the end of the sawing season this year lumbermen at the head of the lakes find themselves with very light stocks. No 5 boards have all been sold to within thirty days of the saw and the green lumber is too heavy to ship out on any rate of freight, as when green No. 5 boards weigh in the neighborhood of 5,000 pounds to the thousand feet. Stocks of No. 4 and No. 3 boards are practically all sold and the same is true of No. 1 boards. No. 2 stock is about the only item in which there is a surplus. As stated, this is the condition at the end of the sawing season with only a few of the mills to run during the winter. The outlook for stocks next spring is not encouraging and there cannot but be a scarcity of every grade of white pine boards. Supplies of uppers and siding grades are as low as they ever were in my experience, though there is a better supply of the lower grades of siding material than in the better qualities. Supplies of shop lumber also are light. There is a fairly good stock of the lower grades of selects, also No. 2 common.

"It has been so wet in the woods that comparatively little has been done so far, as the heavy rains of late have made it impossible to start up the camps. It is difficult to even approximate the quantity of logs that will be put in this winter, but in view of the number of mills that finished their timber this year it will scarcely be possible to bring the total production of next year up to a point equal to that of 1904."

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A dispatch to the Toronto Globe from Ottawa, dated November 3, says : " The Railway Commission to-morrow will make an order upon the C. P. R. to stop its discrimination against cedar lumber in British Columbia and fix the same rate for it as for pine, spruce and other kinds of lumber. The complaint against discrimination was made by the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association."

THE BARBADOS MARKET.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, under date of October 22nd, furnish the following particulars of the Barbados lumber market :

"We have to report the arrival of the schooner Harry Troop to ourselves with a cargo of 75,000 feet merchantable, 130,000 feet second quality, and 25,000 feet third quality white pine, which we had previously sold to arrive at $26, $20 and $16 respectively. With one cargo on the way, which has been contracted for, and two small cargoes which we are expecting, we look for lower rates, as after dealers' pressing requirements are supplied, they will only buy at reduced values. There has not been any further arrival of spruce, and the position of our market for this is as last advised. There are no transactions to note in shingles. The Bravo from Gaspe, Que., is overdue, and as stocks meantime are getting used up, her cargo should meet with a fairly good market, especially for Long Gaspe. Prices of Cedar Laying may probably be somewhat affected in consequence of a reported large cargo on the way."

THE HARDWOOD DEMAND.

Reviewing the hardwood lumber situation the, Mississippi Valley Lumberman says : During last year the demand for hardwood lumber was better than it has been during the larger part of the current year, and the manufacturers and jobbers were able to put prices at a rather high figure. During this year they have lowered the lists some, and the prices more. Last year basswood was strong, but the competition with poplar and cottonwood from the south has weakened it to some extent, so that it is not now bringing the high figures it commanded in 1903. In Wisconsin and Minnesota the oaks are staples and have usually commanded prices that made them the best property of all the hardwoods. That is true to-day. Northern maple has been sacrificed unnecessarily. It has been sold at prices that did not represent its intrinsic value nor its comparative value, and which were not warranted by the conditions of supply and demand. Elm is scarce and the market is good from the seller's point of view. Birch is about the most plentiful of the northern hardwoods, but the demand has been large. For interior finish and as a veneer it has attained a place that will not be lost to it for some time, if indeed it is ever lost.

The principal, and perhaps the only, reason why hardwood lumber on the whole has not been as strong this year, aside from the condition that always prevails—that of the production being in the hands of small mill and timber owners—is the same as that which has affected all lines of business during the year. It is the natural conservatism that comes in the presidential year. Fortunately, the election is less than a week away, and with every prospect that there will not be enough of a change in the general attitude of the government toward business enterprise, even though there might be a change of party, to affect it seriously. The prospect for the new year presents a most hopeful outlook, and hardwood should share it with other kinds of lumber and all lines of business. The market has been weaker during the year, but it has not approached anything like demoralization.

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A quantity of birch timber, from Quebec, sold as follows : 16-24 in., 57s 6d per load of 50 cubic feet; 14-18 in., 52 6d; 13-16 in.,47s 6d.

COOPERAGE STOCK SITUATION.

Messrs. Sutherland, Innes & Company, of Chatham, Ont., report upon cooperage stock conditions as follows :

There has been quite a lull in the demand for cooperage stock for the last month, especially in the apple-barrel trade, the rush which was expected not having materialized, although trade has opened up this month very much better, and during the last few days orders have been coming in freely for apple-barrel material.

The flour-barrel trade is also opening up, and millers are beginning to store up their stock for use during the winter months. This is going to make quite a rush in flour-barrel stock for some little time to come. The general demand for cooperage stock throughout the country, however, has been comparatively light, although no lighter than is usual during the month of September, and an improvement has already set in in the general demand, which is more than likely to be maintained for the balance of the year.

No. 1 elm staves are comparatively scarce, but there are quite a few No. 1 mixed wood staves coming up from the South, and also manufactured in the North, which are being used considerably by the coopers, on account of the cheapness in comparison with elm staves.

Mill-run staves, especially apple-barrel stock, appear to be quite plentiful, and prices are such that coopers are able to sell their barrels freely. The buyers of apples held off for a considerable time in purchasing their barrels, but are now getting in with a rush, and this and next month should be a very busy time for the apple-barrel coopers.

The beet-sugar season has also opened up, and there is a good demand for sugar-barrel stock from the sugar-beet factories. The lime and cement trades have been comparatively quiet, but even these trades are looking up and using more barrels during the last two weeks than they have for some time. On the whole, the outlook for a good demand for stock is very bright, and, from present appearances, there is going to be enough stock to meet the demand. The only shortage which is likely to occur will be in No. 1 elm staves. Hoops and heading are fairly plentiful, and can be obtained at reasonable prices.

The tight-barrel stock situation is somewhat different. The demand is heavy and the supply is limited. While prices sagged off somewhat during the month of September, they are now stiffening up again, and tight-barrel stock is not only in good demand, but prices are advancing. It looks at present as if there is going to be a general clean-up of tight-barrel stock by the end of the season.

BUSINESS NOTES.

DeLaplante & McBurney have opened an office in the Manning Arcade, Toronto.

A. E. Adam, general store and lumber, D'Israeli, Que., is offering to compromise at 60 cents on the dollar.

The Canada Lumber Manufacturing Company, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., are reported to be in financial difficulties, DeLaplante & McBurney having issued a writ of attachment against them.

The Cascade Lumber Company, of Vancouver, B. C., is apparently temporarily embarrassed, their mill premises and property on False Creek having been placed under seizure at the orders of R. J. Skinner, Provincial Timber Inspector. It is stated that the company is indebted to the Department of Lands and Works for timber royalties. The company was organized less than three years ago, the present partners being Messrs. Tait and McTavish.

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3x10 and 12 common	20 00	22 00	
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Inch strips common	17 00	18 00	
1x10 and 12 mill run	22 00	24 00	
Inch strips 4 in. to 8 in. mill run	20 00	22 00	
1 inch siding mill run	20 00	22 00	
1¼ and 1½ in box	17 00	18 00	
1x10 and 12 mill cull stocks		15 00	
1 inch siding mill culls	14 00	15 00	
Cull scantling	13 00	14 00	
1 x 1-4 inch flooring		20 00	
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1½ inch No. 1 Lath		3 10	
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XX white pine shingles, 6 in. clear butts		2 00	
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XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		2 60	
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		2 80	
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Basswood, 1½ to 2 m. r. 1 1¼	30 00	32 00	
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	26 00	28 00	
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	60 00	70 00	
Elm, soft, mill run 1 "	65 00	75 00	
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	25 00	27 00	
Elm, soft, mill run 3 "	26 00	28 00	
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00	28 00	
Elm rock, mill run 1¼"	3	29 00	31 00
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16 "	26	28
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1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00	
2 in.	36 00	38 00	
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	23 00	28 00	
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Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00	
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00	
Pine No. dressing shorts	16	20 00	
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Pine shorts 5' to 11' x 10"		16 00	
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00	
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00	
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00	
Pine, box boards	00	14 50	
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00	
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60	
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25	
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15	
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15	
Pine Shingles XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25	
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60	
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60	
Cedar Shingles XXXX 18 inch	3 30	3 55	
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4 in.	80 00		

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8 and 7 in.	22 00		
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Pine, XXXX	4 00		
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Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50		
Clear Butts	2 50		

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20		
No. 2 White Pine	2 50		
Hemlock	2 50		

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Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	89	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	48	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	38	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
1x12 inch shippers	$	24	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20	
10-in. dressing and better	30	35	
12-in. dressing and better	40	42	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	22	23	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38	
" " 2 inch	38	40	
Dressing	24	25	
Common		25	

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Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

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Clear bu		3 50	3 75
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4 in.	85 00		
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2½ and 3 in.	78 00		
4 in.	80 00		
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00		
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00		
2 in.	60 00		
3 in.	73 00		
4 in.	75 00		
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No. 2, 1 in.	24 00		
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00		
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Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		
1¼ x 10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		
2 in	36 00		
Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00		
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No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00		
Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00		
6, 8 and 10 in	26 00		
No. 2, 10 in.	23 00		
No. 2, 12 in.	26 00		
No. 3, 10 in.	20 00		
No. 3, 12 in.	22 50		
Box, 1 x 4	17 50		
1 x 6 & up	19 00		
1x 10	19 50		
1x12	20 00		
1x13 and up	22 00		
1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00		
Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00		

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	
2½ to 4 in.	43 00	45 00	
Strips	2	4 00	
Com. and culls	16 00	19 00	

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	
Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00	

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	
1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up,	24 00	26 00	
Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00	

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00	
Common and culls	16 00	17 00	

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	
1st & 2nd, soft	19 00	21 00	
Common and culls	11 00	12 00	

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00	to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00		73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00		60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00		63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00		43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00		55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00		32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00		45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00		33 00
No. 2	25 00		28 00
No. 3	23 00		26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension			21 00
9 in. and under			19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up			20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up			17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up			18 50
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Extras	3 10		3 20
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

City trade in lumber continues to be quite brisk, as there is no abating in building operations. Were it not for the near approach of the winter season retail dealers would be heavy buyers of lumber, as in most instances their stocks are badly broken, but they are taking every precaution against carrying a large supply through what may prove to be a severe winter. There is, therefore, quick buying of small lots to meet immediate requirements, which gives the market a lively appearance. The country demand for pine is a little dull, but there is a very satisfactory trade in hardwoods, which are going into the hands of the furniture and implement factories and other consumers. Nevertheless, there is no dearth of stock, nor is the demand more than sufficient to sustain prices. The seller meets the argument that the prices of hardwoods are higher in Ontario than in Michigan and Wisconsin, from which districts some maple and birch have recently been imported into the western part of the province. Birch is in good demand, but the supply is quite plentiful.

The strength of pine lath has been maintained. Two or three dealers have lately been large buyers, and if we can judge from present indications, higher prices are likely to rule in the near future. The range of No. 1 in Toronto is from $3.15 to $3.25.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The position of the manufacturer of spruce lumber is doubtless improving. The fall demand has made inroads upon the supply, and the quantity to be carried through the winter is not likely to be exceptionally large. But it is in respect to next season's operations that the outlook is the most favorable. Logging operations were commenced much later than usual and the cut of logs will be considerably curtailed. The total cut on the St. John river this year is not likely to be over 70,000,000 feet, which is little more than half that of last season. Owing to lower wages the cost of logs will not be excessive, and if the price of lumber should advance, as now seems probable, the manufacturers should realize a fair profit on next year's output. Buyers are willing to close contracts at current prices for next season's production.

New Brunswick cedar shingles have stiffened slightly. Extras are now selling at $3.20 on Boston rate of freight, Clears at $2.80, and Second Clears at $2.25. Clears are showing the most strength.

UNITED STATES.

A few days always elapse after a Presidential election before business settles down, and it is yet too early to know definitely the effects upon the industrial enterprises of the country of the return of the Republican administration. It may be said, however, that some revival in trade has already taken place. The near approach of winter is likely to confine the improvement in conditions to narrow limits, but it is almost certain that the foundation will be laid for a healthy revival next spring. The lumber movement during the past week has been quite satisfactory, the railroad demand being a more important factor than for many months past. Yellow pine is very strong, the demand being equal to the supply. The northern pine trade is proceeding along the lines which we have previously outlined; the lower grades are active, while uppers are little more than holding their own. There is some weakness in a few of the middle grades, which have not received a great deal of attention of late. The strength of the lower grades has been reflected in Norway, which is exhibiting a stronger tone. The closing down of some of the eastern mills has had a good effect upon spruce, and at Boston prices on a number of items have been advanced. For spruce boards, 6 inch and up wide, 10 feet and up long, $17 is being obtained.

The demand for oak, birch, and maple lumber is on the increase, while basswood is still a slow seller. Maple flooring is regarded with favor at present prices and a further advance would seem to be in order.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The reports of the British lumber market received this week are almost universally favorable. The feeling is quite general that prices have touched bottom and that a gradual improvement is likely to take place during the winter months. The stocks in many instances are considerably lighter than one year ago, while it is not anticipated that much lumber will be sent over on consignment by the regular winter liners. A rather sharp advance in the price of Swedish lumber is reported. The demand for pine and spruce is not particularly active, but prices are holding their own and some sizes are finding a market at an advance. Whereas a few weeks ago £6 10s per standard c. i. f. London and Liverpool for an ordinary St. John specification was almost unattainable, sellers are now talking £6 15s as the price which will be obtained before the close of this month. Quebec 3x9 third spruce brought £9 at a recent auction sale. Of the hardwoods rock elm is par-

ticularly strong. The ock is light and it has been found comparatively easy to advance prices, which now stand at 3s 6d to 3s 7d per cubic foot. Birch planks have also stiffened on account of diminished stocks.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, recently received the first boom of logs from their new Petewawa limits.

At Buffalo No. 1 pine lath is held at $3 75 and No. 2 at $3.25. Red cedar shingles are quoted at $3.90 for Perfections, $3.60 for Eurekas, $3.25 for Extra Clears, and $2.85 for Stars.

About half a million logs will remain unsawn at Three Rivers, Que., when the mills close down shortly. This is due to the lateness of the drive this season and to the unsatisfactory arrangement of the Upper St. Maurice booms.

A. F. & D. Mackay, of Liverpool, England, sold a quantity of spruce and hemlock deals, boards and ends by auction on November 7, which realized the following prices: 3x11 9 ft. and up, £7 12s 6d; 3x9 13 ft. £7 2s 6d; 3x9 12 ft., £7 5s; 3x9 9/11 fts., £6 15s; 3x7 15 ft. and up, £6 5s; 3x7 12/14 fts. £6; 3x7 9/11 fts, £6 5s; 2½x7 9 ft. and up, £6 2s 6d; 4x7 and up, 9 ft. and up £6 10s; 3x12 and up, 9 ft. and up, £6 7s 6d; 3x10 9 ft. and up, £6 7s 6d; 3x8 9 ft. and up, £6; 6 in. scantlings, £5 5s; 5 in. scantlings, £5; 4 in. and under scantlings, £4 15s; spruce boards. £5 10s; spruce ends, £4 17s 6d; hemlock deals and scantlings, £5 5s; pine, £5 15s.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., November 7th, 1904.—Lumbermen in British Columbia have gained a point by the decision of the Railway Commission in regard to the rate on cedar. There is a forty cent rate on fir, hemlock and spruce to points as far east as the eastern boundary of Manitoba, but it was fifty cents for cedar. The contention of the company was that cedar is lighter, but the commission does not, evidently, consider this argument good, for it has ordered that the rates shall be identical. It should be the means of stimulating trade to the Northwest.

Trade generally does not show any features, and there has been nothing happening locally of particular interest in a commercial way. The cut price of lumber forced a month or so ago by the opposition of dealers has remained, and it is likely that lumber will be much cheaper all winter than it has been during the summer. Generally 10 per cent. is allowed off the list price, but this is being increased to 25 per cent.

The export trade is quiet. Were it better the E. K. Wood Company, of San Francisco, which has large timber limits on Vancouver island, and which is waiting its chance to build, would erect mills. F. J. Wood, the vice-president, was over last week from Bellingham, and stated that the company will build when conditions warrant. The British ship Halewood cleared with 1,737,472 feet of lumber last week for Callao, having loaded at the Hastings mill. The American schooner Balboa, 651 tons, is now loading for Chili, and the German barque Pallas, 1,351 tons, for Callao.

To further show how people with money to invest view the situation, the directors of the Ontario-Slocan Company, who were out here from Orillia, Ont., have decided that the present is an inopportune time to enlarge their facilities, and have postponed the improvement indefinitely. E. F. Ferris, of Traverse City, says he represents people of Michigan who will spend half a million dollars in an enterprise at Kamloops if the Government will reserve the limited Canadian market for Canadian timber. He has located 10,000 acres of limits in the valley of the North Thompson river, which will be developed when conditions improve.

Depression was the cause of the sheriff taking charge of the property of the Canadian Timber and Sawmills, Limited, Trout Lake, and last week the same official seized the assets of the Cascades Lumber Company, of this city. They were put up at auction on Saturday last, but the amount of the indebtedness could not be realized, so the sale was left over for a week. Two other small companies are also reported to be in financial difficulties.

S. C. Smith, of Vernon, finds business good for his sash and door factory. He has made extensions and improvements of late, and for a week or so has been working the plant night and day to fill orders for the Territories.

Mills in the eastern portion of the province are getting along fairly well. Some have shut down for the season. There is considerable home demand for lumber, and the surplus is being shipped to the Northwest. It was feared in the beginning of the year when so many mills were starting up that there would be an overproduction, but this was prevented by the shutting down of large mills at the coast.

Messrs. Bryden & Johnstone, whose mill at Salmon Arm, near Kamloops, was burned some time ago, will rebuild. The new plant will have a daily capacity of between 15,000 and 20,000 feet.

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From Halifax, N. S.: Barque Emilie Marie, for Greenock, G. B., 140,000 ft. hardwood plank, value $1,680; 381,000 ft. spruce deals, value $3,429. Steamer Damara, for Liverpool, 89,884 ft. birch deals, value $999; 260,830 ft. spruce deals, value $2,702; 86,267 ft. hemlock deals, value $836, by Furness, Withy & Co., agents. Schooner Ambition, for Bridgeport, Conn., 139,969 ft. pine lumber, value $1,700, by Black Bros. & Co., agents. Schooner Vinita, for New York, 1,009,000 ft. laths, value $2,018.

From Montreal: Steamer Fremona, for London, 8,970 pcs. deals and boards, by R. Cox & Co. Steamer Manchester City, for Manchester, 7,263 pcs. deals, by Imperial Lumber Co.; 6,653 pcs. deals, 28 pcs. ends, 802 pcs. boards, by Charlemange Lumber Co.; 2,531 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 7,002 pcs. deals and ends, 13,619 pcs. boards, by Watson & Todd; 10,359 pcs. deals, 2,370 pcs. ends, by J. Burstall & Co.; 13,127 pcs. deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Dominion, for Liverpool, 2,891 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 16,656 pcs. deals, boards, and ends, by R. Cox & Co.; 7,351 pcs. deals, 6,919 pcs. boards, 556 pcs. ends, by Watson & Todd. Steamer Ionian, for Liverpool, 8,889 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 6,966 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 2,630 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Marina, for Glasgow, via Liverpool, 1,755 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Co.; 226 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 4,150 pcs. deals,

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THE HARDWOOD SITUATION IN THE EAST.

The American Lumberman thus reviews the hardwood lumber trade situation in the Eastern States :

Under normal conditions the great consuming demand for hardwoods in this country lies between Chicago and Boston, although, in recent years, there is a widening of the field in which hardwood factories are busily employed—the extension of the territory being south and west and the growth of a substantial and varied character.

With respect to the character of the trade at this time all advices are favorable. The trade of the first half of the year was not eminently satisfactory in either volume of business or in prices attained in the hardwood trade of this great section, but within the last few weeks a marked revival of demand all over this territory has been noted. Every wholesale and manufacturing lumber concern is now overwhelmed with inquiries which are being followed up to a marked extent with orders. It is rare that any hardwood institution's order books are not well supplied with orders for hardwoods to go east.

With the increased demand price conditions also are showing manifest improvement. Poplar, which has been frequently referred to during the year as being a "dead cock in the pit," is once more assuming its just place in esteem and demand and its price has already recovered to a normal and commensurate value. Plain oak, both red and white, is scarce and high, and there is at this time a vigorous search in progress for supplies of the commoner varieties of oak. The same may be said of chestnut ; there is at all times a steady demand for low grade chestnut and with the increased call for poplar and oak there comes with it a more lusty inquiry for chestnut. As to cherry, which is something of a luxury at all times, the Pennsylvania and West Virginia holders of the precious wood are firm in their views. Maple is occupying an excellent postion at present in the east, in both volume of demand and price. The only two hardwood items that seem to be in the least dragging are birch and basswood. They are rapidly recovering, however. Neither of these woods is in excessive quantity in the hands of the producers and next spring will surely bring as great a shortage and as high a range of values as were seen last spring.

On the whole the hardwood situation in the east is most promising, and in addition to this favorable condition in that section the export trade is showing a considerable revival and the conditions abroad are much better than they have been at any former time in the year. All signs point to a very prosperous immediate future for the hardwood industry of the nation.

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		1903.	1904.
Quebec Square Pine	Cub. Ft.	141000	78000
" Waney "	"	166000	195000
St. John's Pine	"	Nil	Nil
Other Ports	"	Nil	Nil
Red Pine	"	5000	2000
Pitchpine, Hewn	"	124000	164000
" Sawn	"	931000	815000
" Planks	"	289000	331000
Oregon Pine	"	458000	370000
Sequoia	"	226000	235000
Danzig, &c., Fir	"	62000	40000
Swedish and Norway Fir	"	Nil	Nil
Oak, Canadian and U.S.	"	241000	115000
" Planks	"	160000	274000
" Baltic	"	12000	10000
Elm	"	22000	11000
Birch	"	106000	100000
Ash	"	33000	19000
East India Teak	"	129000	120000
Greenheart	"	130000	74000
N.B., &c., Spruce Deals	Std.	9620	12070
" Pine "	"		
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Baltic Deals & Boards	"	4380	3670
Norway, &c., Flooring Boards	"	2260	3510
Galatz Whitewood	"	770	270

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Edmiston & Mitchell's monthly timber circular furnishes the following particulars of the Glasgow market:

The tendency of the market during the past month has been on the whole rather more favorable than for some time, and while there has been no inflation of prices, still they may be said to have been fairly well maintained. At the same time it has by no means been an active market, and it only admits of a favorable comparison with the extremely dull times which have existed recently. The imports from Canada have been for some time very moderate, and this has had a steadying effect on values, so that there seems every hope of the common anticipation as to a slump in prices towards the end of the year being on this occasion falsified.

The Clyde shipbuilding returns for October show that 27 vessels, aggregating 43,495 tons, were launched, compared with 23 vessels of 45,819 in the corresponding month last year. A fair number of orders have been placed recently, and the work on hand is considerably more than at this period last year, so that prospects for the future are looking better than they were.

Housebuilding is dull and likely to continue so for some time, as it has been overdone of late, with the inevitable result of a great many unlet houses in the city and neighborhood.

WHITE PINE.—The import consists of about 350 loads waney pine. There have been a few small sales of waney and square pine, but business continues quiet. Prices are firm, but stocks are heavy.

OAK.—There has been no import during the month and no sales of any importance. Stocks are heavy and more than sufficient for prospective requirements.

ELM.—The demand for good rock continues, and the stock is very rapidly taken up. Prices are firm. Stock of soft wood is still large and moving off slowly.

QUEBEC BIRCH.—There was no import during October, and the last transaction reported is a shipment of 16 inch, which came in at the end of September, and was disposed of at 1s 10d. There are several enquiries in the market, and a shipment of nice logs would meet with a ready sale.

N. B. BIRCH.—There was an import of 210 logs from St. John this month, averaging 13½ inches, which is reported to have been sold at 16d "ex quay." Of planks the stock is now considerably reduced and there is rather more enquiry.

ASH.—The demand is reduced to the very smallest dimensions nowadays, and although the stock on hand is small, there is no anxiety on buyers' part to secure it. Values are unchanged at round about 2s for 15 inch average.

DEALS, ETC.—There has been a fairly active business during the month, and imports have been coming in a little more freely. Stocks of all kinds, with the exception of red deals, are of normal dimensions and prices are firm. Current values are as under: Broad First Pine Deals—£32 to £34; 11 inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24. Second Pine Deals—11 in. and up, £17 to £19; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14 10s. Third Pine Deals—11 in. and up, £11 to £14; ends and non-dimensions, £9 10s to £10 10s. Red Pine Deals—9 and 11 in., £10 to £11; narrows, £7 to £8 10s. First Pine Srdings and Strips—9 to 10 in., £23 to £24; 11 to 12 in., £25 to £26; 13 to 14 inch, £27 to £28. Spruce Deals—9 inch and up, £8 10s; 7 and 8 in., £6 15s to £7 10s. N. B. Spruce—9 inch and up, £7 10s to £8; 7 and 8 in., £6 5s to £7.

The hoop and stave mill of W. M. Drader at Chatham, Ont., was completely destroyed by fire on November 10, the loss being about $20,000.

In the "Wanted and For Sale Department" of this issue, The Locators, of Winnipeg, Man., offer for sale some splendid lamber properties in the west.

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Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 15	
Pine Shingles			
XXXX, 18 inch	3 00	3 25	
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60	
XX 18 inch	1 40	1 60	
Cedar Shingles			
XXXX, 18 inch	3 30	3 65	
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 50	2 75	
XX, 18 inch	1 60	1 70	

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$68 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	68 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	77 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	80 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	54 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	78 00
in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2 in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1½ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1½ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	28 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in	45	48	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in	35	38	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
1x12 inch shippers	$	24	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20	
10-in. dressing and better	30	35	
12-in. dressing and better	40	42	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	22	23	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in	32	38	
" " 2 inch	38	40	
Dressing	24	25	
Common		25	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18 $5 25 5 55
Clear bu	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smoot x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

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(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78 00	2 in.	36 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects 1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
4 in.	80 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
3 in.	73 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	39 00	1x6 & up	19 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	19 50
No. 2, 1 in.	24 00	1x12	20 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	16 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	34 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch, 1¼ to 2 in	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00 45 00
	39 00	41 00	Strips	22 00 24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00 19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00 17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00 14 00

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1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00 25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00 17 00

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1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00 21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00 12 00

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White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00	to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00		73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00		60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00		63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00		43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00		55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00		32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00		45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00		33 00
No. 2	25 00		28 00
No. 3	23 00		26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension			21 00
9 in. and under			19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up			20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up			17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up			18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. 1 s			17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s			14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled			17 00

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Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60		1 65

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" Eurekas, 18 in., " "			3 60

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

It is not possible to discern any material change in the lumber situation. Conditions governing the market are favorable, the fine weather being responsible for a liberal demand for building material. The number of permits obtained in Toronto during the past week shows that building operations are likely to continue active well into the winter months, the demand for residential and factory accommodation being responsible for unusual energy towards the completion of buildings under construction. The demand for low grade boards is slightly less urgent than of late but prices remain firm. Hardwoods are a little quieter and the trade is gradually settling down to a winter level.

Many of the large pine mills are closed for the season, but a few will continue in operation until the end of the month or later. The mill man would be better satisfied if the stocks were lighter, but he feels that there is no necessity to reduce prices, for the lumber is likely to be worth more money next year. Indications favor a gradual hardening of prices during the winter months.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The pine timber market is slightly stronger, the reduced operations of the coming winter having had a stimulating effect upon prices. Square pine ranges from 35 to 45 cents per cubic foot, and Ottawa waney, 18 to 20 inch average, 60 to 70 cents. No red pine timber of any account is being made this season and prices are therefore nominal. Sellers and buyers for the British market have not yet closed any transactions, but a slight advance upon last year's figures seems to be expected. The position of spruce lumber continues to steadily improve as the result of lighter logging operations and more favorable reports from the British market. It is now reasonably certain that not more than 10,000,000 feet of deals will be carried over at St. John, which is a much smaller quantity than was anticipated earlier in the season. Extra cedar shingles are still being sold at $3.20 for Boston delivery.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Building operations in Winnipeg are much less active and the demand for lumber is showing a corresponding decrease. Finishing material is in good enquiry, as many of the buildings have only reached the point where this class of lumber is required. Country orders are falling off, and although many of the retail dealers are carrying light stocks, they are not buying above immediate requirements. For the first time there appears to be a disposition to prevent the further cutting of lumber prices on the Coast. It is rumored that a new price list for both lumber and shingles will be adopted in the near future, and that some of the largest manufacturers are hopeful of devising a plan which will improve the situation.

The improvement in the log market has no doubt influenced sentiment in favor of higher prices for lumber and shingles. The stock of logs is said to be reduced to 10,000,000 feet, whereas prices have advanced fully $2 and now range from $5 to $7 per thousand feet.

UNITED STATES.

The position of the lumber market of the United States is distinctly one of strength. There is very little evidence that buyers are curtailing purchases, for many of the dealers report a more active movement than for many weeks past. Southern pine is receiving the heaviest call, for the reason that the prices had been lowered to a point which encouraged consumption, whereas white pine prices were held comparatively firm on account of the limited production. We are told that stocks in the Lake Superior district are lower than for years, one estimate placing the amount of unsold white pine lumber at 20,000,000 feet. There is more uniformity in the demand for white pine than has been the case at any previous time this fall. The lower grades have been active all season, but now uppers and selects, and even the middle grades, are moving with some freedom. Prices at manufacturing points have stiffened, but dealers have not followed the advance, probably owing to the fact that they are carrying comparatively larger stocks than are the manufacturers. The supply at Buffalo and Tonawanda is about the same as one year ago. Our Buffalo list this week shows a slight advance in a few grades, 2 inch dressing being marked up to $38, 1 x 12 inch box to $21, and mill culls to $17.

Hardwoods have fallen back a little and business is only moderately active. Plain oak in 1¼ inch is the best seller, followed by birch, maple and elm. Hemlock is holding its own, prices in the Saginaw Valley being $12.50 to $14.

The advancing tendency in lath is still in evidence. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers report a low stock and a good consumption, with prospects of higher prices in the near future. Hemlock lath has been advanced 25 cents in Wisconsin.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Sentiment concerning the British lumber market has greatly improved, but there has not been a corresponding improvement in the consumption. The outlook is hopeful, however, and if the quantity of lumber received during the months of November and December should be small it would greatly assist towards the restoration of prices to a more satisfactory basis. The imports into London this year have been upwards of 150,000,000 feet less than last year, and consequently the stock on hand is not excessive. Many importers are now holding their pine lumber for higher prices, as they fear that the shippers on this side may considerably advance their selling prices before next season's production is marketed. There is a distinctly better feeling in the spruce market, £7 per standard c. i. f. Liverpool being the price for which shippers are now holding. It appears, therefore, that instead of prices declining towards the close of the year, there is likely to be a steady appreciation in pine and spruce values.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Pork barrel staves are quoted in Chicago at $22 to $23, and tierce staves at $26 to $27.

About half the usual number of men are now in the woods along the Miramichi river, in New Brunswick, and it is certain that the cut of logs will be greatly curtailed.

The car scarcity having been relieved, prices of Washington red cedar shingles at Chicago and Minneapolis are easier. The current quotation on Clears is $2.60, and on Stars $2.20.

The Northern Land & Lumber Company, of Port Arthur Ont., have entered into a contract with the Canadian Northern Railway to supply 200,000 ties during the coming winter.

The Gull River Lumber Company, of Coboconk, Ont., have on hand 1,000,000 feet of pine and hemlock lumber and 7,000 cords of wood. As their entire stock of logs was not cut out this year, they will be in a position to start their mill early next spring.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fredericton, N. B., have purchased from F. B. Edgecombe and George H. Eaton the McConnell logs which were hung up last spring. There are about 4,000,000 feet, mostly located on the Wild Cat and Little Black and Smoky rivers, in Quebec. The company have also leased from Mr. Eaton a large tract of land in Quebec, and will operate it during the coming winter.

A dispatch from Vancouver, B.C., dated November 14th, says: William Shannon sold to-day to three millionaire lumber men of Michigan six hundred million feet of standing timber on Toba river, B.C. The timber is ideally situated, being penetrated in several places by waterways, one channel leading to its centre. The purchasers, who are well known in the lumber world, asked to have their names withheld from publication at present. They have heavy contracts in connection with the Panama canal construction. They will erect a mill on Toba river, cut the lumber there and ship direct to the isthmus. Operations on the construction of the mill will be commenced on the first of the year. Cash was paid for the timber, which the purchasers say will log absolutely clean.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company, of Barbados, report as follows: "The schooners Coronia and Pilgrim have arrived, with 193,000 feet of white pine, which we placed at $26 for merchantable and $20 for second quality. The schooner Clarence Shafner brought 220,000 feet of white pine, which had been contracted for some time ago. Following these, the Ida M. Shafner brought 103,000 feet of white pine and 13,000 feet of spruce to our neighbors, for which they could obtain only $25 for merchantable and $19 for second quality white pine, and $16.60 for spruce, which was all second quality. The Mercedes has arrived to ourselves with 150,000 feet of spruce and hemlock. For the spruce we obtained $21.87 for shippers and $18.57 for second quality, and for the hemlock, $18.39; while for a small lot of spruce plank by this vessel we secured $20.37 as customary. Our market is now well supplied for the present with white pine, and with two cargoes of spruce contracted for and on their way, the same can be said for this kind of lumber as well, and we expect lower values for next arrivals. The Bravo arrived on 28th ultimo with 467,000 Laying Cedar shingles and 285,000 Long to ourselves, the balance of her cargo consisting of Long Cedar to our neighbors. Of the Laying Cedar we placed 140,000 Clear Whites at $2.91, and the extra No. 1 and No. 1 at a round price of $2; but in view of two large lots which are coming down, we had some difficulty in selling at this price. For the Long description we obtained $5.17, while we understand our neighbors had to accept $5.05 to $5.10 for their various lots. There does not appear to be much demand for shingles at the moment and we expect to see lower prices, especially for Laying, of which, as previously mentioned, large shipments are reported to be on the way."

WANTED.

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BRITISH LUMBER PRICES.

Canadian lumber brought the following prices at an auction sale held by Chu chill and Sim, London, England, on November 10th:

PINE.—Ex Belgian, from Quebec, 20-22 ft. 1 xii in. 1st quality red, £12 15s. per standard. Ex. Truma, from Quebec, 12-20 ft. 3 × 9 in. 3rd quality red, £12 15s.; 17-18 ft. 2 × 11, £7 15s.

SPRUCE.—Ex Nordhabet, from Quebec, 12 ft. 3 × 9 in. 3rd quality, £9. Ex Oxonian, from Quebec, 9-13 ft. 3 × 7-15 in. 1st quality, £11 10s. Ex Theodore Willie, from Quebec, 12 ft. 3 × 9 inch, £6 5s. Ex Atbara, from Saguenay, 12-16 ft. 3 × 11 in. unassorted, £8 15s.

BIRCH TIMBER.—Ex American, from Quebec, 14 logs, 20 in. and up, 55s. per load of 50 cubic feet; 20 logs 18 in. and under 20, 55s. Ex Obi, from Quebec, 20 logs 18 in. and under 20, 52s. 6d.; 18 logs 18 in. and under 20, 50s.

FREIGHT RATES ON CEDAR.

A protest has been received by the Railway Commissioners from the Canadian Pacific Railway against the decision that cedar shall be carried at the same rate as other lumber. The C. P. R. claims that its rates cannot be interfered with until the profit is one per cent. of construction cost. The commissioners contend that, while they may not be able to interfere with the rates, they can prevent discrimination. It is likely the matter will be referred to the Supreme Court.

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BUSINESS NOTES.

W. S. Tait, of Vancouver, B. C., has purchased, at a sheriff sale, the property of the Cascade Lumber Company, of that city, for $3,200. The property is valued at about $5,000.

John Murray, timber inspector, acting for the Department of Lands and Works, has seized a shingle mill at Roche Point, on Burrard Inlet, B.C., on account of timber dues. It is understood that the Department had been looking to W. T. Farrell, of Vancouver, for the settlement of the account, and no money being forthcoming, the seizure was decided upon. The mill has a capacity of about 40,000 shingles per day and is equipped with a Clipper machine.

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THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

OTTAWA, November 21st, 1904. — The outlook as viewed by Ottawa lumbermen is improving. For the past couple of years a levelling has been going on in the United States, and now that field is in better shape than it has been for some time for the reception of Canadian lumber. The settlement of the Presidential question has also cleared the air. The advance in iron, looked on hereabouts as the barometer, is a third sign which is taken as indicating an improvement in the lumber market.

The Ottawa operators do not look for any boom, but they confidentially expect that there will be a marked improvement in the market.

As far as the English market is concerned, there has been little or no change. November is the month when the contracts for deals, etc., are usually made, but there has been little doing in this direction this month. It is stated that one small cut sold at prices below those paid a year ago.

Discussing the situation, an exporter said the other day that the Canadian white pine has to meet the Baltic red pine in the English market now. Formerly the English manufacturer gave the Canadian lumber the preference, but now the lower priced Baltic product has the call. The market and yards are overcrowded with Canadian stock, and it is highly improbable that any contracts for future cutting will be made for a month or two yet.

The fine open weather of the present Fall has been conducive to active operations on the timber limits, but in the Ottawa district there will be a shortage of at least thirty per cent. in the log cut. In the Temiskaming district Klock & Company will not take out any logs or square timber whatever, and other firms will curtail their operations. The Saginaw Lumber and Salt Company that operated north of Chelmsford, in the Georgian Bay district, have also decided to take an "off" year, and have sold their equipment.

The James MacLaren Company, of Buckingham, have closed their mills down for the season. The cut was not as large as in former seasons, for the reason that the mills were two months later than usual in starting owing to the high water.

Reference to the price list shows but few changes this week. Cedar shingles are easier, but other lines remain unchanged.

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(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 16th, 1904.—The lumber trade has shown no marked change in this district during the last two weeks. The English market is, of course, attracting most attention from the local manufacturers and developments in that direction are being eagerly awaited. Taken on the whole, the year 1904 has been unsatisfactory so far as the trade in the United Kingdom is concerned; in fact, it has shown less activity by far than has been the case for many years past. The effects of this lack of stimulus have been various and far-reaching. Perhaps the most important from the Canadian point of view has been the curtailment of logging operations, which has been mentioned in previous letters, and the cutting of logging contract prices.

The manufacturers show much caution and apparently do not intend to tie themselves up in any way until they are fairly sure as to what conditions will rule the trade next year, but in spite of this fact on all sides the impression seems to be gaining strength that the end of the next three months will find vastly improved conditions in the English markets.

According to information received they base this conclusion on the following facts:

(1) The conditions of the English market during the last ten months have been unnatural; the prices received have not been in keeping with the cost of the raw material and of the manufacturing.

(2) The demand has been a long way below the average and it is reasonable enough to suppose that this condition cannot last much longer.

(3) Shipments with which the market was being flooded at the time of the slump have been greatly curtailed in volume and there is not sufficient lumber in sight at present or available during the next few months to cause any important excess of supply.

(4) The output of Eastern Canada for next season will probably be smaller than for many years past and it is almost sure that the causes which led to this curtailment will have an exactly similar effect in all lumbering countries and districts which depend largely or altogether upon the markets of the United Kingdom.

There has been no general change in prices of spruce in the English market as far as is known at present writing, but it is an assured fact that the situation looks decidedly better from the standpoint of those who wish to sell and that a recovery in prices is about due.

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Alfred Mitchell and Daniel McRae, operating a saw mill at Powassan, Ont., have dissolved partnership.

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A meeting of the Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' Association was held at Nelson, B.C., on November 13. Among those present were: A. Leitch, C. D. McNabb, M. B. King, W. F. Gurd, Cranbrook; J. A. Dewar, Ymir; W. C. Wells, M.L.A., Palliser; F. W. Jones, Golden; Joseph Deschamps, Rossland; T. Ludgate, Arrowhead; J. J. Billings, J. Genelle, Nakusp; I. C. Schermerhorn and C. I. Archibald, Nelson.

A. Leitch, president of the association, occupied the chair, and W. F. Gurd was secretary. A large portion of the time was taken up in discussing the internal affairs of the association, special rates and other matters. The principal matter decided on was to again approach the Dominion Government on the importation into Canada from the United States of rough lumber free of duty, and to press for a tariff of $2 per thousand feet. A carefully drawn up petition will be sent to Ottawa setting forth the views of the association, and a special committee was appointed to visit the coast cities in connection with the movement and with other matters of interest to the association.

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1½" No. 1 31" pine lath		1 60
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XXXX Pine Shingles	2 90	3 00
XX Pine Shingles	2 10	2 20
X Pine Shingles	0 90	1 00
XXX Cedar Shingles	2 80	2 90
B. C. Shingles XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		2 60
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		2 80
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 15
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"	1½ " 2	25 00	00		
"	sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	29 00	30 00		
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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2 " 4	65 00	75 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	25 00	27 00		
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3	26 00	28 00		
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1¼"	24 00	28 00		
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	30	29 00	31 00	
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds	1½"	2	36 00	38 00	
Maple common and better	1	1½	22 00	24 00	
Maple, 1sts and 2nds	2 "	4	25 00	27 00	
Oak; red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4	39 00	42 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	1 "	1¼	38 00	42 00	
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	2 "	4	42 00	45 00	
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	"	2	65 00	70 00	
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ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality 40 to 45 feet	60	75
" " " " 30 to 35 fe t	48	55

ASH.

10 inches and up, ccording to average and quality	26	35
Average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 Inch	20	22
16 "	26	28
17 "	28	31
18 " "	32	34

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Pine, good sidings: 1 in. x 8 in and up.		39 00	42 00		
1¼ in. x				1x10 No. 1 barn	21 00
				1x10 No. 2 "	19 00
				1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn	19 00

Pine good strips: in.	30 00	34 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00
2 in.	36 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	23 00	28 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	28 00	35 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16	19 00
Pine shorts 6' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00	14 50
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60
Cedar Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 15	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch		2 50
xx, 18 inch	1 60	1 70

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$65 00
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2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	77 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	54 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	78 00
in.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	48	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	88	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
Fencing boards, narrow	26	28	
1x12 inch shippers	$	24	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20	
10-in. dressing and better	30	35	
12-in. dressing and better	40	42	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	22	23	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38	
" " 2 inch	38	40	
Dressing	24	25	
Common		25	

LATH.

Pine	$3 00	Spruce	$3 00

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pin	ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75
Clear but		3 50	3 75
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75
Bound butts, 6 x 18		$5 25	5 55
Hemlock			2 23
Spruce			2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

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2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects 1 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
4 in.	80 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
3 in.	73 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
4 in.	75 00	1x6 & up	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	38 00	1x10	19 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x12	21 00
No. 2, 1 in.	25 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	17 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	36 00		

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WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00	45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	22 00	24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 nch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00	21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00	12 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00 to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00	73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00	60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00	63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. 1 s		17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s		14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled		17 00

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Extras	3 15	3 25
Clears	2 75	2 85
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Clear Whites	2 10	2 20
Extra 1s (Clear whites out)		1 45
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60	1 65

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The close of the month of November finds the lumber trade of this province in a healthy condition. There is a seasonable volume of white pine moving from the yards to consumers, as the weather has been favorable for outdoor work. This is not the season when the demand is likely to increase, as there is always a disposition to curtail obligations towards the close of the year. Manufacturers are receiving a number of inquiries from United States dealers, but many of these are believed to be for the purpose of ascertaining the feeling of the trade as to prices rather than with a view to placing orders. The ready buyer has no difficulty in finding plenty of pine lumber of the common and higher grades, but mill culls and box are less plentiful. Notwithstanding that these latter grades have declined but little in comparison with the better qualities, they are likely, if present indications count for anything, to be the first to be advanced in price.

The lath situation has become interesting. No. 1 pine has been bought up quite heavily and there is very little in the hands of manufacturers. The mill price in Western Ontario is now about $2.70, and predictions have been made that this figure will appear very low when compared with the price which is likely to be reached before next spring.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

While the spruce lumber market is quiet, the tone continues strong when compared with the conditions which prevailed during the summer months. There is a good demand for specifications suitable for the American market, where certain kinds of narrow dimension stuff are commanding a premium. Clapboards, which have been dragging all season, are now holding their own a little better, and it would not take a very active buying movement to advance prices.

New Brunswick cedar shingles are gradually getting into a stronger position. The product is sold up pretty close to the saws on every grade except Extras, which are now firm at $3.20 to $3.25 for Boston delivery. Clears are very scarce and easily bring $2.80. It is estimated that the cut of the winter mills will be below the average and the tendency of prices during the next three months should be towards a higher basis.

UNITED STATES.

A moderate degree of strength continues to pervade the lumber market of the United States. Last week the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association adopted a new price list making an advance on several items, including piece stuff and timbers, No. 1, No. 2 and No. 4 boards and lath. The quantity of lumber on hand is comparatively small, notwithstanding that the season has been favorable for manufacturing. The bulk of the white pine lumber is now in the hands of wholesale dealers, and they are not likely to make any price concessions. The Eastern States retail dealers are stocking up in some quantity. Box grades continue to have the call, while shop and better is reported slow. At Buffalo and Tonawanda prices are slightly irregular, the entire range of the leading grades of pine being given as follows: Uppers, $80 to $90; selects, $68 to $85; fine common, $53 to $80; No. 1 cuts, $38 to $72; No. 2 cuts, $25 to $55; No. 3 cuts, $21 to $27; No. 1 mouldings, $50 to $52; No. 1 dressing, $28 to $45; No. 1 barn, $24.50 to $33; No. 2 barn, $21 to $27; No. 3 barn, $18 to $24; box, $16 to $25; No. 2 box, $17.

The price of spruce frames are stronger and only a few mills are selling as low as the list, which is $19 for 9 inch and under

and $21 for over. Random is still offering at Boston at $17 for 2 x 3 to 2 x 7, and $18 for 2 x 8 and 9. Hardwoods are not much changed since last writing. Basswood is moving a little more freely, but prices are still easy. Birch is in good request.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Confidence in the British lumber market is gradually being restored. Business is improving and prices in most instances are hardening. Dealers who have held off buying are coming to the conclusion that they allowed their opportunity to pass and are now coming into the market at current prices. The improvement is very gradual, as might be expected, but before next spring there is likely to be a considerable advance in most lines. Spruce prices are firm at about £6 15s. per standard for St. John parcels. The results at the late auction sales have been more satisfactory. A quantity of 3 × 9 first, second and third quality Wolfe River spruce, in long lengths, brought £8 10s. per standard and some 3 x 8 unassorted Quebec regulars £7 10s., 2½ × 7 from the same port bringing £7 15s. Hardwood planks and deals sold at £7 10s., which is considered an excellent result and due to the small stock on hand. Shippers should remember that this is a retail quotation. Nevertheless, there has been a substantial recovery in birch planks, as is shown by the following extract from the Timber News, London, England: We have advised in our report from time to time that hardwood planks were bound to increase in price. The proof of the correctness of the advice is that about three months ago the ex quay price of Halifax stock was about £6 15s. to £7. The latest sale for similar stock is over £8, and shippers are asking higher prices, for early shipment and will no doubt realize their anticipations, as the advices from the other side are to the effect that stock for immediate shipment is very scarce.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The St. Anthony Lumber Company, of Whitney, Ont., will take out about 40,000,000 feet of logs during the coming winter.

Cameron & Company, wholesale lumber dealers, Ottawa, have on hand for immediate shipment a large block of good white pine sidings and shorts, also a quantity of birch and basswood in all thicknesses.

During the past month 2,000,000 feet of deals for the Liverpool market were shipped from R. & T. Ritchie's yards at Aylmer, Que. They have a quantity of logs in their pond and will operate their mill as late as possible. They carried on logging operations all summer on their Mountain limits.

J. A. Cody has decided to clear up his bush about two miles from Newmarket, Ont. He expects to have 150,000 feet of maple, beech, and elm, which has been contracted for, and 70,000 feet of hemlock, which will be cut into inch boards for sale.

The saw mills at Three Rivers, Que., cut about 75,000,000 feet of lumber during the past season. The mills located at this point are owned by Alex. Baptiste, Great Falls Lumber Company, Burrill Lumber Company and Union Bag & Paper Company.

Buffalo quotations for slack cooperage stock remain at $10.25 to $10.75 for first-class flour barrel staves, 7 to 7½ cents for first-class basswood heading, and $9.50 to $10 for 6-foot coiled hoops.

Hemlock is selling in Michigan at $12 for piece stuff and $13 for boards.

G. Keddy and Albert Zwicker, of Mahone, N.S., have purchased the timber of the Cook property near Bridgewater, and will establish a saw mill there.

The first steamer ever loaded with lumber at Portland for the Argentine Republic is about to sail. It is the Osceola and will carry 700,000 feet of Canadian spruce.

Some millmen figure that 25 per cent. of the No. 3 and better pine to be cut at Duluth next season has been contracted for. The lower grades for next year are astonishingly well sold out.

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LATH PRODUCTION AND DEMAND.

At the present time the demand for white pine lath exceeds the supply and prices are largely controlled by the seller. The supply of lath at the Lake Superior mills, throughout Michigan and in the Georgian Bay district has almost entirely passed out of first hands. Commenting on the situation, the American Lumberman says:

All the manufacturers along the lakes have sold out their stocks of lath. The wholesale and retail dealers now have all the lath in sight and they hold but a small percentage of the demand. In such a situation where is the supply to come from for the residue of the season? and where are the stocks for the late winter and early spring trade?

Prices of lath are now a consideration of less importance than is the ability to obtain lath at all. Holders of what lath there are can about make their own prices and the response will be prompt.

The interesting question arises, What has caused this season's scarcity of lath in the Michigan markets as well as in the entire middle west and eastward? Undoubtedly the decline of northern pine manufacture and the demand for box and crating lumber which has induced the use of as much of the log as possible for such purposes. To these causes must be added the extraordinary consumption of lath this year as a result of extensive building operations.

As the production of strictly white pine, as distinct from norway pine, diminishes, white pine lath become also a diminishing quantity. This shrinkage in volume is accentuated by economies in manufacture, which results in the use of all possible material in the log for purposes other than conversion into lath. Time was when the log was literally slabbed and the slabs were converted into lath to a large extent. Now the slabs are made as thin as possible and these slabs are resawed into box and crate stuff, or into any form that renders it usable. This reduces the percentage of lath that results from the conversion of the log. What is true of white pine is equally so of norway. Hemlock production has increased within recent years, and hemlock lath are in high favor wherever their merit is known. But there are wide sections in the prairie states in which hemlock lath are in disfavor simply because consumers are unused to them. Prices of good hemlock lath are about on a par with those of white pine. The production of hemlock lath has not yet attained sufficient magnitude to make good for the decline in the output of pine lath, nor is it likely to.

It should be observed that the scarcity of lath has arisen in the face of the use of a variety of metal and other kinds of lath. For ordinary building purposes nothing seems to have displaced the lath that is turned out by the saw mills. This is because wood lath is the cheapest ceiling material that can be found, no matter how high prices may go. So it seems that so long as the saw mills shall run and their lath machine adjuncts shall continue in operation there will be a demand for their product, even at prices that would have been deemed excessive a few years ago.

In view of the fact that lath stocks this fall are about cleaned up, and stocks during the winter cannot much accumulate, it looks as if the lucky holder of good supplies at present stands to make a good profit on them.

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From	To	Cargo in feet.
Hastings	Cardiff, U.K	1,584,227
Hastings	Sydney, N.S.W.	1,430,308
Hastings	Callao	1,806,123
Chemainus	Antofagasta	573,715
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	28,070
Chemainus	Antofagasta	709,901
Chemainus	Fremantle	1,665,319
Hastings	Sydney	120,85
Hastings	Japan	196,941
Hastings	Iquique	1,369,443
Hastings	Fremantle	1,125,789
Chemainus	Shanghai	1,143,785
Chemainus	Shanghai	1,233,870
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	44,029
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	119,638
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	35 638
Hastings	U. K.	1,009,140
Hastings	Sydney	1,611,165
Hastings	Hong Kong	128,588
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	40,541
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	42,075
Hastings	Hong Kong	153,700
Hrstings	Junin, Chili	644,396
Hastings	Osaka, Japan	1,023,654
Chemainus	Iquique	1,819,949
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	25,100
Chemainus	Melbourne	1,204,485
Hastings	Devonport, Eng	168,017
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	30,716
Hastings	Hongkong	29,361
Hastings	Yokohama	21,386
Hastings	Havre & Calais	1,308,662
Hastings	Callao	1,700,358
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	37,935
Hastings	Kobe, Japan	58,907
Chemainus	U. K.	2,081,564
Hastings	Iquique	1,134,100
Hastings	Nagasaki, Japan	308,475
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	23,065
Chemainus	Antofagasta	802,218
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	20,045
Hastings	Yokohama	242,184
Chemainus	Cape Town	2,517,154
Hastings	East London	1,096,346
Hastings	Suva, Fiji	30,663
Hastings	Callao, Peru	1,737,472
Chemainus	Antofagasta	716,104
Chemainus	Sydney	1.000,823
Chemainus	Melbourne	Loading
Hastings	U. K.	Loading

TIMBER MEASURED AT QUEBEC.

Following is a statement of the quantity of timber measured through the Supervisor of Cullers' office, Quebec, during the season of 1904 :

Description of Timber.	Pieces.	Cubic Feet.
Waney White Pine	41,663	2,256,352
Square White Pine	7,060	240,170
Red Pine	476	15,920
Oak	5,263	328,360
Elm	6,237	262,800
Ash	606	14,640
Birch	6,117	115,920
Walnut	1,220	15,520
Hickory	60	1,720
Cherry	19	480
Butternut	1	40
Tamarac	1	40
Redwood	24	1,400
Gumwood	14	960
Spruce	3	120
Total	66,764	3,258,448

ROCK ELM PRICES.

TORONTO, November 29, 1904.

Editor CANADA LUMBERMAN :

DEAR SIR,—In your issue of November 16th, referring to trade in Great Britain, you state, "Of the hardwoods Rock Elm is particularly strong. The stock is light and it has been found comparatively easy to advance prices, which now stand at 3s. 6d. to 3s. 7d. per cubic foot."

We are afraid that this will give millmen the idea that this can be obtained for the ordinary run of stock, whereas we find it difficult to secure more than $50.00 for 1sts and 2nds. Of course, we can readily understand that you refer to Rock Elm timber in long lengths.

Yours truly,
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LOGGING CONDITIONS IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

The fall rains on the Upper St. John river have worked against the lumbermen in their operations. They have made heavy muddy roads and the hauling of supplies has been done with difficulty and attended with unusual expense. The ground, however, is now frozen and covered with about two inches of snow, and the work is going along easily and more satisfactorily. The cut this year, as stated in an earlier issue, will not be more than one-half of that of last season. On the Upper St. John John Kilburn, for instance, will not get out more than 2,000,000 feet of spruce ; John Morrison will cut 3,000,000 of cedar ; W. J. Noble will take out 6,000,000 to 7,000,000 for Cushing ; Cunliffe will cut 5,000,000 for W. H. Murray on the Allegash. The Scott Bros. will take about 9,000,000 from the St. John. Four millions of this are J. McConnell's old logs now on the yards on the Wildcat, where they will cut another million and a half ; 1,600,000 will come from the New Brunswick Railway Co.'s lands and 600,000 from lands some miles above the city ; the balance from other districts along the St. John. On the Magaguadavic Scott Bros. will cut a million, bringing the total operations for the season up to 10,000,000.

On the Allegash the work will be pushed along with activity. On this section the cut will be proportionately larger than in other districts of the St. John area, the output being principally for the Van Buren mills. For this concern Potts will cut 2,000,000, Chainard 2,000,000, McChaine 5,000,000, and Robert Aiken, operating on the same river, will cut 3,000,000 for Stetson, Cutler & Co.

The lumber cut on the Miramichi will also be reduced to about half of last year's, which was between 85,000,000 and 90,000,000 on the North and the South West.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.

VANCOUVER, B. C., November 21st, 1904.—Lumbermen in Vancouver are more hopeful in regard to conditions than they have been. The trade with the Northwest Territories has been better than was expected, and since the American mills have got rid of most of their surplus stock the dumping at slaughter prices may not continue much longer. Still there are evidences of depression, and the fourth of the smaller mills is in the hands of the sheriff for the satisfaction of creditors. Were conditions good, these could have pulled through.

There is talk of the federal member for Vancouver moving for the appointment of a commission to enquire into the conditions affecting the lumber industry in British Columbia. Anyway, he has promised to continue the fight for a duty of $2 per thousand feet of lumber imported from the United States.

American manufacturers dislike to acknowledge that British Columbia shingles are better in quality than those manufactured south of the line, and even state there is no foundation to such a statement. Notwithstanding, Mr. H. S. Stine, representing Barnes & Mauk, of Toledo, Ohio, who was in the city recently and who spent ten days investigating the shingle industry of the province, contracted for the output of two mills, besides securing a lot for immediate delivery. He said the timber was better, and while the shingles might not be better sawed, they were better packed.

Local millmen are strongly of the opinion now that price slashing should be stopped, and there is talk of a new price list being issued early in January. Twenty-five per cent. off the list price is the discount now obtaining, instead of 10 per cent. as formerly, and it is stated that in instances it is even lower. The owners of shingle mills are considering the adoption of some plan for their common welfare, the market in that line suffering from over-production.

Logs are beginning to get dearer, the figures having advanced from $3.50 to $5 per thousand to $5 to $8 per thousand. The small logger may again do business, and those who bought up large quantities some time ago will realize.

There is talk locally of Japanese capital being interested by Japaese for the manufacture of lumber for export to Corea and Manchuria as soon as the war is over. The market will be a virgin one, and the Japanese think they are in a better position than anyone else to engage in the trade. They do not think the depression will affect them.

Michigan capitalists, represented by Daniel F. Atland, have paid spot cash for 600,000,000 feet of fine timber, easily accessible, on Toba Inlet. They purpose erecting a large mill and engaging in the business with the eastern American cities which will follow the opening of the Panama canal. They also have contracts in connection with the construction. This deal had been ending since last spring.

The Kamloops Lumber Company are re-building their mill at a cost of $75,000.

The Mundy Lumber Company, of Bradford, Pa., will erect a large mill at Three Valley Lake, near Revelstoke.

The Canadian Timber and Sawmills, Limited, will pay 80 cents on the dollar. A public meeting held in Trout Lake City decided to ask the Government to cancel the licenses held by the company unless all wages were paid immediately.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From St. John, N. B.: Schooner John C. Gregory, for Fort de France, 160,150 ft. pine boards. Schooner John C. Gregory, for St. Lucia, 190,470 ft. boards, 11 spruce spars. Barque Giuseppe, for Bordeaux, 441,341 ft. deals, 10,416 ft. scantling. Schooner A. P. Emerson, for City Island, 284,223 ft. deals, 10,416 ft. scantling. Schooner Abbe Keast, for New Bedford, 20,000 feet hemlock boards, 1,300,000 shingles. Schooner Erie, for Boston, 90,543 ft. boards, 81,396 ft. scantling, 75,000 cedar shingles. Schooner Harry Knowlton, for City Island, 178,427 ft. pine boards, 46,342 feet deals, 65,844 feet scantling.

From Parrsboro, N. S.: Steamer Lord Lansdowne, for Preston, 1,776,927 feet of deals and battens, 52,946 ft. scantling, 48,611 ft. ends, by Nova Scotia Lumber Co.

From Halifax, N.S.: Steamer Ulunda, for Liverpool, 44,123 ft. birch deals, value $480; 243,664 ft. spruce deals, value $3,168, by Furness, Withy & Co., agents.

The Macaza Timber & Lumber Company, Macaza, Que., have assigned, and the assets are to be sold.

It is announced that the assets of R. J. Stewart, lumber dealer, Holland, Man., have been sold in the interest of creditors.

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1 in. Pine Dressing and better shorts	24 00	26 00
1x4, 6 and 8 common	18 00	19 00
1x10 common	19 50	20 00
1x12 common	21 00	22 00
2x10 common	20 00	21 00
3x10 common	21 00	22 00
2 and 3x12 common	22 00	23 00
1x10 inch box and common	20 00	21 00
1 inch mill run siding	21 00	22 00
1 in. mill run	20 00	21 00
1x10 and 12 mill culls	15 00	16 00
1 inch mill cull Sidings	15 00	16 00
1 in. dead cull sidings	12 00	13 00
1½ inch Flooring	26 00	27 00
Hemlock, 1x4 to 8 in.	14 00	15 00
2x4 to 10 in., 12 to 16 ft.	15 00	16 00
2x4 to 10 inch, 18 ft.	16 00	17 00
Clear inch B. C. cedar, kiln dried		50 00
Clear inch B. C. cedar air dried boat lumber		55 00
Douglas fir dimension timber, 25 to 30 feet		30 00
Douglas fir dimension timber, 30 to 35 feet		31 00
1½ in. No. 1 4 ft. Pine Lath	3 10	3 20
1½ in. No. 2 4 ft. Lath	2 60	2 70
1½" No. 1 31" pine lath		1 60
1½" No. 1 4 ft. hemlock lath	2 40	
XXXX Pine Shingles	2 90	3 00
XX Pine Shingles	2 10	2 20
X Pine Shingles	0 90	1 00
XXX Cedar Shingles	2 80	2 90
B. C. Shingles		
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		2 60
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		2 80
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 15
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" 1½ " 2"	25 00	00
" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8	29 00	30 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¾ in	27 00	29 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2"	30	32 00
m. r. 1 1¾	26 00	28 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds	1¾ 60 00	70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4" 65 00	75 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 "	1¾ 25 00	27 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	3" 26 00	28 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to 1¼"	24 00	28 00
Elm rock, mill run 1¼"	3" 29 00	31 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds 1¼"	2" 36 00	38 00
Maple common and better 1	1¾ 22 00	24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds 2 "	4" 25 00	27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4" 39 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1¾ 38 00	42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4" 42 00	45 00
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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality 40 to 45 feet	60	75
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ASH.

10 inches and up, according to average and quality	26	35
Average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 Inch	20	22
16 "	26	28
17 "	28	31
18 "	32	34

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2 in.	36 00	38 00
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	23 00	28 00
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	28 00	35 00
2 in.	34 00	38 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16	19 00
Pine shorts 5' to 11'x10"		16 00
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00	14 50
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00
Lath, per M		
No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15
Red Pine mill run	2 00	2 15
Pine Shingles		
xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60
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Cedar Shingles		
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n	58 00		

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8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

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PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2¼ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2¼ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	48	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	38	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
1x12 inch shippers	$	24	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20	
10-in. dressing and better	30	35	
12-in. dressing and better	40	42	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	22	23	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38	
" " 2 inch	38	40	
Dressing	24	25	

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Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$3 40

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4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects 1 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
4 in.	80 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
3 in.	73 00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	17 50
4 in.	75 00	Box, 1x4	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	38 00	1x6 & up	19 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x10	21 00
No. 2, 1 in.	25 00	1x12 and up	22 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	17 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	36 00		

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1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in. 43 00 45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips 22 00 24 00
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1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls 15 00 17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up, 24 00 26 00
			Com. & good culls 13 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up, 24 00 25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls 16 00 17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft 19 00 21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls 11 00 12 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00 to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00	73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00	60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00	63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. 1 s		17 00
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1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled		17 00

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Extras	3 15	3 25
Clears	2 75	2 85
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Extra 1s (Clear whites out)		1 45
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60	1 65

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There is the usual tapering off in the lumber demand that comes with the approach of the end of the year, but favorable weather has kept business more active than usual at this season and consumption has been fairly heavy. Indications point to some buying in a retail way during the winter months, as very few dealers have on hand a sufficient stock of lumber to carry them through the winter. The feeling as to the spring trade is somewhat optimistic, although it is a little early to venture a prediction. The improvement in the British market is being felt on this side, prices for export stock having advanced slightly. Twelve inch boards in long lengths are being held about $1 higher than in the early fall. Very little contracting for next season's production has taken place, but the report comes from Ottawa that the manufacturers there are in favor of asking an advance upon the prices which were obtained one year ago. Hemlock prices are steady and would probably advance but for the competition from Southern pine.

Mill prices on pine shingles are from five to ten cents higher than two weeks ago, while lath is also firmer. No. 1 hemlock lath has followed the lead of pine and is now quoted at $2.10 at the mill.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA.

The spruce situation continues to show improvement, although trade is quiet. There is a great scarcity of certain sizes and grades in New York, and some of the Canadian mills have booked considerable orders for export to that city as well as to Boston. The water mills are mostly closed down and the steam winter mills will not be running much before January. Nothing is being done in respect to British trade, but the opinion prevails that there will be an advance in prices as soon as buyers begin to figure on their requirements for next season.

There is no change in New Brunswick shingles, but spruce lath has declined in price as the result of heavy shipments. The New Brunswick product is worth about $2.10 at St. John and American product, $2.35, which is a decline of about 15 cents.

UNITED STATES.

There are some indications that the lumber demand is settling down to a winter basis, but there are so many buildings still to be completed that the call for finishing material is considerable. The trade as a whole is in a very satisfactory condition and a heavy demand is anticipated after the turn of the year. With large crops of corn, oats and cotton, and little less than an average yield of wheat, the purchasing power of the farmer is greater than it has been for years, and this is expected to be the foundation for a period of industrial activity which will extend at least through the coming year.

Buffalo dealers report a material increase in the number of inquiries for white pine lumber. In many cases the buyers are anticipating their early spring requirements, as there is some probability of a shortage in the supply before the opening of navigation next spring. Some of the Chicago dealers have new lists making such advances as were necessary to bring their prices more in line with those at the producing centres. The new list issued by the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association has stimulated rather than checked the demand, it being regarded as substantial evidence of the trend of the market.

From New York, Buffalo and Boston come reports of a liberal call for hardwoods. The strongest feature is plain oak, but there is also an excellent demand for birch. Rough maple and maple flooring are moving to some extent, the latter being in good demand for factory purposes.

The scarcity of lath is an indication of the amount of building which has been in progress. No. 1 white pine have been

sold in Chicago during the past week as high as $4. Spruce lath is much more plentiful and is selling in the Boston market at $3.25 for 1⅝ inch and $3 for 1½ inch.

GREAT BRITAIN.

This week we are advised that severe weather has interfered with trade in the United Kingdom, but notwithstanding business has been quite satisfactory. Confidence is gradually returning. The cotton industry has revived, manufacturers are now able to obtain their supply of raw cotton at a very reasonable price, and the outlook for that branch of trade is much brighter. This in turn has benefitted the lumber trade. Some wholesale dealers are showing a disposition to defer purchases of lumber for next season until after Christmas, but others are of the opinion that there will be an advantage in purchasing at present prices, as any change in quotations is likely to be in the direction of an improvement. The London pine market is showing a decided firmness. Retail dealers who have been holding off have thought it wise to begin to replenish their somewhat depleted stocks and all the good lots of lumber have been quickly taken. Spruce is also very strong, and as stocks are gradually becoming reduced, the tendency of prices seems likely to be upward.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

William Jamieson is again operating this winter near Bloomfield Station, N.B., and expects to take out about 700,000 feet of logs.

L. J. Howe, Acting Deputy Commissioner of Provincial Lands for Manitoba, has invited tenders for a permit to cut timber on Berths Nos. 21 and 23 in that province.

L. J. Tweedie, Acting Surveyor General, Fredericton, N.B., will offer for sale on December 14 a two square mile timber berth, situate on the Albert Settlement road, Westmoreland County.

The Department of the Interior, Ottawa, are asking for tenders up to January 4th, 1905, for a permit to cut timber on Berth No. 1195, in the Province of Manitoba. The limit contains about six square miles.

The Sprague Lumber Company, of Winnipeg, have closed down their mill for the winter, after having cut about 9,000,000 feet of lumber. The company are operating quite extensively in the woods this winter.

THE BARBADOS MARKET.

Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company report as follows regarding the Barbados lumber market :

The schooner "Clara" from Mahone Bay, N. S., arrived during the fortnight with 106,000 feet of Spruce, which had been placed some time ago at $21.50 for shipping, and $16.50 for second quality, but we understand that this is rather short of the quantity sold, and although there is still another cargo on the way which is also provided for, we can report our market as slightly stronger, and value next arrival at about $21.50 for shipping. In white pine, we note a sale of 129,000 feet ex "Virginia" via Martinique, which being represented to be a very a fine cargo of all merchantable, secured a purchaser at $26.13, but proving on delivery to have a large portion of refuse, an allowance of $5, instead of the customary $4, was made on this. Dealers are now fairly well supplied, and we must look for lower prices for next receipts.

The only arrival of shingles consists of 757 bundles of Red Cedar Laying ex "Orinoco," which failed to secure a purchaser, and have been stored by consignees along with others of same description by previous steamers. Owing to the very dry weather the demand for all kinds of shingles has been very slack, and although there is only a very small stock of Gaspe in the market, we do not think better prices than those last advised would be obtained for next arrivals, unless quality was very superior. Cedar Laying are in fair supply and dealers' ideas have been much depressed by the report of two cargoes now on the way.

Since the above was compiled the "G. S. Troop" has arrived from Liverpool, N.S., with 75,000 feet of white pine, 18,000 spruce, and 9,000 hemlock, which has been sold at $25.66 merchantable and $20.06 second quality white pine, 22.06 for spruce, and $19.06 for hemlock.

BIRCH PLANKS.

Among the side lines of the timber trade, birch deals occupy a humble though useful place. The birch of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia takes kindly to stain, and some hundreds of standards are cut up annually by chair and couch manufacturers to masquerade as walnut or mahogany finished suites. To the tin-plate box trade birch deals are well-nigh indispensable, and the consumption from this source is also large. As a general rule there is no difficulty about supplies, and stocks are usually more of an incubus than otherwise. At the present time, however, buyers appear to have been caught napping, and, with short supplies, prices are up to close upon £8 c.i.f. At Liverpool the stock is within unusually small compass, and enquiries are numerous. In the Bristol Channel district, where these goods are largely bought, there is reported to be hardly a deal in first hands. The jump in the price of this—the cheapest hardwood—will be keenly felt by consumers, who have for so long been accustomed to cheap and regular supplies.—Timber Trades Journal, London, Eng.

BUSINESS NOTES.

W. F. Lawrence, planing mill, etc., Maple Creek, N.W.T., is asking for an extension of time.

The assignment is announced of Rohm & Strohm, carrying on business as lumber merchants at Caron, N.W.T. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of William Grayson, solicitor, Moose Jaw, on December 20.

The H. Herrmann Lumber Company, of New York, advise us that they have secured the property at East 125th street and Harlem river on a long leasehold, and will remove one of their down-town yards to the new premises on February 1, 1905. They will erect a modern factory and dry kilns for the manufacture of all kinds of woodwork, trim and dimension stock for the furniture and organ trade, etc. At their Broome street and East River yards they are at present carrying 5,000,000 feet of hardwoods.

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FIRES.

The excelsior mill of Stephen Bros., at Windsor Junction, N S., was burned last week. The loss is $5,000, there being no insurance.

The Rat Portage Lumber Company have again suffered from fire, their sash and door warehouse at Brandon, Man., being completely destroyed last month. The loss will be upwards of $15,000.

The saw mill of J. D. Sowerby & Company at Oak Bay, Que., was destroyed by fire recently. The mill was being operated by John and Richard Sowerby, sons of the late J. D. Sowerby. It is understood they will rebuild.

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MIRAMICHI LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The barque Valona, loaded by D. & J. Ritchie & Company, sailed from Chatham, N.B., on November 26, being the last lumber laden vessel from Miramichi for this season. The total shipments from that port for 1904 are as follows:

	Vessels.	S. ft.
F. E. Neale.....	25	39,000,000
Snowball Co., Ltd	16	20,000,000
W. M. Mackay.....	8	11,000,000
D. & J. Ritchie & Co.	14	11,000,000
E. Hutchison.....	6	8,000,000
Geo. Burchill & Sons.	3	4,000,000
Damery & McDonald.	2	1,500,000

The total shipments of lumber for the season 1904 were about 94,000,000 sup. ft., as compared with about 100,000,000 last year.

NEW BRUNSWICK LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 1st, 1904.—The coming of winter has brought the beginning of a season of quiet in manufacturing circles in this section that will probably last at least until March 1st next, and it will be April 20th before the mills are all running at their full capacity. The freezing of the coves and booms wherein the logs are kept, which has taken place quite early this year, has already caused a cessation of operations at six mills and several others will close down during the next few days. To saw all winter a manufacturer must have logs piled in the Narrows (which does not freeze), but in only two or three cases has this been done this year, and then with no important quantity. In spite of the fact that such a large quantity of logs was cut last winter on the St. John, such difficulty was experienced in rafting at Fredericton and in driving farther up the river, that at no time during the season was there any surplus worth mentioning in the immediate vicinity of St. John and immediately available. There are now, it is estimated, in the vicinity of 30,000,000 feet of all marks of logs in or near the booms at Fredericton. The first of these will not be rafted to any great extent before mid-May. The stocks of logs in St. John are small and are nearly all frozen in and will not be available before mid-April, hence there will be comparatively little done in a manufacturing way before that time. This is very disappointing to the mill-owners generally, who, earlier this year, were looking forward to a long manufacturing season next year.

Reports from the camps in all districts tell of ideal logging weather and conditions. In up-river districts there has been just enough snow for yarding purposes. In the lower counties there has been no snow as yet, but the swamps have been frozen hard for several weeks past and all other conditions tend to make a successful season.

Since last writing the only change in price of New Brunswick products is in that of spruce lath, which has dropped from $2.30 to $2.10, f.o.b., St. John. American product laths are quoted at $2.35 as against $2.55 a few weeks ago. The improvement in price of a month ago caused a heavy increase in the volume of shipments. The market was too sensitive to bear up under these offerings, hence the slump mentioned above.

An advance in freight rates to American ports has occurred since last writing. Charters for long lumber are now being made to Boston at $2.50 per M and to New York at $3.50.

TIMBER LIMIT TRANSACTIONS.

W. H. Parsons, of New York, who owns the controlling interest in the Bay Shore Lumber Company, which recently bought the timber limits, mill and property of C. M. Bostwick & Company at Great Salmon River, N. B., is reported to have sold his interest in this property to David S. Cowles, of New York, and Hon. F. C. Whitehouse, of Topsham. The latter gentleman has for many years been the head of the Bowdoin Paper Company.

WANT REDUCTION IN STUMPAGE.

It is understood that a movement is on foot to petition the Ontario Government to reduce the stumpage charge on pine timber. It will be remembered that at the last sale of timber limits new regulations were imposed fixing the stumpage charge at $2 per thousand feet on saw logs and five cents per cubic foot on board timber, as compared with a former charge of $1.25 and 2½ cents. It is contended by many lumbermen that the new rate is too high, and the Government will be asked to lower it.

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THE OUTLOOK FOR LUMBER.

In reviewing the white pine lumber market, the Mississippi Valley Lumberman comments on the outlook as follows :

The condition of lumber stocks everywhere and in all hands is one which assures strong prices at the very outset of the new year. The amount of lumber in the hands of the retailers was never so small as it is at the present time. This has been brought about through the conservative policy adhered to by the dealers. They have bought stock during the past season in small quantities to meet the current demands of their customers. There is, therefore, practically no lumber in the country. The manufacturers have succeeded in disposing of their cut unusually close to the saw and their stocks on hand at the present time are small and badly broken. There are some large individual stocks, but in the aggregate the amount of lumber now on hand is considerably below what it was a year ago. The mills have followed a policy of curtailment in their cut and the entire amount of white pine manufactured during 1904 is the lightest in many years. There is, therefore, a very limited supply of white pine on hand to meet the demand which is sure to come at the opening of the year.

The wealth of the country is perhaps the strongest feature in the present situation. Prices for farm produce have attained the highest average level in ten years. Among certain grains, they are higher than ever before. This era of high prices comes at a time when the crops are not small and when there is an abundant yield of everything except wheat. The corn crop is the largest in the history of the country and it is selling at prices indicative of scarcity rather than abundance. Live stock prices have been gaining ground. There is an advance in values for all the commodities which enter into commerce. In connection with the crop situation it must be noted that the aggregate crop this year is 7.7 per cent. greater than that of a year ago, and this crop will sell for higher prices than have been realized in many years. It is the most profitable crop the farmer ever harvested in the United States. Manufacturers who submitted their views of the situation at the recent meeting of the price list committee of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association all concurred in the belief that the present situation was strong upon the basis of the very high degree of prosperity throughout the country. On the conditions of the stocks, the light supply of lumber, and the wealth of the country they, without exception, regarded a higher plane of values for white pine to be a logical outcome of the situation. It is, therefore, quite probable that the early months of the new year will witness an advancing list in all items of white pine. One thing is certain, that the present list will be the unyielding basis of values after the first of the year.

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The mill and machinery of the Skeena Lumber Company, situated on the south shore of False Creek, near Vancouver, B. C., have been seized by Sheriff Hall and will be sold on December 12 under and by virtue of certain warrants of execution directed against the goods and chattels of J. Adams, J. Noble, Peter Herman and the Skeena Lumber Company.

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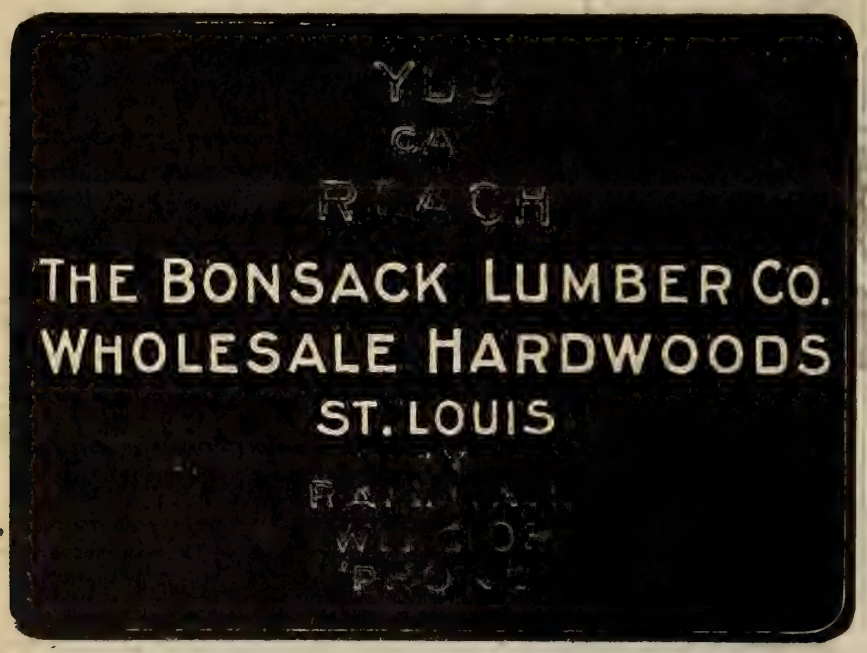

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		Hemlock	2 50

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PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	1x12 inch shippers	$ 24
2½ in.	83	4/4 inch 13" & up.	25
1 to 2 in.	78	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19 20
4 inch uppers	88 90	10-in. dressing and better	30 35
Selects, 2½ in up	77 82	12-in. dressing and better	40 42
1 to 2 in.	72 72	Box, 1x10-in.	20
Fine common, 1½ in. and up	72 75	Box, 1x12	21
1 to 2 in.	69 61	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29 30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53 55	1x10	25 26
No. 2	35 45	1x8	23 25
No. 3	30 35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45 48	1x10	23 24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 38	1x8	22 23
Stained saps	32 40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32 38
Bracket plank	35 45	" " 2 inch	38 40
		Dressing	24 25

LATH.

Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$3 40

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine ex. xxxx	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6x18 $5 25 5 55
Clear bu.	3 50	3 75	Hemlock 2 23
Smoot x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce 2 25

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WHITE PINE.

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Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78 00	2 in.	38 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects 1 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
4 in.	80 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
3 in.	73 00	Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	38 00
4 in.	75 00	1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	38 00	No. 2, 1 in.	25 00
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00
No. 2, 1 in.	25 00	No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	1¼x10 and 12	40 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00	1½ in.	56 00
1¼x10 and 12	40 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	17 00
1½ in.	56 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	23 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00	45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	22 00	24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00	21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00	13 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00	to $85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00	73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00	60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00	63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00	33 00
No. 2	25 00	28 00
No. 3	23 00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension		21 00
9 in. and under		19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up		20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up		17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up		18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. 1 s		17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s		14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled		17 00

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Extras	3 15	3 25
Clears	2 75	2 85
Second clears	2 20	2 30
Clear Whites	2 10	2 20
Extra 1s (Clear whites out)		1 45
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60	1 65

BRITISH COLUMBIA SHINGLES.

Red Cedar Extras, 16 in. 5 butts to 2 in.		3 30

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

There has been some falling off in the buying of lumber, for which the change to winter weather has no doubt been responsible. It is a settled fact that during the next two or three months business will be seasonably quiet, and attention is now being directed to inventories and to the prospects for the spring trade. Some of the largest manufacturers and dealers are of the opinion that there will be an early spring demand of considerable proportions, as the consuming industries are in a prosperous condition and likely to continue so throughout the coming year. Unusual activity in Toronto is anticipated as the result of increased building operations, for, although the value of buildings erected during the year now closing was upwards of $1,600,000 greater than the previous year, the demand for residences and for warehouse and factory accommodation is still considerable. Owing to the high price of white pine, there is almost certain to be a heavy demand for hemlock for construction purposes, and in some quarters the price is expected to advance. Some attention is being given to spruce lath owing to the scarcity of the white pine variety, but the quantity manufactured in Ontario does not seem to be sufficient to make it an important factor. Lath prices generally are firm at the advance recently noted.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The most influential factor in the spruce lumber market is the demand for American specifications. For prompt delivery higher prices are being received. Spruce frames are very firmly held and clapboards are holding their own. So much depends upon the course of the British market, however, that no predictions as to the future can be made with confidence. The St. John mills have all closed down and there are light stocks in the yards. Dealers who purchased from manufacturers are holding their stock in anticipation of a better market. Deals for next year's shipment from West Bay and Pugwash are being bought at from $10.25 to $10.50 per thousand feet.

The cedar shingle market has not improved, there being plenty of Extras offering for Boston delivery at $2.20 to $2.25. Clears are showing much more strength than Extras, as the supply of that grade is not large.

UNITED STATES.

The early part of December has brought about no material change in the lumber situation. The demand, of course, is only moderate, but prices are firmly maintained. Eastern dealers are picking up special lots of white pine, which would seem to indicate that stocks are somewhat broken. Inquiries are also being made for stocks for delivery early next year, the feeling apparently being that prices are not likely to decline. The box grades are the most active, while shop lumber and better is a little slow. Spruce is very strong and difficulty is being experienced in getting either frames or random for prompt shipment. Dry hemlock is scarce and is held in the Saginaw Valley at $12 and upwards, boards being one dollar higher than piece stuff. Michigan maple is held at $22, $15 and $9 for inch. Quartered oak is plentiful, while plain oak is scarce. There is still a good call for birch and the supply is not particularly large.

Lath is from five to ten cents higher than last week, No. 1 white pine being quoted at $4.05 for delivery by car load in Chicago, and mixed at $3.55. Red cedar shingles have receded about five cents. The entire shingle market is uncertain, although white pine are stronger than cedars.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The statistical position of lumber in the United Kingdom is commencing to have an influence on prices and is responsible for an advancing tendency. Nearly all classes of lumber are in lighter supply at the importing centres than at the corresponding date one year ago. Taking the Surrey Commercial Docks at London, for example, it is found that pine deals show a decrease of 84,812 pieces, and spruce deals of 111,073 pieces. In prepared boards there is the marked decrease of 1,674,935 pieces. The total stock of deals on the public docks at London on December 1st last was 1,912,297 pieces, which, at the current rate of consumption, would provide a stock for 5.85 months. One year ago the supply was 2,223,624 pieces, and the duration of supply 6.41 months, whereas at the corresponding period in 1902 the duration of the supply was 6.70 months. The present position is in favor of holders of lumber, which fact promises to result in a steady appreciation of values.

That the situation is much improved cannot be disputed, but it is only natural that a tendency towards conservative operations should prevail. A few speculative purchases for next season have been made, but buying has not yet become general. Waney pine is in very light supply at London and promises to be very scarce before next year's imports are received. There is a fairly good demand for elm, while birch planks are almost out of stock and fresh arrivals will command better prices than have been obtained for a considerable time.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Spruce lath are quoted in Boston at $3.10 for 1½ inch and $3.25 for 1⅝ inch, rail delivery.

The Miramichi Pulp & Paper Company, of Chatham, N. B., are contracting for large quantities of pulp wood.

Buffalo received by lake this season 189,671,000 feet of lumber and 170,118,000 shingles. The amount last season to date was 161,494,000 feet of lumber and 202,090,000 shingles.

From the opening of navigation to December 1st a total of 399,511,849 feet of lumber was received at the Tonawandas by vessel, as compared with 439,000,000 feet for the corresponding period of 1903.

During the month of November there was received at Bay City, Mich., by boat approximately 12,000,000 feet of lumber, of which 8,000,000 feet came from the Georgian Bay and the remainder from Lake Superior.

The American Lumberman says that several of the leading buyers from the eastern end of Lake Erie are at the head of the lakes and Ashland this week looking over the situation and stocks, but so far as is known have made no purchases as yet.

Notwithstanding the prevailing low price of lumber, it is probable that the cut of logs this winter in Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, will not be greatly reduced, as there is considerable burnt timber which must be cut. C. T. White, of Apple River, has four camps in the woods and will cut about 7,000,000 feet. E. I. White, of Sand River, has two camps and will cut about 2,000,000 feet. B. B. Barnhill, of Two Rivers, has one camp at work. Robertson, Wright & Company are conducting operations at Shulee about the same extent as usual.

The contract for the supply of lumber for the city of Toronto has been awarded as follows: Plank $18.69 per thousand feet, boards $17.96, to Reid & Company; cedar posts, 18¾ cents each, to Reid & Company; lumber, 1 to 6 inches thick, pine $22.79, hemlock $15.79, Reid & Company; hemlock timbers, 12 x 12 inches, 12 to 16 feet long, $16, Reid & Company; pine timbers, 12 x 12 inches, 12 to 16 feet long, $21; 20 feet long, $22; 24 feet long, $24, to Arthur Bryce; hemlock timbers, 12 x 12 inches, 20 feet long, $19; 24 feet long, $21, to Arthur Bryce.

CONFERENCE CONCERNING A LUMBER DUTY.

The business men of Vancouver, B.C., and vicinity, held a conference on December 4 with Senator Templeman, Mr. Ralph Smith, M.P. for Nanaimo, Mr. Wm. Sloan, M.P. for Comox-Atlin, and Mr. Duncan Ross, M.P. for Yale-Cariboo, the purpose being to discuss the question of protecting the lumber industry of British Columbia. Mr. H. McDowell, president of the Board of Trade, was chairman.

Mr. J. G. Scott, manager of the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, briefly reviewed the situation and pointed out that the imports of lumber into Canada are increasing. While in 1903 the total imports aggregated 60,000,000 feet, the statistics for 1904 show that the importations will reach 140,000,000 feet, and the increase was likely to be steady unless protection is afforded the Canadian industry.

Mr. C. M. Beecher, general manager of the British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Company, stated that where a mill could be constructed and equipped in the State of Washington for say $250,000, the same mill could not be duplicated in British Columbia for less than $300,000. On the other side of the line mill machinery was much cheaper than in Canada. British Columbia millmen who import American machinery have to pay a duty of 25 to 30 per cent. on same. He stated that if the machinery and supplies were bought in Canada it was the same thing in the long run as paying the duty, for the Canadian manufacturer added the duty to his prices. The Northwest farmer would be protected against high lumber prices by the productive capacity of existing Canadian mills, which was much greater than the possible home consumption. Mr. Beecher pointed out that under reciprocal trade relations with the United States the lumbermen of British Columbia would be benefitted by having a much larger market.

Other speakers were Mr. L. A. Lewis, of the Brunette Saw Mill Company, R. H. Alexander, of the British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Company, and W. C. Wells, of Palliser.

At the conclusion of the arguments advanced Senator Templeman strongly advised those interested to send a deputation to Ottawa to press the matter upon the Dominion Government.

LIVERPOOL STOCKS AND PRICES.

The stock of timber, deals, etc., in Liverpool, Birkenhead, Garston, etc., on November 30th for the last two years was as follows:

		1903.	1904.
Quebec Square Pine	Cub. Ft.	138000	76000
" Waney "	"	131000	226000
St. John's Pine	"	Nil	Nil
Other Ports	"	Nil	Nil
Red Pine	"	4000	2000
Pitchpine, Hewn	"	120000	172000
" Sawn	"	865000	734000
" Planks	"	303000	314000
Oregon Pine	"	39.000	333000
Sequoia	"	221000	231000
Danzig, &c., Fir	"	60000	27000
Swedish and Norway Fir	"	Nil	Nil
Oak, Canadian and U.S.	"	221000	103000
" Planks	"	164000	230000
" Baltic	"	11000	10000
Elm	"	15000	9000
Birch	"	94000	70000
Ash	"	20000	13000
East India Teak	"	130000	139000
Greenheart	"	126000	73000
N B., &c., Spruce Deals	Std.	12270	10930
" Pine "	"		
Quebec Deals	"	16660	18520
Baltic Deals & Boards	"	4380	2910
Norway, &c, Flooring Boards	"	3280	3070
Galatz Whitewood	"	730	272

The following are the current prices of Canadian lumber as furnished by Alfred Dobell & Company:

TIMBER (per cub. ft.)	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Quebec square white pine	0	1	9	@ 0	3	0
" waney board pine	0	2	8	0	3	9
St. John pine, 18" average	0	2	3	0	3	3
Lower ports pine	0	1	3	0	1	8
Quebec red pine	0	1	6	0	2	0
" oak, 1st quality	0	2	9	0	3	3
" " 2nd "	0	1	6	0	2	6
Ash	0	1	6	0	2	3
Elm	0	3	0	0	3	9
Hickory	0	2	0	0	2	6
Quebec birch	0	1	6	0	2	3
St. John birch	0	1	6	0	2	0
Birch planks	0	0	9	0	0	11
Spruce spars	0	0	10	0	1	0
DEALS (per standard)						
1st quality Quebec pine	22	10	0	32	10	0
2nd do do do	17	0	0	22	0	0
3rd do do do	11	10	0	13	0	0
St. John, N.B., &c., spruce	6	10	0	6	10	0
Lower ports spruce	6	0	0	6	10	0
Spruce boards	5	10	0	6	0	0

The saw mill of George Upham at Nackawick Siding, near Millville, N. B., was destroyed by fire last week.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchell's monthly timber circular of November 30th says:

Business during November has, on the whole, been quiet, and though values have been fairly well maintained there has been no great activity in the matter of buying. The import was again very moderate, and in nearly all cases was disposed of from the ship's side—an indication that buyers have come to believe in the stability of the market and the unlikelihood of a further fall in prices. The higher grades of Canadian pine have been in more demand of late, and values, if anything, are inclined to harden, but in the lower grades there is no evidence of such improvement. There is no advance either in the value of reds, but there is said to be some little indication of an upward tendency in spruce, though with a heavy stock and a declining consumption it is not easy to see any justification for this optimistic view.

Of American hardwoods, the chief enquiry has been for plain oak lumber; poplar lumber and quartered oak being slow of sale, and prices for both are easier. A similar report may be given of oak planks, the import of which has exceeded the demand.

The Scotch shipbuilding returns for the month show that 27 vessels of 28,270 tons were launched, against 21 vessels aggregating 29,219 for the corresponding month last year. A gratifying feature has been the amount of new work placed recently, amounting as it does to 66,000 tons, making a total of 463,000 tons of new contracts placed this year, which insures activity for some time to come in this important industry. Housebuilding, on the other hand, has been slacking off for some time past, and prospects of renewed activity in the near future are by no means reassuring, tenement building having been overdone in the district.

WHITE PINE.—The import consists of about 200 loads waney pine, per the liners, and was disposed of "ex-quay." One or two fair lines of waney deckwood were disposed of, but enquiries are few. Prices continue firm. Stock is ample.

OAK.—The demand continues limited, there having been only a few small sales during the month. Stocks are still heavy.

ELM.—Enquiries are fairly numerous for large-sized rock elm, and stock of this class is now low. Prices are high. Soft wood is moving off more freely, though stock is still large.

BIRCH (Quebec).—The report for November has been about 140 logs, all of which were disposed of from the quay at prices ranging from 1s. 4½d. for 13 to 14-inch up to 1s. 10½d. for 16-inch. There is more enquiry of late, and there is no Quebec birch in first hands for sale.

N. B. BIRCH.—There was one import of about 150 logs and 50 loads planks from St. John, which were disposed of "ex quay," but prices did not transpire. Values are round 1s. 5d. for 15-inch average. For planks there is more enquiry, and the stock is now considerably reduced.

ASH.—A few retail sales are reported of small logs at unsatisfactory prices, but in most cases it is old timber of indifferent quality, for which, it may be said, there is very little outlet nowadays. The stock, though small, is ample for the market's requirements.

DEALS, &C.—The import during the month has been exceedingly moderate, and most of the goods arriving have been disposed of "ex quay." First pine deals of all sizes, and second pine deals, 7/10-inch x 3-inch, are scarce. Lower qualities are plentiful and difficult to move. Prices are firm as under:—Broad First Pine Deals—£32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £22 to £24. Second Pine Deals—11-inch and up, £17 to £19; Ends and Non-Dimension, £13 to £14 10s. Third Pine Deals—11 inch and up, £11 to £14; Ends and Non-Dimensions, £9 10s to £10 10s. Red Pine Deals—9 and 11 inch, £10 to £11; Narrows, £7 to £8 10s. First Pine Sidings and Strips—9 and 10 inch, £23 to £24; 11 to 12 inch £25 to £26; 13 to 14 inch, £27 to £28. Spruce Deals—9-inch and up, £8 to £8 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £6 15s. to £7 10s. Lower Port Spruce—9-inch and up, £7 10s. to £8; 7 and 8 inch, £6 5s. to £7.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., December 5th, 1904. —A gradual betterment of conditions may be noticed more perhaps outside the lumber industry than directly connected with it. The recent advance in logs is not because of larger demand for lumber and the consequent greater value of the raw material, but because for almost a year there has been a surplus of logs and the price has been very rock-bottom. Independent loggers went out of business, and the advance only indicates that at least some of the surplus has been utilized. Foreign shipments are slow, but in addition to the two ships now completing loading at the Hastings mill, and mentioned previously, two more charters are reported, one for South Africa and the other for South America. At the Chemainus mill, export is also slow. Yet it is announced that lumbermen from Ballard, Washington, are to erect a mill on Clayoquot Sound for the export trade exclusively. There is fine timber there, as good as the best in the province, and it can be comparatively easily logged. Their mill will be as large as either the Chemainus or the Hastings.

The Mundy Lumber Company, of Bradford, Pa., are commencing the construction of a mill at Three Valley Lake, near Revelstoke, which will have a capacity of 80,000 feet per day, and Mr. S. A. Mundy, head of the firm, was in the city this morning. He states that considerable timber has been bought up, but they are putting up a small mill so that the larger portion of the limits may be good for the time when lumber from British Columbia will be much higher in price. Eastern limits are cut out, he said, and timber from the west will be in big demand in a few years.

Notwithstanding the announcement of new mills, the sheriff is still busy with the small concerns. The assets of the Skeena River Lumber Company will be auctioned on the 12th instant. Mr. W. A. Galliher, M.P. elect for the Kootenay, came down on Thursday and states that the Arrowhead Lumber Company have shut down their saw mill for the winter, because of the large stock on hand, and will operate only their planer. The Moyie Lumber Company is doing the same thing.

The members of parliament of British Columbia, who are all supporters of the administration, are conferring with representatives of the coast and interior lumbermen and the local board of trade this morning in respect to the duty question. Every member is heartily in accord with the request, even if they are Liberals, as the survival and success of the lumber industry means even more to this province than does that of mining. A deputation will go east this afternoon to interview the Government at Ottawa.

There is much discrimination in Admiralty contracts in Great Britain against Canadian timber, and only Swedish wood is allowed to be used. The matter is occupying the attention of the Agent General of British Columbia at London and the High Commissioner. This particularly affects this province, where there is plenty of good timber especially suitable for these purposes.

The statement that a representative of the Loggers' Association of Puget Sound is to interview the Provincial Government to further prohibit the export of logs is hardly correct, for the prohibition is now about all it can be. It is a legal question still whether the export can be prohibited of logs from land crown granted prior to 1887, and what logs do go out of the province to Washington state are mostly from Dominion government lands, in connection with which there is little or no restriction.

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1x12 common	21 00	22 00
2x10 common	20 00	21 00
3x10 common	21 00	22 00
2 and 3x12 common	22 00	23 00
1x10 inch box and common	20 00	21 00
1 inch mill run sidings	21 00	22 00
1 in. mill run	20 00	21 00
1x10 and 12 mill culls	15 00	16 00
1 inch mill cull Sidings	15 00	16 00
1 in. dead cull sidings	12 00	13 00
1½ inch Flooring	26 00	27 00
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2x4 to 10 in., 10 to 16 ft.	15 00	16 00
2x4 to 10 inch, 18 ft.	16 00	17 00
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Douglas fir dimension timber, 30 to 35 feet		31 00
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1½ in. No. 2 4 ft. Lath	2 60	2 70
1½" No. 1 32" pine lath		1 50
1½" No. 1 4 ft. hemlock lath		2 50
XXXX Pine Shingles	2 90	3 00
XX Pine Shingles	2 10	2 20
X Pine Shingles		1 00
XXX Cedar Shingles B. C. Shingles	2 80	2 90
XXX 6 butts to 2 in.		2 60
XXXX 6 to 23-16 in.		2 80
XXXXX 5 to 2 in.		3 15
XX No. 2, 6 to 2 in..		2 20
XX " 6 to 23-16 in.		
XX " 5 to 2 in		2 50

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" 1½ "	2..	25 00		00
" sqrs. 4x4 "	8x8	29 00		30 00
Basswood, Common and better 1 to 1¼ in		27 00		29 00
Basswood, 1½ to 2..		30		32 00
m. r. 1	1¼	26 00		28 00
Cherry, 1st and 2nds..	1½	60 00		70 00
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4..	65 00		75 00
Elm, soft, mill run 1 "	1½	25 00		27 00
Elm, soft, mill run 2 "	3..	26		28 00
Elm, rock, mill run 1 to	1¼"	24 00		28 00
Elm rock, mill run	1½"	30		29 00 31 00
Hickory, 1sts and 2nds..	1½"	2..	36 00	38 00
Maple common and better 1	1½	22 00		24 00
Maple, 1sts and 2nds.. 2 "	4..	25 00		27 00
Oak, red, p'n, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4..	39 00		42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 1 "	1½	38 00		42 00
Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds 2 "	4..	42 00		45 00
Oak, quart'd, 1sts & 2nds "	2..	65 00		70 00
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	cts.	cts.
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First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	60	65
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Measured off, according to average and quality	27	33
Shipping order " " "	35	40

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By the dram, according to average and quality	50	55

ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality 40 to 45 feet	60	75
" " " " 30 to 35 fe t	48	55

ASH.

10 inches and up, ccording to average and quality	26	35
Average 16 inch	30	35

BIRCH.

14 Inch	20	22
16 "	26	28
17 "	28	31
18 "	32	34

OTTAWA, ONT.

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Pine, good sidings : 1 in. x 8 in and up.	39 00	42 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in. x			
1x10 No. 1 barn			21 00
1x10 No. 2 "			19 00
1x8 & 9 No. 1 barn			19 00
Pine good strips : in.	30 00	34 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	35 00	38 00	
2 in.	36 00	38 00	
Pine, good shorts: 1 in.	23 00	28 00	
1¼ in. and 1½ in.	28 00	35 00	
2 in.	34 00	38 00	
Pine, No. 1 dressing siding, per M feet, b.m.	20 00	25 00	
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	18 00	24 00	
Pine No. 1 dressing shorts	16	20 00	
Pine, 10 s. c and better stock, 12' to 16'	18	20 00	
Pine, 8 s. c. and better stock, 12' to 16'.	16	19 00	
Pine shorts 6' to 11'x10"		16 00	
Pine, 8 up s. c. sidings	16 50	20 00	
Pine s. c. strips	13 00	15 00	
Pine, s.c. shorts	12 00	14 00	
Pine, box boards	00	14 50	
Pine mill culls	13 00	14 00	
Lath, per M No. 1 white pine	2 40	2 60	
No. 2 white pine	2 00	2 25	
Spruce, mill run	2 00	2 15	
Red Pine, mill run	2 00	2 15	
Pine Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 00	3 25	
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2 40	2 60	
xx 18 inch	1 40	1 60	
Cedar Shingles xxxx, 18 inch	3 15	3 25	
Clear Butt, 18 inch		2 50	
xx, 18 inch	1 60	1 70	

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPER AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1in., 8in. and up wide	$65 00
1¼ 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	65 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	77 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	54 00	2½ and 3in., 8in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	78 00
n.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3in., 7in. and up wide.	63 00
1¼ and 1¼ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2in	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼x6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1¼ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	
2½ in.	83	85	
1 to 2 in.	78	80	
4 inch uppers	88	90	
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	
1 to 2 in.	70	72	
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	
1 to 2 in.	69	61	
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	
No. 2	35	45	
No. 3	30	35	
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	48	
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	38	
Stained saps	32	40	
Bracket plank	35	45	
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	
1x12 inch shippers	$	24	
4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25	
4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20	
10-in. dressing and better	30	35	
12-in. dressing and better	40	42	
Box, 1x10-in.		20	
Box, 1x12		21	
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30	
1x10	25	26	
1x8	23	25	
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27	
1x10	23	24	
1x8	22	23	
Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38	
" " 2 inch	38	40	
Dressing	24	25	

LATH.

Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$3 40

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine ex.	xxxx	$4 50	$4 75
Clear but		3 50	3 75
Smoot	x18	4 50	4 75
Bound butts, 6x18		$5 25	5 55
Hemlock			2 23
Spruce			2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78 00	2 in.	38 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold st'ps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects 1 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
4 in.	80 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
3 in.	73 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
4 in.	75 00	1x6 & up	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	38 00	1x10	19 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x12	21 00
No. 2, 1 in.	25 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	17 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	36 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	
2½ to 4 in		43 00	45 00
Strips		22 00	24 00
Com. and culls		16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	
Com. & good culls		15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	
1st &2nd, white, 6" & up,		24 00	26 00
Com. & good culls		13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	
1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,		24 00	25 00
Common and culls		16 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd, hard	21 00	23 00	
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	
1st &2nd, soft		19 00	21 00
Common and culls		11 00	12 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00	to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00		73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55 00		60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00		63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00		43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00		55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00		32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00		45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00		33 00
No. 2	25 00		28 00
No. 3	23 00		26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension			21 00
9 in. and under			19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up			20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up			17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up			18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p. 1 s			17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s			14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled			17 00

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Extras	3 15	3 25
Clears	2 75	2 85
Second clears	2 20	2 30
Clear Whites	2 10	2 20
Extra 1s (Clear whites out)		1 45
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60	1 65

BRITISH COLUMBIA SHINGLES.

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" Eurekas, 18 in. " "		3 60

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber market does not lose any of its strength. Business is quieter, as might be expected, but there is a seasonable movement and every indication that present prices will be maintained. Several dealers report inquiries for low grade pine boards for shipment to Buffalo and Tonawanda, and there is a considerable demand for 4/4 and 5/4 mill culls for local consumption. Prices of these grades are, if anything, a little stiffer, while the upper grades are holding their own and have been benefitted by the more hopeful reports from the British market. The movement of hardwoods is keeping up remarkably well, which is probably due to the fact that prices of Ontario hardwoods are now on a parity with the American mill product, and in some cases, such as basswood, are said to be a little lower. The buyer finds plenty of stock offering for sale, but in few instances is the holder willing to make any concessions to close a transaction.

The weather has been favorable for logging operations, although the hauling season will be shorter than last winter, snow coming a month later. Good progress is now being made. The cut in the Georgian Bay district is expected to be two-thirds that of last year, while in the Ottawa Valley the curtailment will be only slight.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Mild weather throughout the Northwest has permitted building operations to be carried on later than usual, which has resulted in some activity in lumber circles. During the past week, however, orders have fallen off and dealers are anticipating a period of quietness during the next two months. As to the spring trade, the outlook at the present time is hopeful. The Dominion Government have just awarded a contract for the erection of a post office building in Winnipeg to cost upwards of half a million dollars, and it is expected that another busy building season will be experienced next year. The situation in British Columbia does not show much improvement. Failures among the small manufacturers are the rule, a condition which gives emphasis to the claim that lumber is being manufactured at a loss. The Government will once more be asked to impose a duty on American lumber, which, if obtained, will improve the business next year.

UNITED STATES.

The buying of lumber is not particularly active, but this is causing no disappointment to the trade. Dealers and consumers will not increase their obligations during the last two weeks of the year except when compelled to do so. Practically all classes of lumber are in a strong position and the outlook at present is that values will be maintained throughout the winter. Should this be the case, it is probable that a slight advance will be made in the early spring. In low grade pine, which is in comparatively light supply, a slight advance is anticipated in the near future. The position of high grade lumber is not equally as strong, although the demand will probably absorb the supply before next season's stock is in shipping condition. Inquiries from prospective buyers of the new cut indicate that a brisk trade is looked for next year.

A scarcity of spruce boards, 5 inches and up, 10 feet and longer, planed one side, is reported from Boston, where $17 is being obtained. Hardwoods are seasonably quiet, with a firm undertone. Plain oak is selling in Chicago at $40. A sale of one million feet of firsts and seconds inch was recently made at $40 f. o. b. New Orleans. Ash, elm, birch and maple are being bought in some quantity, but basswood continues dull. The price of maple flooring is unsatisfactory, although there is a better inquiry. Dry hemlock is scarce in the Saginaw Valley and prices are firm at $12 and upwards for piece stuff and boards.

The supply of white pine lath is still inadequate to meet the demand and substitutes are being used wherever possible. Spruce lath is also strong, 1½ inch selling in Boston at $3.10 to $3.15 and 1 5-8 inch at $3.25 to $3.35.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The light importation of lumber and the absence of consignment cargoes is greatly influencing the British lumber market. London will winter a smaller stock than for many years past. Business is still on a restricted basis, but if there should be any material improvement in the consumption in the near future, the statistical position of the market is such that prices might advance sharply. Holders of Canadian pine and spruce are showing a disposition to carry over their stocks until the spring, in the belief that shipments will be light owing to the large demand at home and in the United States, and that higher prices will then be obtained. The London import of pine deals from the St. Lawrence up to November 30th of this year was 970,000 pieces, as against 1,573,000 pieces for the corresponding period of 1903. Of spruce deals the import was 1,889,000 pieces, as compared with 2,148,000 pieces. The import of New Brunswick deals was 635,000 pieces this year and 909,000 pieces in 1903. Baltic whitewood has advanced in sympathy with spruce. Elm timber continues to show strength, the stock being light and in fair request. Birch planks are selling at from £7 15s. to £8 5s. per standard.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

L. K. Jones, Secretary Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, is asking for tenders up to January 3rd, 1905, for the supply of timber required for the Welland canal.

The Moulthrop Lumber Company, of John's Island, Ont., will take ont about 20,000,000 feet of logs this winter. S. O. Fisher is taking out about 12,000,000 feet near Blind River, Ont.

The members of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association shipped during the month of November 47,000,000 feet of lumber, being the largest shipments made in that month for five years. They also are the largest for any month with three exceptions for this year.

It is understood that Mason, Gordon & Company, of Montreal, are operating this winter two small camps, one in the Township of Osborne and the other in the District of Nipissing. They expect to take out about 100,000 cubic feet of waney white pine timber and 3,000,000 feet of white pine logs. Both the timber and the logs are of extra good quality and large size and are in the market for sale.

Messrs. Smith & Tyrer, Liverpool, Eng., say: "Values ruling to-day are the best since the summer and are firm for early shipment. They range from 10s. to 12s. 6d. per standard higher than they touched last summer. The stock in the district on the 1st inst. was about 3,000 standards less than a month previous. If the winter shipments are not large and the production is reduced as anticipated, we do not think there is any reason for alarm. The holders on the Canadian side will find that they will be wise not to sacrifice their stocks."

According to figures published in the American Lumberman, the cut of lumber at the head of the lakes this year, to the close of navigation, was 275,000,000 feet. There is on the docks 75,000,000 feet, of which 30,000,000 feet is unsold and 45,000,000 feet is sold awaiting delivery. These figures compare with a cut the previous year 100,000,000 feet larger and a total on docks of 30,000,000 feet more, of which 48,000,000 feet was unsold and 57,000,000 feet sold. In addition to the amount of lumber shipped from Duluth mills and which amounts to 310,000,000 feet for the season of navigation, 123,000,000 feet was shipped to Duluth from outside mills and 57,000,000 feet from Two Harbors.

The Bay City correspondent of the New York Lumber Trade Journal says that E. Germain is carrying a stock of 15,000,000 feet, Booth & Boyd must have about 16,000,000 in their yards, L. C. Slade is carrying 10,000,000 feet at least, A. C. White has several million in his yard, Bliss & Van Auken are carrying a good assortment, Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Co. have 40,000,000 feet, of which 25,000,000 feet is in their yards here and at Saginaw. E. B. Foss & Co. are carrying a very large and choice stock of white pine. Bradley, Miller & Co. have a good stock and usually get in a number of million feet by rail in addition to lake receipts and F. G. Eddy & Co., the Bay City Box and Lumber Company, the Vance and Briscoe Companies, and the Kern Manufacturing Company are all carrying stocks that run into the million feet each.

Under date of December 3rd, Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company review the lumber market as follows: "The schooner Eduardo arrived during the fortnight with 162,000 feet of second quality white pine, but the consignees receiving a better offer from Antigua than they could elicit here, sent the cargo to that island. Our market in white pine is well supplied, and dealers are not prepared to increase holdings except at lower prices. In spruce the only transaction we have to report is the sale of two small lots ex. George R. Alston from Port Daniel from different consignees, one of whom had 46,000 feet and accepted an offer $22.50 for merchantable, $17 for second quality and $14 for inferior, but it turned out to be nearly all second quality. The other lot was sold at a round figure of $19 17. Stocks of this are not heavy and a small cargo of good quality would do well. The G. R. Alston brought 260,000 Long Gaspe shingles, of which 64,000 were sold by one consignee at $5.07½; but the consignees of the balance, failing to obtain a suitable offer, have stored them. The quality of late shipments of shingles from Gaspe have not been up to standard, and this has induced dealers who have had complaints from their customers as to the quality of Long Cedar, to turn their attention to Wallaba shingles, which are made in Demerara. A considerable quantity are now imported from there, which tends to check the consumption of Cedar. Laying Cedar are still in fair stock, and as there is a large quantity reported to be about due, our market promises to be oversupplied in the near future."

Speaking of lumber conditions, Mr. W. B. Mershon, of the firm of Mershon, Schuette, Parker & Company, Saginaw, Mich., says:

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Undoubtedly the open winter has helped to increase the consumption of building material, but there was certainly a big improvement in the volume of orders for white pine lumber and mill products in November and is still continuing. Prices, too, have been advancing, first on one item and then on another. Some kinds of white pine we find are in short supply; 1x12 No. 2 barn boards, for instance, no one seems to have. No. 3 shop has been picked up very fast and has advanced in price. The better grades of white pine have felt the impetus least. Door prices are too low. Export doors are selling for less money than for several years. Box business has increased in volume a little bit but has gone to the dogs so far as prices are concerned. The competition does not seem to be so much on account of other woods in boxes but our competitors are those using white pine and similarly situated. The cost of the raw material does not appear to cut any figure with the box man when he is bidding for business."

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From St. John, N. B.: Steamer Montcalm, for Bristol, 352,592 ft. deals, 3,847 ft. ends, 1,786 bdls. shooks. Schooner Jennie C., for Boston, 120,000 ft. planks, 15,000 ft. boards. Schooner Ruth Robinson, for City Island, 2,027,800 laths. Steamer Concordia, for Glasgow, 321,180 ft. deals. 8,785 ft. scantling, 7,938 ft. ends, 17,540 ft. pine deals. Steamer Corinthian, for Liverpool, 61,966 ft. deals, 8,084 ft. ends, 91,569 ft. birch plank, 1,459 ft. birch ends, 13 tons pine timber, 183 tons birch timber. Schooner J. L. Colwell, for Boston, 140,000 ft. spruce boards. Schooner Waccamaw, for City Island, 85,433 ft. scantling, 308,742 ft. deals. Schooner Harry Miller, for City Island, 344,951 ft. deals

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D. & J. Ritchie & Company	11,000,000
E. Hutchison	8,000,000
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The Standard Lumber Company, Buffalo, has been succeeded by the Standard Hardwood Lumber Company, the management remaining the same.

NOTES.

The barque Lakeside has been chartered to carry lumber from Yarmouth, N. S., to Buenos Ayres at $8.

About a month ago Sheriff Richards seized the mill and plant of the Sidney Lumber Company at Sidney, B.C., on behalf of a judgment creditor, Mr. Whittaker, of Vancouver, who had supplied the company with logs. Subsequently Mr. Beattie, of Seattle, entered a claim, whereupon the Sheriff threw the matter into court, and the mill was to have been sold on December 17th. The principal shareholders in the concern are Messrs. Moore and Cudahee, of Seattle.

The Mississippi Valley Lumberman says of hardwoods: "There is the usual amount of business current during the closing weeks of the year. The factory trade is still the predominating feature of the market. This, however, just now is slow, as the different concerns will not take on stock until after the inventories heve been made and the policy of the new year decided upon. It is generally understood that the different manufacturing concerns are light in stocks. They will continue active operations close up to the holidays and the mid-winter close-down will not be of long duration. The furniture producers see an active year ahead of them. They say that production in their lines has not brought about an accumulation in any kind of stock. The present indications of business indicate that there is to be an inareased demand in all commodities, and that furniture will share in this prosperity."

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(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 16th, 1904.—The lumber industry in this vicinity is undergoing a period of inaction both in manufacturing and shipping circles; the mills have practically all shut down and shipments have been very light during the last fortnight.

During the past month a large quantity of English deals has been bought up by a local dealer. This quantity covers more than half the available supply. The present owner apparently has faith in a more favorable market in the near future and the feeling in general is that his expectations will be fully realized. The exact figure paid is not at present obtainable.

Cedar shingles have been moving somewhat slowly during the past month, a condition which is quite usual at this particular time of the year owing to the lack of stimulus in building circles in the New England States. The resumption of activity in this direction will, in all probability, see a change in prices in this line. It is an almost absolute certainty that this change will be in favor of the manufacturers, as it is conceded on all sides that the prices now prevalent are too low to stand much longer.

The past season has not been nearly so productive to the manufacturers and sellers of shingles as was the case for the several preceding years. To-day there is a difference in the price of Extra Cedar Shingles of 40 cents per M. compared with the 1st of July last. This can be attributed to two circumstances—a substantial falling off in the consumption of shingles in the Eastern States (due to strikes, the high price of labor, etc.), and to an increase in the volume of importations from the Pacific coast. Whether or not this last will remain a vital condition or not is a question, but the feeling generally among those most interested is that next season will find the demand for the Eastern products just as great as it was one, two, three and four years ago.

The month of October brought a stimulus that enabled the local manufacturers to work off the greater part of their surplus stock of shingles, although this increase in demand caused no advance in prices. At present writing, with practically none being manufactured, six millions to eight millions would cover all the available shingles at this port. Perhaps two-thirds of these are of the higher grades; the balance will be disposed of in the provinces for local use.

Prices have not changed materially during the last two months. The last sales of American shingles made brought the following figures f.o.b. St. John: Extras, $2.75 per M.; Clears, $2.30; 2nd Clears, $1.85; No. 1, 90 cents.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

OTTAWA, December 18, 1904. — The movement of lumber in the Ottawa district is at low ebb at present, but this condition of affairs is not causing any uneasiness. Dealers are busy stock-taking and are carefully refraining from taking on any new line. Business will be at a standstill until well after the new year. Manufacturers report the firm tone of the market continued with no indication of a break, and this in itself is a cause for a hopeful feeling. In no single line can a change from recorded prices be mentioned.

Reports from the limits show that the Fall has been an ideal one for log cutting, hardly an unfavorable day delaying the operations. The work is so well advanced that it is estimated that fully seventy per cent. of the contemplated log cut has been finished by the leading firms. A good depth of snow is reported on the limits, so that the work of hauling the logs should be taken up with vigor early in the new year. Leading firms such as J. R. Booth, the W. C. Edwards Company, Gilmour & Hughson, the Hawkesbury Lumber Company, Pembroke Lumber Company, A. & P. White, McLachlan Bros., and Shephard & Morse will cut nearly as extensively as in former years.

While the British market is looking more hopeful than at any time during the year, no sales of any consequence have yet been made for next season's cut of deals. One lot of the past summer's cut changed hands recently at a decline of five per cent. on the prices ruling a year ago, but this cannot be taken as any criterion. However, the British buyers having starved themselves on Canadian white pine, must ere long be stocking up again, so that an improvement may be looked for. On account of the condition of the British market, no contracts for next summer's cutting are expected before February, according to reliable information.

Backus & Company, who are about to build a large dam and develop a water power at Fort Frances, Ont., have asked permission from the Ontario Crown Lands Department to cut about 3,000,000 feet of timber on Stokes Bay.

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XXX Cedar Shingles B. C. Shingles	2 80	2 90
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" sqrs. 4x4 " 8x8		29 00	30 00	
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Cherry, 1sts and 2nds..	2 " 4..	65 00	75 00	
Elm, soft, mill run	1 " 1½	25 00	27 00	
Elm, soft, mill run	2 " 3..	26	28 00	
Elm, rock, mill run	1 to 1½"	24 00	28 00	
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Maple, 1sts and 2nds..	2 " 4..	25 00	27 00	
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Hemlock	2	50	

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1 to 2 in.	78	80
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1 to 2 in.	70	72
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75
1 to 2 in.	69	61
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55
No. 2	35	45
No. 3	30	35
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10-in. dressing and better	30	35
12-in. dressing and better	40	42
Box, 1x10-in.		20
Box, 1x12		21
No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
1x10	25	26
1x8	23	25
No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27
1x10	23	24
1x8	22	23
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Pine, s.c. shorts	12	00	14 00
Pine, box boards	00		14 50
Pine mill culls	13	00	14 00
Lath, per M			
No. 1 white pine	2	40	2 60
No. 2 white pine	2	00	2 25
Spruce, m ll run	2	00	2 15
Red Pine mill run	2	00	2 15
Pine Shingles			
xxxx, 18 inch	3	00	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch	2	40	2 60
xx 18 inch	1	40	1 60
Cedar Shingles			
xxxx 18 inch	3	15	3 25
Clear Butt, 18 inch			2 50
xx, 18 inch	1	60	1 70

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Spruce	$3	40	

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2½ and 3 in.	78	00	
4 in.	80	00	
Fine common, 1 in.	55	00	
1¼ and 2½ in.	58	00	
2 in	60	00	
3 in.	73	00	
4 in.	75	00	
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1¼ and 1½ in	50	00	
No. 2, 1 in.	25	00	
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38	00	
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25	00	
Dressing 1¼ in.	36	00	
1¼x10 and 12.	40	00	
1½ in.	36	00	
2 in			38 00
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6, 8 and 10 in			26 00
No. 2, 10 in.			23 00
No. 2, 12 in.			26 00
No. 3, 10 in.			20 00
No. 3, 12 in.			22 50
Box, 1x4			17 50
1 x 6 & up			19 00
1x10			19 50
1x12			21 00
1x13 and up			22 00
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			Com. & good culls	13 00 14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00 25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00 17 00

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Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00 12 00

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Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68	00	73 00
Fine Common, 1 inch	55	00	60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58	00	63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41	00	43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50	00	55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30	00	32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41	00	45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30	00	33 00
No. 2	25	00	28 00
No. 3	23	00	26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in. dimension			21 00
9 in. and under			19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up			20 50
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All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up			18 50
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The wood-working factory of the Wm. Currie Company, Limited, at Campbellton, N. B., was totally destroyed by fire December 26.

The H. Witbeck Company, of Marinette, Wis., a few days ago sold the last of their lumber, 400,000 feet of basswood, and they are now out of the lumber business for good. The machinery in the mill will be removed to Owen Sound, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Values in the lumber market are quite firm. There has been no show of activity, but the expectation of a heavy demand next year is having a favorable influence. Manufacturers report an increase in the number of enquiries and there is a disposition to contract for stock for spring delivery. Considering the season of the year, building operations are quite brisk, and it now appears that the winter consumption of lumber will be unusually large. The large number of firms operating in the woods on a restricted scale also has a tendency to keep up prices. Another point worthy of consideration is that most of the lumbermen are in a position to hold their stocks if they should find it expedient to do so.

Reports concerning the hardwood market are generally strong in tone. One dealer reports having placed 1,200,000 feet of ash, birch, maple, elm and baswood lumber with customers at an advance on last year's prices, which would indicate that higher prices will rule during the coming year. The outlook at present is that hemlock lumber will be in good demand, with some likelihood that values will be higher in the early spring.

There is not much doing in shingles. The low price of B. C. cedars, namely, $2.50 to $2.60 for XXX for delivery in Ontario, has made it difficult to sell the white pine variety, which are held about 40 cents higher. If the present price of red cedars should prevail in the spring, a heavy demand will probably be experienced, as at present prices many consumers will give the preference to the British Columbia product. The present looks like a favorable time to buy shingles, either for consumption or speculation.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Square and waney pine timber is slightly firmer in price, although few contracts for 1905 delivery have yet been made. It is understood that the Quebec shippers are holding out for prices which many of the British importers consider too high, but which they will probably be successful in obtaining if the production this winter should prove no greater than is anticipated. The opinion is becoming more general that spruce lumber prices will continue to advance until they are from $2 to $4 higher than the low figures reached this summer. One of the largest shippers from New Brunswick has recently bought a considerable quantity of British deals, which he apparently intends to hold until able to realize a fair profit.

UNITED STATES.

The reviva of industrial activity throughout the United States during the past four months, or since it became certain that there would be an abundant yield of corn and cotton, has probably done more than anything e'se to strengthen the lumber market. The iron and steel industry is steadily improving and prices have continued to advance. The number of orders placed for furnace products to be delivered next spring is quite large and there is a disposition to contract for future requirements in nearly all lines. Yellow pine is the most active lumber. Manufacturers are even finding difficulty in filling orders, and prices are about $2 higher than they were last fall, with indications of a further advance. Compared with six months ago, the conditions are decidedly favorable. In white pine the movement is not large, but stocks are in good shape and the outlook for the ensuing year is all that could be desired. Not much business will be booked before the middle of January, although wholesale dealers may take advantage of the intervening period to contract for the mill product.

The demand for hardwoods has declined during the past ten days, but this lull is regarded as only temporary. There is a good trade in birch and oak for interior finishing purposes. The supply of plain white and red oak is very small and in consequence prices have steadily advanced. Firsts and seconds are held at $40 for Chicago delivery, while $47 is asked at Boston. Birch is in greater supply but none too plentiful and prices are strong. Elm probably comes next in point of strength. Holders of hemlock are showing confidence in the situation. It is expected that the cut will be small. Buffalo reports a scarcity of 12 and 14 foot lengths.

Conditions affecting white pine lath are unchanged. The consumption at this season of the year is light, but nevertheless the demand continues to be in excess of the supply. In the Western States lath is also scarce. New Brunswick cedar shingles are slightly firmer, and it is understood that some of the larger manufacturers are holding out for $3.35 for Extras for Boston delivery.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Indications of an improvement in the British lumber market are increasing. Spruce lumber has been one of the first to feel the effects of the revival in the cotton industry, and the indications are that the consumption during the winter months will reduce the stocks at the leading importing centres to a low point. Holders of both pine and spruce are apparently satisfied that the available supply will be absorbed before next year's shipments reach the market, and there is therefore little incentive to cut prices. The London stock of spruce is very moderate, but at Liverpool and Manchester the supply is proportionately larger.

There has as yet been very little buying for next season, importers preferring to wait until after the holidays. In the meantime representatives of Quebec shippers are arranging their stock lists and getting ready for increased activity after the turn of the year.

Swedish shippers are doing considerable business with the Continent, but very little with English buyers. Prices so far show a considerable increase on those of last fall. Norway flooring has been sold on the basis of £8 1s. 3d. to £8 5s. c.i.f. Cardiff.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Wm. A. Haye, of Millville, N. B., has bought a tract of timber land near Woodstock which he will log this winter.

The Musquash Lumber Company, of Musquash, N. B., have been given a contract to supply 150,000 ties for the New Brunswick Southern Railway.

There is a great scarcity of No. 1 white pine lath in Wisconsin. At Marinette they are selling at $3.50 a thousand, the highest price ever known.

George L. Wells, of Vancouver, B. C., is reported to have sold a tract of 600,000,000 feet of British Columbia timber to the Marinette Lumber Company, of Marinette, Wis.

W. F. Newton, of Grand Forks, B. C., has leased some timber limits, and will cut this winter about 6,000,000 feet of saw logs, which will be brought down to Smelter Lake next spring.

Lumbering operations in the vicinity of Richmond, Que., are dull this winter. Joseph Bedard and A. S. McDonald, of Melbourne, have camps in the woods. Other firms are doing very little.

The Moulthrop Lumber Company, of John's Island, Ont., manufactured 17,000,000 feet of white pine lumber and 4,000,000 pickets during the past season. They have on hand about 7,000,000 feet of lumber.

The Cleveland-Sarnia Saw Mills Company, of Sarnia, Ont., have manufactured during the past season 26,500,000 feet of pine lumber and 1,000,000 of hemlock, also 7,500,000 pieces of lath and 5,000,000 shingles. They have on hand about 11,000,000 feet of pine and 250,000 feet of hemlock lumber, 1,800,000 pieces of lath and 2,400,000 shingles. They are taking out 20,000,000 feet of logs for next season's run.

POSITION OF THE BRITISH MARKET.

Now that the Quebec season is really closed and all shipments have reached this country, one is able to form, as far as London is concerned, a pretty accurate observation of the position of the pine market, and we are glad to find, says the Timber Trades Journal, that our prognostications for the past three months are being borne out in so far that stocks are in moderate compass, and those who hold them must feel in a comfortable position, as they have now five to six months in which to work them off, before the new arrivals can reach the market. For the past two weeks there has been a fair demand, and prices rule firm.

The spruce market keeps steady and is likely to do so, in view of the moderate stock here, and seeing that the London general export trade is not taking much, we think it well that the stock is moderate. We have not heard that any forward business has yet been arranged in either of these woods.

MONTREAL LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The quantity of lumber shipped from the port of Montreal during the season of 1904 was over 76,000,000 feet less than the previous year. Watson & Todd again head the list with 38,028,601 feet, although this is a large falling off as compared with their 1903 shipments. The statement follows :

	Season, 1904. Ft. B. M.	Season, 1903. Ft. B. M.
Watson & Todd.....	38,028,601	51,801,668
R. Cox & Co .... Cox, Long & Co....}	29,905,279	33,103,570
W. & J. Sharples.....	23,016,516	41,845,282
Dobell, Bec ett & Co.	18,387,5 0	35,9 5,535
J Burstall & Co.....	13,400,437	22,105,969
McArthur Export Co.	8,9 9 166	15,412,412
Charlemagne L. Co.	5 067,4 2	10,289 247
McLaurin Bros.....	4,600.000	7,478,000
E. H. Lemay.....	1,9 6.000	1 8:5,000
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BRITISH COLUMBIA LETTER.

(Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., December 21st, 1904.—Conditions in British Columbia in connection with the lumber industry are regarded as worse than ever. It certainly is as far as the employees of the mills are concerned, for with the closing of so many establishments hundreds of men are deprived of wages at a season of the year when money is so essential. Over half the plants in Vancouver city are inactive, and the only mill doing any business to speak of is that of Messrs. E. H. Heaps & Company. In East Kootenay most of the mills close down anyway for the winter, but others which might run have been stopped until spring. On Vancouver island the Ladysmith Lumber Company's mill has suspended operations and 70 men have been thrown out of employment. In the latter instance the shingle mill was stopped but started again to fill some orders. The indefinite period for which these mills are shut down is supposed to be March or April, but before that time the cessation of the industry will be severely felt in British Columbia, and particularly in Vancouver, where the manufacture of lumber is one of the principal industries.

The result will in all probability be that the stocks of lumber will get small, and with increased demand the prices in the Territories will likely go up because of the lack of sufficient supply. A determined effort is to be made to have the Government impose a duty such as has been asked for repeatedly for the last eight years.

The new schedule of prices which was being arranged by the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association came into force yesterday. All of the members have agreed to abide by this, which will do away with the disastrous price-cutting that has been going on for two or three months. During that time the cuts were all the way from 25 to 40 per cent. off list price, and contractors especially were displeased, because they never knew when a competitor was not getting larger reductions from some other mill.

The new schedule contains a reduction of all kinds of lumber, except one. Shiplap, previously scheduled at $15 per M, is now selling for $12. Rough lumber, formerly $13, is now $10. Shingles have been reduced from $2.50 to $1.90. Clear cedar, all round, from $40 to $35, and cedar ceiling, formerly quoted at $35, is now $32. Fir lath is reduced $1. The only increase was on edged grain lumber. This is rather scarce and more or less subject to special call.

Mr. John Murray, timber ranger, returned this afternoon from the interior, and reports things in bad shape in the lumber industry. What mills are running are on very limited time, and many of the operators are taking out no logs this winter. Collections were considerably more difficult than six months ago.

The trade with Mexico by means of the proposed steamship line subsidized by the Dominion and Mexican Governments was discussed at the last meeting of the Board of Trade, when Mr. R. H. Alexander and Mr. Beecher stated that there was little prospect of this province doing much business in the lumber line with that country. Only about 9,000,000 feet per year was imported, and this from the States. Mr. J. G. Scott thought it peculiar that the Government should give $50,000 a year to assist in the securing of such a small trade, when by a mere stroke of the pen, and without the cost of one cent, a trade of double 9,000,000 feet per month could be secured in the Territories. Mr. Beecher advocated the opening of trade with North China, where there is a good market and where large quantities of lumber could be disposed of.

Revenue from timber sources in the province for the first six months of the present fiscal year total over $200,000. The amount for the whole of last year was only $250,000.

The sheriff is to preside at a sale of the mill at Sydney, Vancouver island, and at the sale of the assets of the Fernie Manufacturing Company. In the latter instance the upset price was $16,000, but this was not offered. Creditors hope to receive 50 cents on the dollar.

The development of the "ready-made" house business, which has been begun by the B. C. Mills, Timber & Trading Company, of this city, is indicated by the receipt of an order from the Provincial Government for a school house 24x36 feet, which will be sent north to Port Essington.

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Conditions generally are poor, but many lumbermen have hopes that the trade in the spring will be good. Stocks will be lighter, prices should be firmer and business should be on a much better basis than hitherto.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Interstate Red Cedar Shingle Association, held in Seattle, Wash., on December 15th, it was resolved to dissolve the association in the near future, with the object of starting another on different lines.

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THE SPRUCE SITUATION.

A Canadian correspondent of the Timber News comments as follows :

The stocks of logs and deals wintered over in Canada will be larger than usual, but that is sure to be counterbalanced by a considerable reduction in the winter operations in the woods. It is just possible that a drop in freights to last winter's level, say to 25s., will encourage liner consignments, as holders will doubtless be inclined to realize so long as they can see a fair margin, and if such consignments come tumbling in again we may say farewell to any prospects of an early improvement in values. It is not, however, sure that freights will come down to such a low level, and the liners to-day are quite firm at from 30s. to 32s. 6d. Besides that, the bulk of the stocks available for shipment are in strong hands, and are not likely to be shipped unless a reasonable margin seems assured.

Some effort is being made by the operators in the Maritime Provinces to form a combination to resist the high wages demanded, which are, they consider, above an equitable point, and due to the artificial influence of the trade unions, but there is a want of unanimity among the manufacturers, which may prove fatal to any advantageous results.

It seems quite certain that the supply of spruce deals during the coming season is going to fall short of an average, but as the early demand is likely to be fully met from stocks existing on our side, any shortage is not likely to be fully appreciated until well on in the season. In any case we may look to some improvement in prices, as present figures are unprofitable to the shippers, who are steadfastly refusing to accept business at such a level.

Most of the wintering stocks in St. John have recently changed hands at improved figures, and are now held by the shippers. It is expected that all the mills in that district will shut down this winter, and consequently there will be no new cut on the market until the spring. The production of the portable mills during the winter is going to be greatly curtailed, and unless a considerable advancement in price takes place there will be no inducement to increase these operations.

During the past year a good trade has been done in spruce to the States and to South America, and it is confidently anticipated that the coming season will see equally active markets in those quarters. Hemlock will be got out this winter in reduced quantities, as the demand has been unsatisfactory.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From St. John, N. B. :—Steamer Lake Erie, for Liverpool, 174,572 ft. spruce deals, 7,191 ft. spruce ends, 7,182 ft. scantling, 64,301 ft. birch deals, 3,984 ft. birch scantling, 534 ft. birch ends, 800 doors, 532 pcs. oak lumber, 528 pcs. timber. Schooner Ethel B. Sumner, for New Rochelle, N. Y., 255,000 cedar shingles, 1,715,400 laths. Schooner Perris A. Colwell, for City Island, 196,392 ft. deals, 1,899,700 laths. Steamer Parisian, for Liverpool, 73,346 ft. spruce deals, 2,616 ft. spruce scantling, 56,610 ft. birch plank, 3,650 ft. birch ends. Schooner Bessie Parker, for Trinidad, Port of Spain, 354,591 ft. pine boards. Schooner F. & E. Givan, for Boston, 111,365 ft. spruce boards.

From Tusket Wedge, N.S. :—Bark Launberga, for Buenos Ayres, 1,093,000 ft. mixed lumber. Norwegian bark Nora, for Santa Blanco, 980 ft. mixed lumber.

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BRITISH LUMBER PRICES.

Canadian lumber brought the following prices at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on December 14th :

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Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up wide	$75 00	Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide	$65 00
1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	75 00	1¼, 1½ and in.	65 00
2½ and 3 in.	80 00	2½ and 3 in.	75 00
4 in.	90 00	4 in.	77 00

FINE COMMON.

in., 8 in. and up wide	54 00	2½ and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	73 00
¼ and 1½ in.	57 00	4 in.	78 00
n.	58 00		

B FINE COMMON OR NO 1 CUTTING.

n., 7 in. and up wide	36 00	2½ and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	63 00
1¼ and 1½ cutting	48 00	4 in.	68 00
2 in.	50 00		

STRIPS. A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1¼ in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	50 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	48 00
1¼ x 6 in. wide	52 00	6 in. wide	50 00

FINE COMMON OR C

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	44 00	1¼ in., 4, 5 in. wide	47 00
1¼ in., 6 in. wide	50 00	in., 6 in. wide	50 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.

1¼ in., 4, 5, 6 in wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	26 00

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	29 00	8 and 7 in.	22 00
10 in.	24 00	No. 3, 12 in.	21 00
9 in.	23 00	10 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	23 00	9 in.	18 00
No. 2, 12 in.	24 00	8 in.	19 00
10 in.	22 00	1x6	19 00
No. 2, 9 in.	22 00	1x4	16 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	$15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	$17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	17 00	1¼, 1½ and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	18 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	17 00		

SHAKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	32 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	34 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	33 00	1¼, 1½ and 8 in. and up wide	35 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 50
Clear Butts	3 00	Clear Butts	2 50

LATH.

No. 1 White Pine	3 20	No. 2 White Pine	2 50
		Hemlock	2 50

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in.	83	85	1x12 inch shippers	$	24
2½ in.	83	85	4/4 inch " 13" & up.		25
1 to 2 in.	78	80	4/4 Box boards 6" and up	19	20
4 inch uppers	88	90	10-in. dressing and better	30	35
Selects, 2½ in up	77	82	12-in. dressing and better	40	42
1 to 2 in.	70	72	Box, 1x10-in.		20
Fine common, 2½ in. and up	72	75	Box, 1x12		21
1 to 2 in.	69	61	No. 1 barn, 1x12	29	30
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	53	55	1x10	25	26
No. 2	35	45	1x8	23	25
No. 3	30	35	No. 2 barn, 1x12	26	27
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	45	48	1x10	23	24
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35	38	1x8	22	23
Stained saps	32	40	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	32	38
Bracket plank	35	45	" " 2 inch	38	40
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	35	40	Dressing	24	25
Dressing boards, narrow	26	28	Common		25
1x10 inch shippers	21	22			

LATH.

Pine	$3 40	Spruce	$3 40

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine ex. XXXX	$4 50	$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	$5 25	5 55
Clear but.	3 50	3 75	Hemlock		2 25
Smoot x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce		2 15

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.

(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	78 00	2 in.	38 00
2½ and 3 in.	85 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	40 00
4 in.	85 00	No. 1 Mold stps 1 to 2 in.	48 00
Selects 1 in.	68 00	No. 2 Moulding Strips, 1 to 2 in.	35 00
1¼ to 2 in.	70 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	32 00
2½ and 3 in.	78 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	26 00
4 in.	80 00	No. 2, 10 in.	23 00
Fine common, 1 in.	55 00	No. 2, 12 in.	26 00
1¼ and 2½ in.	58 00	No. 3, 10 in.	20 00
2 in.	60 00	No. 3, 12 in.	22 50
3 in.	73 00	Box, 1x4	17 50
4 in.	75 00	1x6 & up	19 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	38 00	1x10	19 50
1¼ and 1½ in.	50 00	1x12	21 00
No. 2, 1 in.	25 00	1x13 and up	22 00
No. 2, 1¼, & 1½ in	38 00	1¼ and 1½ & 2 in.	19 00
No. 3, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	25 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 in.	17 00
Dressing 1¼ in.	36 00		
1¼x10 and 12	40 00		
1½ in.	56 00		

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda;

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	33 00	35 00	2½ to 4 in.	43 00	45 00
1¼ to 2 in	39 00	41 00	Strips	21 00	24 00
			Com. and culls	16 00	19 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	31 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	15 00	17 00

BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	36 00	38 00	1st & 2nd, white, & up,	24 00	26 00
			Com. & good culls	13 00	14 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6in & up	26 00	28 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in & up,	24 00	25 00
Common and culls	15 00	17 00	Common and culls	16 00	17 00

MAPLE.

1st & 2nd hard	21 00	23 00	1st & 2nd, soft	19 00	21 00
Common and culls	13 00	14 00	Common and culls	11 00	13 00

BOSTON, MASS.

White Pine Uppers, 1 to 2 inch	$82 00	to	$85 00
Selects, 1 to 2 inch	68 00		73 00
Pine Common, 1 inch	55 00		60 00
1¼ to 2 inch	58 00		63 00
No. 1 Cuts, 1 inch	41 00		43 00
1¼ to 2 inch	50 00		55 00
No. 2 Cuts, 1 inch	30 00		32 00
1¼ to 2 inch	41 00		45 00
Barn Boards, No. 1	30 00		33 00
No. 2	25 00		28 00
No. 3	23 00		26 00
Spruce, 10 and 12 in dimension			21 00
9 in. and under			19 00
10 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up			20 50
2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4 random lengths, 10 ft. and up			17 50
All other random lengths, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up			18 50
5 in. and up merchantable boards, 8 ft. & up, p.1 s			17 00
Out Spruce boards, p. 1 s			14 00
1x2 and 1x3 furring p. 1 s clipped and bundled			17 00

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

Extras	3 15		3 25
Clears	2 75		2 85
Second clears	2 20		2 30
Clear Whites	2 10		2 20
Extra 1s (Clear whites out)			1 45
Extra 1s (Clear whites in)	1 60		1 65

BRITISH COLUMBIA SHINGLES.

Red Cedar Extras, 16 in. 5 butts to 2 in.			3 30
" Eurekas, 18 in., " "			3 60
" Perfections, 5 butts to 2¾ in.			4 05